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2019 Department of Mutant Vehicles Application

Intro

Before You Proceed

Please review the [DMV section of the Burning Man website](#).

Read the Mutant Vehicle Criteria carefully to make sure your project meets the criteria.

Questions can be sent to dmv@burningman.org.

Burning Man Mutant Vehicle Application

Thank you for wanting to share a Mutant Vehicle with the Burning Man community at Black Rock City. Getting your MV driving around on the playa is a three-stage process:

1. Mutant Vehicle registrant completes a Mutant Vehicle application.
2. The Department of Mutant Vehicles reviews the application and if we determine the vehicle sufficiently meets all of the criteria, issues an invitation via email to bring the Mutant Vehicle to Burning Man.
3. The registrant brings the Mutant Vehicle to the DMV kiosk at Burning Man to undergo an on-playa inspection to make sure the intent of the application was carried out. If the intent was met and there are no criteria or safety concerns, the DMV issues a license to allow the vehicle to be driven at Burning Man.

You must apply online. No mailed-in applications will be accepted. This Web form should take you about 30 minutes to complete; less if your vehicle is fairly simple in its construction and implementation (i.e. a single layer, no trailers, lasers or flame effects).

Remember, the information you include in this application determines whether you are approved to bring your vehicle to the playa.

When filling out this application, please remember:

The DMV needs you to give us a complete picture of your vehicle, including the following:

- A description of the vehicle's mutation (explain how you built it)
- Photographs or design images that show us what it does, or what it will look like both during the day and at night (if applying for both day and night licenses)
- Information about whether your vehicle has flame or laser effects and additional safety and operating plans

When answering these questions it is important to put your best foot forward! The more information you provide, i.e. the better the pictures and the more complete your description of the final vehicle, the better chance you will have to get approved for playa inspection.

If your vehicle is invited, the completed project must match what you submitted in this application in order to be licensed on playa. If you bring something that doesn't match what you present here, it may be denied a license at Burning Man and will have to stay parked at camp during the event.

Many participants have found it useful to print a copy of this application to review before filling out the online application. We have provided a [PDF version](#) of the Mutant Vehicle Application for this purpose. *Note that you must still fill out an application online!*

When filling out the application, you will be asked to share the following well-thought-out information:

- We need a detailed description, in text, of how your Mutant Vehicle was built. Tell us about the physical construction of and/or changes to the vehicle: what you added, what you took off, how you did it, and the overall description of what you have created. We normally expect 1-3 paragraphs covering materials, methods, etc. For example:
 - "[Mutant Vehicle Name] started out as a [base vehicle]. We removed [elements 1, 2, and 3] from the vehicle and added [niftything] made out of [stuff] and some [otherstuff]. We then added XXX, YYY and ZZZ to complete the mutation."
 - "We built [Mutant Vehicle Name] from scratch. We did not start with a preexisting vehicle. We used tubular steel to create a frame and mounted a 250cc engine and drivetrain from a Honda 550 motorcycle to power the vehicle. We then added custom steel fabricated sheathing to complete the mutation."
- Image Upload: 2-5 photographs or, if your vehicle is not yet to the point where a picture will clearly show what you are bringing to Burning Man, 2-5 design sketches of your vehicle.
 - File size limit: 1MB

