

## **HYDRANT PERMIT REQUIREMENTS**

1. Each hydrant to be used must be identified and approved by Seattle Public Utilities prior to be used.
2. Usage is limited to one (1) hydrant at a time.
3. Fire Department access to the hydrant will not be obstructed.
4. Seattle Public Utilities will inspect and approve all equipment prior to its connection to a fire hydrant.
5. All persons operating a hydrant must obtain instruction on the proper hydrant operation from Seattle Public Utilities.
6. Hydrant permits must be on the possession of hydrant user.
7. Water usage will be estimated or measured as accurately as possible and reported to the Seattle Water Service office. Usage in excess of 8,000 gallons per day will result in additional billing at commercial rates and may result in the cancellation of the hydrant permit and the requirements of a temporary or permanent connection to the water distribution.
8. A hose connected to the fire hydrant any not cross a street unless approved barricades are used to prevent traffic from contacting the hose.
9. This permit is effective only until the expiration date noted. Any subsequence usage is illegal and will be subject to a fine.
10. A double check valve must be attached to the hydrant when in use and must be disconnected when the hydrant is not being used. Only a double check valve may use.
11. When using your own check valve, if your “use per days” are less than designated on your permit, call 684-5800 to cancel. Please have your permit number handy.
12. When using a Seattle Public Utilities check valve, you will forfeit your deposit and be subject to a valve charge if the valve is not returned to our Operations Center by the permit expiration date.
13. Seattle Public Utilities may cancel any fire hydrant permit at any time.

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