

# Franklin Township Fire Prevention

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## Tent / Canopy NJ State Type 1 Permit - \$85.00

Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Applicant:

Business Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

### Request for Fire Safety Permit for:

Tent – enclosed on more than 25% of the sides

Canopy – open on at least 75% of the sides

Tent / Canopy Size            ft. X            ft.

**Note:** Tents/Canopy greater than 140 ft. in any direction, or greater than 16,800 square feet in area, or in use for more than 180 days, or which have a permanent anchoring system, or which are used between December 1<sup>st</sup> and March 31<sup>st</sup>, or contain platforms greater than 11-feet in height, shall require a permit from the Franklin Township Construction Department.

Event location \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Event \_\_\_\_\_

Total number of occupants expected to utilize tent / canopy \_\_\_\_\_

Tent / Canopy will be **used** on / between (dates) \_\_\_\_\_  
and between the hours of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

The Tent / Canopy will be **set up** and ready for inspection on:  
Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_.

Name and phone number of contact / responsible person to be present at  
the time of inspection \_\_\_\_\_.

The following will be used / installed in the tent or canopy:

- Electric Lighting \*
- Electric power (for band or DJ) \*
- Heating Equipment \*
- Platforms, including dance floors
- Tables and chairs (for dining)
- Other (describe) \_\_\_\_\_
- None of the above

**\*Permits are required from the Franklin Township Construction Department**

I hereby acknowledge that I have read this application, that the information given is correct, and that I am the owner, or duly person authorized to act in the owner's behalf and as such hereby agree to comply with the applicable requirements of the Fire Code as best as any specific conditions imposed by the Fire Official.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Name / Title Date

RECEIPT NO. \_\_\_\_\_ DATE PAID \_\_\_\_\_ AMOUNT PAID \_\_\_\_\_  
Cash  Check  CK# \_\_\_\_\_

**This application must be accompanied  
by the following:**

- A site plan showing the location of the tent / canopy in relation to the property lines and other nearby structures.
- A floor plan showing the set up under the tent / canopy; including location and dimensions of tables, platforms or dance floors.
- A copy of the flame certificate from the tent / canopy manufacturer showing the fabric meets the requirements of NFPA 701.
- Fire Extinguishers are required in each tent / canopy. Minimum rating of 2A – 10:BC fire extinguisher for each 3000 square feet and 75 feet travel distance.
- “NO SMOKING” signs required in each tent / canopy.
- Cooking is prohibited in any tent / canopy occupied by the public / guests.

**Note: for tents, the number, location and type of exits must be shown on the floor plan. EXIT signs and emergency lights are required.**