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- Accepted Formats: JPEG, PNG or GIF
- Images should show both day and night time appearance of the vehicle (If applying for both day and night licenses).
- Night images should clearly show lighting/lighting plan.
- If you have additional photographs or videos you want us to consider we recommend that you post these on a webpage or photo sharing site that does not require a username/password to access the pictures, such as Flickr.com. One advantage of using a site like Flickr is that you can continue to add pictures as your work on the vehicle progresses. (Note that the DMV will only review images up until the point when we complete our review of your application).
- DO NOT SUBMIT FACEBOOK LINKS – Facebook photos require a facebook login, and the DMV will not review images posted that require a login.
- We need images that show the entirety of the vehicle (front, side, and rear).
- In terms of design images, what would be most helpful would be detailed drawings and accompanying text labels that accurately represent what the final vehicle will look like.
- Examples:
 - [Example 1](#)
 - [Example 2](#)
- The goal is to have design images that gives us the clearest idea of what you are creating and how the final vehicle will look when you bring it for your on-playa inspection.
- Intent: What do you wish to share with the community as a result of bringing your vehicle to Burning Man?
- Team: You may be required to provide contact information for a some key roles for your Mutant Vehicle team. It is possible that you, as the questionnaire filler, may in fact hold all of these roles. However, if not, be sure that you have all of their contact information on hand and have consulted with each of them before beginning.
 - Safety Coordinator
 - Leave No Trace Coordinator
 - Fire Safety Coordinator
- Fire: You'll need to describe, in detail, any flame effects that your vehicle uses. You'll also be required to submit a thorough Fire Safety Plan and provide contact information for a designated Fire Safety Coordinator, so be sure to have that ready before you begin.
- Sound: we need complete information about any sound system you may have on the vehicle.
- Safety: A clear indication of the safety considerations you are implementing. Include a fuel spill response plan if your vehicle runs on liquid fuels (gasoline, diesel, etc.).
For more guidelines, visit the [Fuel and Hazmat Storage](#) page.

Please be aware that:

- This application does not guarantee a Mutant Vehicle license. First your vehicle must be invited by the DMV to Burning Man and then your vehicle must pass an on-playa inspection before a license will be granted.
- Submitting this application means that, if granted a Mutant Vehicle license, you agree to abide by all of the driving rules and community guidelines in effect at Burning Man.
- After you submit your application, you will receive a confirmation email from the BRC DMV indicating that your preliminary application has been received. This does not indicate anything other than receipt of your application. It in no way implies that you will receive a license. Keep this email as proof that you submitted your application. If you do not receive an email within 90 minutes of submitting your application, contact us at dmv@burningman.org.
- After you submit your application the DMV will review it -- this may take several weeks.
 - You will then receive an email from the DMV stating that your Mutant Vehicle has either been invited, which means you may bring it to the event (where licensing is subject to its on-playa inspection), or not, which means we will ask you to not bring your vehicle to Burning Man.
 - If you have not received a status email from the DMV by June 1st, please email us at dmv@burningman.org.
- In order to enter Black Rock City with your Mutant Vehicle, you MUST bring a printout of the invitation email mentioned in the bullet point above. This letter will be requested at the Gate when entering Black Rock City, and again at the DMV when you come in for licensing. You will not be allowed to bring your Mutant Vehicle into Black Rock City without this.

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Driving Rules In Black Rock City

Please Read the [Vehicle Rules and Protocols page](#) on the DMV Website before continuing.

About DMV Staff

DMV Staff are volunteers and work diligently to help Mutant Vehicle creators successfully bring their vehicles to the Playa. Please treat them with respect, even if your vehicle is denied for a license.

About Trailers

All trailers will require a separate license sticker from the Department of Mutant Vehicles (You do not need to apply for them separately, but you DO need to include images and descriptions of your trailer in this application).

Operating an unlicensed trailer constitutes grounds for revocation of your Mutant Vehicle license. If operating at night, trailers and hitches must comply with the RADICAL illumination policy. Trailers are our biggest cause of injury, please keep this in mind when designing and operating them.

Mutant Vehicles with trailers may have blind spots between the vehicle and the trailer, so we require that there be a barrier against boarding in this zone:

This barrier must have a minimum height of no more than 12 inches from the playa surface and a maximum height that is either equal to the maximum height of the Mutant Vehicle (this is intended to accommodate very low vehicles) OR no less than 36 inches above the playa surface. The barrier must be in place before the vehicle moves and must remain in place at all times when the vehicle is in motion.

See [our criteria and licensing info page](#) for more information about trailers.

About Sound

Sound on MVs is a big responsibility. Please know the BRC MV Sound Policy, and be respectful of others around you.

About Laser and Flame Effects

If your Mutant Vehicle is equipped with ANY type of Laser Effect (LE) or Flame Effect (FE) it must be inspected BEFORE you can operate these effects within Black Rock City.

