

## 2020 Fireworks Permit for the Town of Birchwood

Wisconsin statute 167.10 prohibits the use or possession of fireworks, as defined under 167.10 (1), without a user's permit issued by the mayor of a city, president of a village or chairperson of a town in which the possession or use is to occur. Permits can only be issued to one of the following: A public authority, a fair association, an amusement park, a park board, a civic organization, any individual or group of individuals, and farmers for the protection of crops from predatory birds or animals. NOTE: Permits cannot be issued to a minor; they must be 18 years of age, under 167.10 (3)(c) & (h).

**This fireworks permit is issued to:**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

(Print the name and address of the public authority, fair association, amusement park, park board, civic organization, individual or group of individuals or farmer)

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Contact Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date on or after which fireworks may be purchased:** \_\_\_\_\_

(Fireworks cannot be purchased or used prior to the issuing of this permit. Fireworks can be purchased anywhere in this state and the possession of the fireworks is allowed under this permit while the permit holder is transporting the permitted fireworks to the city, town or village where the possession and use is authorized by this permit. However, the permit holder must take the most reasonable direct route between the location of purchase and the location of the permitted use of fireworks indicated on this permit. Remaining in a non-permitted city, village or town for more than 12 hours means you are no longer "transporting" the permitted fireworks.)

**The kind and quantity of fireworks, which may be purchased and used:** \_\_\_\_\_

(Attach list of fireworks or use the back of this form if needed)

**Date and time authorized for the use of the permitted fireworks:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Location (address) of the use of the permitted fireworks:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Special conditions:** The permit holder is required to verify fire conditions (Burning Restrictions) prior to detonation by contacting the Wisconsin Dept. of Natural Resources at 1-888-947-2876 code 66 or via their website at [dnr.wi.gov/forestry/fire](http://dnr.wi.gov/forestry/fire) and click on "View Burning Permit Restrictions". A Business permit holder is required to provide a copy of your Business \$1,000,000 Liability Insurance Policy. A Homeowner permit holder is required to provide a copy of your Homeowners Liability Insurance Policy.

The city, village or town may require an indemnity bond with sufficient sureties or policy of liability insurance for the payment of all claims that may arise by reason of injury to person or property from the handling, use or discharge of fireworks under this permit. The Town of Birchwood, under WI Statutes 167.10(7m) is not held liable for any damages caused by fireworks that this permit was issued for.

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**Permit Holder Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Town of Birchwood Chairperson or Designee**

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

A copy of this permit shall be on file with the Town of Birchwood Clerk/Treasurer. Revised 4/20/2020