



# Blasting Requirements

**NOTIFICATION:** The blaster shall notify Auburn Communications and Inspection Services Department thirty minutes prior to any blast and after the completed blast.

**POST BLAST RECORDS:** An accurate blasting log shall be prepared and maintained for each blast fired, and a true and complete copy of this log shall be kept by the blaster and furnished to the City of Auburn Inspection Services Department within 1 working day. The Building Official may require that the blaster furnish an analysis of any particular blasting log to be prepared by the blaster. Each blasting log shall include, but not be limited to, the following information:

**Auburn Communications**  
334-501-3100 Option 1  
**Inspection Services Department**  
334-501-3170

1. Name and License number of the blaster in charge of the blast.
2. Date and Time of blast.
3. Weather conditions at the time of blast.
4. Location of the blast.
5. Number of blast holes.
6. Spacing and burden of blast holes.
7. Seismographic and air blast records which shall include all of the following:
  - A. Type of instrument and last laboratory calibration date.
  - B. Exact location of instrument and the date, time, and distance from the blast.
  - C. Name of person and firm taking the reading.
  - D. rigger levels from ground and air vibrations.
  - E. The vibration and air blast levels recorded.

**REVOCATION:** After a warning, the Building Official may revoke any permit upon a showing that the permit holder has violated any provision of this ordinance or any requirement or condition of that permit. The Building Official reserves the right to revoke or suspend the permit without a warning if conditions warrant such action. In addition, any permit may be suspended or revoked upon a showing that a condition or conditions exist which warrant such revocation or suspension. The Building Official may restore any permit that has been revoked upon a showing that the condition(s) leading to the revocation has (have) been corrected.

**APPEAL:** Any permit denial, suspension or revocation may be appealed within ten (10) working days and not thereafter, to the Public Safety Director. Any such appeal shall be in writing and shall clearly specify the facts and circumstances warranting issue or reinstatement of the permit. Public Safety Director shall order such issuance or reinstatement only on the appellant's showing that the denial, suspension or revocation complained of was erroneous. The Public Safety Director may also order that appropriate conditions be attached to any permit that it finds should be issued or reinstated.

The information contained within this bulletin is the most common needed to obtain a permit and is not representative of all the conditions that may be encountered during the construction of your project.

It is the responsibility of the permit holder or the permit holder's representative to notify the city when the stages of construction are reached that require an inspection. All inspections need to be requested 24 hours prior by calling Inspection Services at 334-501-3170, 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday – Friday