The Laser Art Safety Team (LAST) and Fire Arts Safety Team (FAST) will conduct vehicle inspections in "Salem's Lot" between 2 and 6 pm every day the DMV is open except Saturday (Burn Night) to inspect and approve Laser and Flame effects mounted on Mutant Vehicles.

If your Mutant Vehicle incorporates Flame Effects, the following rules and guidelines apply:

- Tiki torches, candles or liquid fuel-based Flame Effects are not to be used as high winds may cause spillage of liquid fuel or wax, creating a hazardous situation.
- The use of wood fires or burn barrels on Mutant Vehicles is not allowed. Weather conditions change quickly on the Playa, and fires of this type spread sparks and are not easy to extinguish in case of high winds or accident.
- No fireworks or pyrotechnics. All fireworks are prohibited in our event stipulations with the BLM and present a significant fire hazard within the camping areas.
- It is required that all Mutant Vehicles incorporating pressurized fuels include an emergency shut-off, such as a quarter-turn ball valve within reach of the driver or flame effects operator in case of weather changes or other emergency.
- All fuel sources and fuel lines must be within the vehicle and not exposed to collision on the exterior of the vehicle. A severed fuel line or crushed propane tank would be an extreme fire hazard.
- All approved fire must be well above head height. Cloth flags, stilts, tall Mutant Vehicles as well as flammable costumes are all reasons to keep the fire safely above the participants.
- All Mutant Vehicles' Effects must have appropriate fire extinguishers, within reach, that are up to date and in working order. The minimum requirement is at least one 5 LB 3A: 40BC rated fire extinguisher.

About Fuel

- No Extra Fuel on board. For the safety of passengers and crews, Mutant Vehicles may not carry extra liquid fuel. Portable gas cans are not to be carried on Mutant Vehicles unless the vehicle is traveling between the fueling station and camp.
- As per BLM regulations, no more than 110 gallons of fuel may be stored within a camp at any time.

BRC Fuel Program

- Registering to obtain fuel onsite and planning for fuel usage will reduce the amount of fuel you need to transport and store.
- Transporting and storing the minimum amount of fuel necessary reduces safety risks as each point of transfer is a risk of spill, fire or worse.
- Registration for the BRC Fuel program will be open until end of day June 15, 2019. Late registrations will not be accepted.

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- Not sure exactly how much fuel you will need? No worries, we are only asking for your best estimate to help us determine how much fuel we will need to secure for this year's event. You can also ask us for your account breakdown from last year, just email petrol@burningman.org. Once registered, further information will be emailed to you to finish setting up your account.
- Mutant Vehicles: Mutant Vehicles may fill-up at the Hell Station during normal hours of operation.
- More info on [the BRC Fuel Program page](#).

About Steam Powered vehicles

If your Mutant Vehicle has a steam boiler, the following rules and restrictions apply:

- Vehicles with steam boilers will be considered on a case-by-case basis.
- All steam boilers are required to have an ASME certified steam safety valve AND a pressure gauge with current calibration certificate.
- Registrants of steam powered vehicles must indicate the type of boiler being used, provide a complete plumbing schematic, and include detailed calculations indicating boiler capacity, rate and operating pressure.

Your Agreement with Burning Man:

If not granted a license:

- I will treat the DMV Hotties with respect.
- I agree to park my Mutant Vehicle at my camp and not operate it during the course of the Burning Man event.

If granted a license:

- I agree to follow all Driving Rules in Black Rock City.
- I agree to follow the sound guidelines set forth at Black Rock City.
- I agree to drive no faster than 5 mph, and to slow down if I am creating dust.
- I agree to give the right of way to pedestrians, bicyclists and emergency vehicles.
- I will not drive on designated pedestrian walkways.
- I will be sober when operating this vehicle.
- I understand that I am responsible for the Mutant Vehicle, even if I am not driving it at the time of an offense.
- I agree to assume full responsibility for any and all injuries or damage caused by the operation of this Mutant Vehicle.
- I agree to the terms and conditions regarding trailers.

