

FIREWORKS FAQs



Are fireworks legal to discharge at my address?

All fireworks discharge is illegal in South County Fire's service area ([map](#)) including the cities of Brier, Edmonds, Lynnwood, Mill Creek, Mountlake Terrace, and unincorporated communities in southwest Snohomish County. Go to [Snohomish Regional Fire & Rescue's](#) interactive map and enter your address to see if your home is in a banned area.

Why are fireworks sold in a banned area?

This year, fireworks sales are still allowed in unincorporated Snohomish County. On May 16, 2024, the Snohomish County Council voted to ban sales and use however the ban on sales won't start until next year per state law.

Who do I call if I have a complaint about fireworks?

- If there is an immediate threat to life or property (someone is injured or to report a fire) call 911.
- If there are no immediate threats, leave phone lines open for emergencies and use the non-emergency number 425-407-3999. If you get a busy signal that indicates that call volumes are taxing the 911 system.

Who enforces the ban?

Law enforcement enforces the ban. Higher than normal call volumes may also limit law enforcement's availability to answer every call. For complaints related to noise or illegal fireworks use, with no threat to life or property, call the non-emergency number. Please have the exact address of your complaint.

What can I do this year to educate my neighbors?

Free Fireworks Banned yard signs will be available for pick up at select stations between June 24-28, *while supplies last*. To find a station near you visit www.southsnofire.org/fireworks.

