

Fire Proofing Contractors

Virginia Beach Fire Dept. Fire Prevention Bureau

The Fire Prevention Bureau is tasked with inspecting new and existing buildings within the City of Virginia Beach. The main focus when performing inspections is life safety and subsequently building/property safety. The objective of fire inspections are to identify and correct fire code violations about fire and life safety.

Flame Spread Prevention

The following list of companies is presented for informational purposes only and is not an endorsement of those companies, their products or their services by the Virginia Beach Fire Department. It is the responsibility of list users to thoroughly check out each vendor and their products and services to determine what best meets the list user's needs for flame retardant products and materials.

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Virginia Scenic
900 Broad St, Portsmouth, VA 23707
(757) 393-2511

F & C Fire Proofing, Inc.
4807 Mercantile Drive
Newport News, VA 23607 (757) 247-5567

Scecon
827 Douglas Ave.
Portsmouth, VA 23707
(757) 399-8636 Toll Free: 1-888-425-4469

Stage Right Lighting/Dr. Bobs
2401 Bowland Pkwy, Virginia Beach, VA, 23454
1-800-791-2035

Rose Brand Theatrical Fabrics, Fabrications & Supplies
www.rosebrand.com 75 Ninth Avenue, 4th
Floor New York, NY 10011 Phone: (212) 242-7554
Toll Free: 1-800-223-1684

N.Y. Fire-Shield Flame Proofing -
www.nyfs.com P.O. Box 7305 Auburn, NY
13021
Phone: (315) 255-1606
Toll Free: 1-800-513-5134

Superior Studio Specialties Decorations
www.superiorstudio.com 2239 South Yates
Avenue Commerce, CA 90040
Phone: (323) 278-0100
Toll Free: 1-800-354-3049

American Flamecoat, Inc.
520 Eagleton Downs Drive, Ste D
Pineville, NC 28134
704-543-0903

Flame Proofing

All curtains, drapes, hangings and other decorative materials suspended from walls or ceilings must be flame resistant.

To facilitate verification that an item described above is flame retardant; the following options may be used:

1. The Certificate of Flame Resistance must indicate the item meets the requirements of either National Fire Protection Association 701 (NFPA 701) and/or the State of California Fire Marshal approved standard for flame proofing (Note: Certificates of Flame Resistance are valid for the time period set by that treating agency, after which time the treatment must be reapplied. Unless the certificate shows an expiration date stating otherwise **or** indicates the treatment cannot be removed when laundered).
2. A tag or label on the item indicating it meets either the NFPA 701 and or/ The State of California Fire Marshal approved standard for flame proofing.
3. Only certificates from a third-party certifier or manufacturer of the product(s) are acceptable. **Treating the item(s) yourself shall no longer be acceptable.**
4. If the occupant believes the material meets flame spread requirements, but no longer has a tag affixed to the product, the occupant may send the material to a third party laboratory that can issue the flame resistance certification upon passing testing procedures.

Painted back-drops/signage utilizing oil based or water based paints, if provided with backing materials must be accompanied by a Certificate of Flame Resistance indicating the item is flame retardant or it must be removed.

Materials used for outdoor ground coverings, such as beauty bark and shredded tires must be accompanied by a Certificate of Flame Resistance indicating the item is flame retardant or it must be removed.

The use of oilcloth, tarpaper, sisal paper, nylon, Orlon and certain other synthetic materials that cannot be made flame resistant is strictly prohibited.

Items which are not accompanied by a valid Certificate of Flame Resistance shall be removed.