I understand that failure to respect and follow these simple guidelines can result in one or more of the following:

- Revocation of my Mutant Vehicle's license
- Ejection of my Mutant Vehicle from the event (you would be required to take the vehicle off-playa)
- Fines
- Ejection of you and/or the Vehicle Driver from the event without refund

I understand that following these guidelines can result in one or more of the following:

- Fun and enjoyment for me and all those that interact with my Mutant Vehicle
- A safe experience for me, those on my vehicle, and those that are around my vehicle
- The best Burning Man experience I have ever had

I hereby expressly agree to indemnify, defend, and forever hold harmless, Black Rock City LLC, Burning Man, their respective officers, directors, employees, agents, representatives, contractors, assigns, parents and subsidiaries, from and against any and all claims whatsoever, occurring or resulting in connection with the use or presence of my Mutant Vehicle at Burning Man.

I Have Read and Understand the Above Information, including the information on external links, and Agree to these Conditions.*

* Please note: This is a preliminary agreement. Before receiving an official license, you must complete and sign the official DMV Terms of Use Agreement, which contains additional information. This will be completed on the playa once your vehicle has been inspected.

I Agree

Mutant Vehicle Information

Additional Responsible Parties

We recognize that, at times, there are multiple parties associated with a vehicle.

Are you, (the registrant), the person who has the main responsibility for this vehicle on playa? If you are unavailable, who else will be responsible for this vehicle and it's operation?

Please list up to two additional responsible parties below. If this information isn't available at the time of registration, we ask that you

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update us when it is by emailing dmv@burningman.org.

If you (the registrant) are the sole person to be held responsible for this vehicle, it's not necessary to list your name.

1st Additional Responsible Party: Name

1st Additional Responsible Party: Playa Name

1st Additional Responsible Party: Email*

2nd Additional Responsible Party: Name

2nd Additional Responsible Party: Playa Name

2nd Additional Responsible Party: Email*

Mutant Vehicle Name*

What is the name of the Mutant Vehicle you are pre-registering?

Mutant Vehicle Short Description*

Please give a short (one line) description of your vehicle.

Mutant Vehicle URL

If you have images of your vehicle on the web, please include that URL here. Make sure that the page you submit links directly to where you have posted your vehicle pictures. Do not use a site where you must register or log in to view the pictures—No Facebook links.

We recommend a site like Flickr, and also suggest that you continue to post photos up if you are in the build process so that we can see your progress.

Please include <http://> and enter the URL with all lower case letters.

New or Returning Vehicle*

Is this vehicle:

- A new vehicle being built
- A returning vehicle being modified
- A returning vehicle EXACTLY the same as it was in previous years

Years at Burning Man*

Please check the years that this vehicle has been at Burning Man.

Previous Mutant Vehicle Names

Please share any other names this vehicle has been known by.

Was this Mutant Vehicle built by someone else?*

- Yes
- No

Who built or is providing this Mutant Vehicle to you for use at Burning Man?*

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Please provide the person's email address*

Are you the owner of this vehicle?*

Yes

No

Will you be bringing this vehicle yourself?*

Yes

No

Do you plan to rent this vehicle to someone else?*

Yes

No

If you plan to rent this vehicle to someone else, please read the following information:

- [Arranging Deliveries at Burning Man](#)
- [Outside Service Providers at Burning Man](#)

Prior Mutant Vehicle Experience*

Have you had a Mutant Vehicle at Burning Man before?

Yes

No

Prior Mutant Vehicle Information*

For any vehicles you have brought in the past, please list:

- Vehicle Name
 - Year
 - Your specific role in the project
 - Whether you led or assisted; what you were responsible for
-

About the Vehicle's Mutation*

What makes this a Mutant Vehicle?

Tell us about the physical construction of and/or changes to the vehicle: what you added, what you took off, how you did it, and the overall description of what you have created. We normally expect a minimum of 1-3 paragraphs covering materials, methods, etc.

Example:

"[Mutant Vehicle Name] started out as a [base vehicle]. We removed [elements 1, 2, and 3] from the vehicle and added [niftything] made out of [stuff] and some [otherstuff]. We then added XXX, YYY and ZZZ to complete the mutation."

