

Important Rules for Displaying Vehicles and Mobile Units



The following rules apply to any Display Vehicle and Mobile Display units by order of the Washington DC Fire Marshall.

- Vehicles on display must have fuel filler caps locked or sealed to prevent escape of vapors and to avoid tampering.
- Batteries must be disconnected. Auxiliary batteries not connected to engine starting system may be left connected. External chargers are recommended for demonstration purposes.
- **Fuel in the fuel tank or tanks combined (to include reserve tanks) shall not exceed one quarter (1/4) of the tank capacity or five (5) gallons, whichever is less. There will be no exceptions and any vehicle that arrives that exceeds this limit will be refused entry into the show until the vehicle in question has achieved compliance with this regulation.**
- Combustible materials cannot be stored beneath display vehicles. Space beneath vehicles must be clear and visible except for permitted electrical supplies.
- Vehicles in building for unloading must not be left with engine idling. Exhaust gases present extreme hazards to workers on catwalks. If an engine cannot be shut down, the vehicle must be removed from the building as quickly as possible.