



City of Salinas  
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## PRESS RELEASE

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**SUBJECT: City of Salinas Announces Qualified 2025 Fireworks Sales Booth Applicants**

The Salinas Fire Department has completed reviews of 38 applications to enter the fireworks sales booth lottery that will be held on March 14<sup>th</sup>, 2025 at 4:00 PM in the Rotunda, 200 Lincoln Avenue, Salinas 93901. The following applicants have qualified for the drawing:

**High School:**

Alisal High School Booster Club  
Everett Alvarez High School Athletics Booster Club  
Mount Toro High School  
North Salinas High School Athletic Booster Club

Notre Dame High School  
Palma High School  
Rancho San Juan High School Booster Club  
Salinas High School Boosters

**Schools:**

El Gabilan Elementary  
Kammann PTO  
Lincoln Elementary School  
Oasis Charter Public School (Under Construction Edu Network)

Madonna Del Sasso  
Sacred Heart School  
Sherwood School

**Youth Organizations:**

Alisal Eagles FC  
CHP 730 Squad Club  
Gil Basketball Academy  
Jeanne Robinson Dance Arts Boosters

Monterey Condors Club  
Salinas Atlantic Little League  
Salinas Colts and Broncos Football and Cheer  
Salinas Salad Bowl Bobby Sox

**Community Organizations:**

Ariel Theatrical  
Confidence Pregnancy Center  
Salinas Alisal Rotary

RV4 Boxing Academy  
831 Pawdyguard Rescue  
Unity Care Group

**Religious, Fraternal, Service Organization:**

Awaken Church  
Family and Faith Ministries of CA-Celebration Church  
Saint Paul San Pablo Episcopal Church

Salinas Upper Room Church/Pentecostal Communion  
The Rock of Salinas  
Victory Outreach

Salinas Division Chief and Fire Marshal Christopher Knapp stated, “The City will select from among the qualified applicants using a lottery draw. Out of the 18 fireworks stands allowed, up to 12 will be for schools or school organizations.” Priority will be given to:

- (1) Schools or school organizations, with preference to high schools
- (2) Youth sports and activities
- (3) Community Organizations, and
- (4) Religious and fraternal, service and veterans’ organizations.