Mutant Vehicle Intent*

Why are you creating this vehicle and bringing it to Burning Man? What experience are you intending to create for people? What do you want to share with the community by bringing this Mutant Vehicle to Burning Man? How, if in any way, does your vehicle fit with the current year's theme?

Example:

"We built our Mutant Vehicle to share both our art and our community with the citizens of Black Rock City. We wanted to create something visually stimulating both day and night, as well as provide rides and beverages to dusty travelers. Our camp has three shifts of folks who man the vehicle day and night, and traverse the city and open playa, giving rides to any and all, along with ice cold beverages to help keep people hydrated. We reconfigure our vehicle every year to try to match the theme in some way. This year we will be adding ritual symbols and miniature shrines on the vehicle representing the different cultures of members of our camp to reflect the Radical Ritual theme."

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About License Types:

1. Licensed Mutant Vehicles may receive a day license, a night license, or both, depending on the vehicle.
2. Mutant Vehicles granted night licenses must be RADICALLY illuminated, as noted at the beginning of this application.
3. Mutant Vehicles will be licensed for driving either on the open playa only, or for driving on the playa and on the streets of Black Rock City (except the designated pedestrian/street walkways). This is dependent on the vehicle's size and turning radius.
4. Night licenses do not automatically imply a day license. You must specify both if you want both.

Day License*

Are you applying for a day license?

- Yes
 No

Night License*

Are you applying for a night license?

- Yes
 No

If you are applying for a night license, you MUST include at least two photos/design images showing the vehicle at night with lighting.

This is required in order for your application to be reviewed.

Lighting Plans

Describe how this vehicle will be illuminated at night. Remember, in order to receive a night license, your vehicle must be RADICALLY illuminated. Please be as specific as you can about the type of lighting, number of lights, and the lighting intent.

Example:

"The vehicle's lighting is intended to give the impression of a vehicle that is on fire, without using actual flame. In addition to head lights and tail lights, the vehicle is radically illuminated by over 1500 WS2812 LED's. Along the front, sides and rear of the vehicle are programmable LED lighting arrays that simulate flames traveling up the sides of the vehicle. LED's also frame the outline of the entire vehicle, and accent trim areas. Finally, there is also undercarriage LED lighting for a glowing ground effect."

Street Legal*

Is this vehicle street legal?

- Yes
 No

Vehicle License Number

If so, please give the license plate number of the vehicle.

State of license

If so, please enter the state the vehicle is licensed in. If the vehicle is not licensed in the the US, select N/A.

Vehicle Height*

How tall is the vehicle?

Provide all measurements in feet.

Please round up to the nearest whole foot.

Vehicle Length*

How long is the vehicle?

Provide all measurements in feet.

Please round up to the nearest whole foot.

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Vehicle Width*

How wide is the vehicle?

Provide all measurements in feet.

Please round up to the nearest whole foot.

If your vehicle is more than 13 feet wide or more than 22 feet long, please read [this information](#) about "Playa-Only" licensed vehicles at Burning Man.

Frame Base*

What is the frame based on (Honda Civic, John Deere Tractor, Scratch-built)?

Frame Year*

What year was the frame/chassis built?

Capacity*

Including the driver, how many people can this vehicle safely carry?

- | | | |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1-4 | <input type="checkbox"/> 41-50 | <input type="checkbox"/> 91-100 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 5-10 | <input type="checkbox"/> 51-60 | <input type="checkbox"/> 101-500 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 11-20 | <input type="checkbox"/> 61-70 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 21-30 | <input type="checkbox"/> 71-80 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 31-40 | <input type="checkbox"/> 81-90 | |

Art Tours

Are you willing to participate in art tours on playa with the Artery?

- Yes
 No

Art Tour Contact Info

May we share your contact information with the organizers of the art tours?

Willingness to participate in art tours does not guarantee an invitation for you to bring your vehicle to the playa, or acceptance of your vehicle on the playa.

- Yes
 No

Burn Area Imprecise Transit (BAIT) Signup

In an effort to allow more citizens of Black Rock City to be able to experience a ride on a Mutant Vehicle, we are inviting Mutant Vehicles to join Burn Area Imprecise Transit (BAIT).

BAIT participation is simple, doesn't require an extensive commitment and is a great way to share your Mutant Vehicle with your fellow Black Rock Citizens.

We are looking for 90-120 Mutant Vehicles to sign up for 2 shifts, each taking 60-90 minutes along a pre-determined route through Black Rock City.

Please indicate below if you would be interested in participating in BAIT. If your vehicle is invited for this year, the DMV will contact you with more information.

Are you interested in participating in BAIT?*

- Yes
 No

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About Trailers:

1. Trailers are licensed separately from the Mutant Vehicle. Each trailer will have its own license sticker and can be towed only by the vehicle it was licensed with. Towing vehicles MUST also be mutant vehicles able to pass their own inspection independently of the trailers they are pulling.
2. If your vehicle's trailers are deemed unsafe, they will not be licensed. In most cases, this should not affect the ability of your Mutant Vehicle to be licensed, as long as the vehicle meets all of the licensing criteria.
3. Driving a licensed Mutant Vehicle with an unlicensed trailer is cause for revocation of the Mutant Vehicle license, and possible impound of the vehicle.
4. For Mutant Vehicles with trailers that are applying for night licenses, in addition to the RADICAL illumination required of the Mutant Vehicle, the trailer AND THE HITCH must be radically illuminated as well.
5. Mutant Vehicles with trailers may have blind spots between the vehicle and the trailer, so must include a barrier against boarding in this zone.
6. This barrier must have a minimum height of no more than 12 inches from the playa surface and a maximum height that is either equal to the maximum height of the Mutant Vehicle (this is intended to accommodate very low vehicles) OR no less than 36 inches above the playa surface. The barrier must be in place before the vehicle moves and must remain in place at all times when the vehicle is in motion.

See our [criteria and licensing info page](#) for examples of valid trailer barriers.

Number of Trailers*

How many trailers does your vehicle use?

- None 3 More than 5
 1 4
 2 5

Trailer Description*

Please provide a description of how the trailer(s) integrate into the design of your mutant vehicle.

Levels*

Does your vehicle have more than one level?

- Yes
 No

Level Description

How many levels does your vehicle have? Please describe the number of levels, the method of moving from one level to another, and the safety considerations involved.

Note: If your vehicle has more than one level, any stairs and upper levels MUST have a secure safety railing.

About Sound

The DMV has developed a sound policy to help guide those with large sound systems. Please read the [sound policy](#) before continuing.

Sound System*

Does your vehicle have a sound system?

- Yes
 No

Sound System Wattage*

How many watts is the sound system? Please enter a whole number.

How big is your system? *

Note: All dB levels refer to maximum potential DBA.

- Normal car stereo or Average living room (under 90 dB at 30 ft)
 Dance Club or Theatre (90 dB and up at under 100ft)
 Arena, stadium (100 dB or more at 100ft or more)

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Sound System Description*

Please describe the system (speaker brand, number of tops, number of subs, size of each, brand and wattage of all amps, and estimated maximum dB output).

Sound Impact Remediation*

Please describe your plan for limiting the sound system's impact on others who may not want to hear it.

Bar*

Does your vehicle have a beverage bar?

Yes

No

Standing Passengers*

Are people allowed to stand while the vehicle is in motion?

Yes

No

Operating Procedures

In order to be eligible for a Mutant Vehicle license, you must demonstrate to the DMV that you have given serious thought to how to safely operate your vehicle during Burning Man.

- Anyone striking a member of the community with their vehicle may have their license revoked, and may face legal consequences.
- Describe the procedures and policies that you have developed and will follow to safely operate your Mutant Vehicle on the Playa. The more complex and grand your Mutant Vehicle, the more thorough and detailed your answer should be.
- Please cover any pertinent areas that can be problematic or are related to vehicle safety such as moving between levels; dealing with blind spots; starting and stopping your Mutant Vehicle; the location of safety equipment such as first aid kits and fire extinguishers; passenger rules; vehicle crew job descriptions; dealing with difficult passengers, etc.

Note: The DMV is requesting your procedures for people entering and exiting your Mutant Vehicle in the next question, so they need not be covered here.

Operating Procedures*

What are the operating procedures for this vehicle?

Enter/Exit Procedures*

Describe the ways in which people can get on and off of the vehicle.

Propulsion Type *

How is your Mutant Vehicle powered? Please describe the type of engine, and the fuel source. Is the drive train stock or custom? Is the power source green or renewable in any way?

How much fuel do you expect your Mutant Vehicle to consume on the Playa this year?*

Please answer in Gallons and round up to the nearest Gallon. Please enter digits only, no letters or special characters.

Additional Team Members

How many people does it take to operate this vehicle at one time?*

Please indicate the number of people required to operate the vehicle in one instance.

We are not asking for the total number of vehicle operators in your camp.

For example, if you have 5 drivers and 10 spotters in your camp, but it only takes 1 driver and 2 spotters to operate at one time, you should list 3.

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Please enter a numeric value only.

Safety Coordinator's Name*

Safety Coordinator's Playa Name

Safety Coordinator's Email*

Leave No Trace Coordinator's Name*

Leave No Trace Coordinator's Playa Name

Leave No Trace Coordinator's Email*

Listing Information

Data Listed Publicly?*

Would you like your Mutant Vehicle's data included in public listings? These listings may include, but not necessarily be limited to: Burning Man Website and the Burning Man API (which allows artists and developers to create their own applications with publicly available data). Listing information may include: name of vehicle registrant, vehicle name, vehicle description, vehicle URL, public email (optional), and an image of the vehicle.

- Listed
 Unlisted

Public Email

If you have checked "Listed" on the Data Listed Publicly question above and would like a public email displayed, please include it below (we will not display your email used for registration unless you re-enter it here).

Web Description

Please describe your Mutant Vehicle in your own words (200 words or less) for publication on our website.

Vehicle Hometown*

Please enter the hometown or home base of the vehicle for publication on our website.

Vehicle Safety

Safety

Design Safety*

How did you consider safety when designing this vehicle? Please describe the safety considerations you are making in relation to the physical structure of your vehicle. This includes, but is not limited to, any railings, stairs, ladders, trailers, control wiring, electrical grounding, or multiple levels that are a part of your vehicle, as well as your vehicle's load capacity and braking system. Please attempt to strike a balance between thorough and concise.

Does your Mutant Vehicle have a steam boiler of any type?*

If this box is checked, the Fire Art Safety Team will contact you to discuss the design details of your system.

- Yes
 No

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Are you using lasers on your mutant vehicle?*

Yes

No

Lasers at Burning Man

Burning Man requires all lasers to be aimed above eye level. Please be sure to read our [laser guidelines](#). If you have laser-related questions, or if you would like to submit a more detailed laser plan, please contact us at lasers@burningman.org.

Who will be responsible for the safe usage of lasers on your Mutant Vehicle?*

Please list first and last name.

Laser Contact's Playa Name

Laser Contact's Email*

Laser Description and Safety Measures*

Please describe the quantity and class of the laser(s) you would like to use, and your plan for the safety measures you will put in place to safely manage their use. We will discuss your plan with the laser safety contact designated above.

About Fire and Mutant Vehicles

If your Mutant Vehicle incorporates Flame Effects, you should be aware of several items.

1. No tiki torches, candles, fire barrels or liquid-fueled Flame Effects.
2. No Pyrotechnics, including fireworks.
3. It is absolutely required that all Mutant Vehicles incorporating pressurized fuels include an emergency shut-off, such as a quarter-turn ball valve, within easy reach of both the driver and the flame effects operator.
4. All approved fire must be above head height (10 feet).

Flame Effects*

Will your project include the use of any Flame Effects? This includes a project as simple as propane torches or any fires that are automated, switched, pressurized or having any other action than simply being lit on fire.

Note that liquid-fueled Flame Effects are prohibited on Mutant Vehicles.

Yes

No

Combustibles*

Will you be storing combustible or flammable fuels (including fuel for propulsion of the vehicle), such as gasoline, kerosene, LP-Gas (propane), oxygen, etc., in the camp where your Mutant Vehicle is based?

(This information is for fire prevention only and is confidential.)

Yes

No

PETROL Department: BRC Fuel Safety Program

One of the ways you can help us protect the playa is by storing as little fuel as possible in your camp. Each point of transfer is a risk of spill, fire or worse. One option to improve safety is to have generators filled daily by the PETROL team rather than storing fuel in your camp and filling equipment yourself.

There are two ways to participate in the program – by delivery to your camp, or by pickup at Hell Station, which is located at 10:00 & L.

Dyed diesel is available for delivery to theme camps with large, diesel-powered generators that will take 20 gallons or more per delivery. If you have a small generator, or one that runs on gasoline, you can fill up your CARB and EPA certified fuel containers at the Hell Station and transport them back to your camp.

Learn more about the program on the [PETROL website](#).

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Would you like to register for the BRC Fuel Program?*

If you answer yes, the Petrol Department will contact you by email (at the email address in your Burner Profile) with information on the program.

- Yes
 No

Work Access and Camp Information

How many people are required to prep/build/assemble this vehicle on-playa?*

Early Admission | Work Access Passes | Camp Placement

As some Mutant Vehicles require assembly after they arrive at Black Rock City, Burning Man makes available Work Access Passes (WAPs) for those people bringing those vehicles requiring assembly on-playa. The number of WAPs is limited; the DMV only provides WAPs for the number of MV Team members who are essential for the vehicle assembly, and for set up of a small camp to support those building the vehicle.

If you are requesting Work Access Passes, we strongly recommend you join a theme camp or register your own Mutant Vehicle support camp with the Placement Team. Upon approval, Placement gives you an assigned reserved space for your camp. The DMV does not provide placement, but works with the Placement Team to assist Mutant Vehicle teams that are not part of established villages or theme camps in acquiring placement.

Main camp setup or other functions not directly related to Mutant Vehicle prep are not considerations for these WAPs. If your request is approved, you will need both your Burning Man ticket and your Work Access bar code to enter the event.

REMEMBER: Everyone who is at the event before the gates open to the public is there to *work*. The DMV grants Work Access Passes specifically and only for working on (re)assembling your Mutant Vehicle and related support. Please limit your requests to the *minimum* number of core people required to get your vehicle up and running for the event, for the smallest reasonable amount of time necessary.

If you have any questions please e-mail dmv@burningman.org. Please make sure to put "MV Work Access question" in the subject line.

Describe Tasks*

Please provide a DETAILED description of the tasks required to (re)assemble your vehicle, the amount of time each task will take, and how many people are required for each specific task.

For example:

"Unload MV and materials from trailer – 3 hours – 5 people", "Attach skin panels to MV – 4 hours – 3 people", etc.

Number of Work Access Passes*

How many Work Access Passes are you requesting in total? Note that this full number may not be approved.

Arrival Day*

What day would you like your Work Access to be for? (WAPs are valid from the date specified ONWARD, so if people will be arriving on different days, please choose the earliest day so everyone is covered)

Choose a day between Monday (6 Days before the event opens) and Saturday (1 Day before the event opens).

WILL CALL OPENS at NOON ON THE MONDAY BEFORE the event opens (during Build Week). There are no exceptions, so please make sure your build crew has their tickets in hand if they plan to arrive before then.

- Monday, 6 days before the event opens
 Tuesday, 5 days before the event opens
 Wednesday, 4 days before the event opens
 Thursday, 3 days before the event opens
 Friday, 2 days before the event opens
 Saturday, 1 day before the event opens

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Reserved Placement | Mutant Vehicle Camp Information

Burning Man reserves a portion of Black Rock City for Camps and Villages that have applied for and been approved for [reserved placement](#).

If you are applying for Work Access Passes and to arrive early, we STRONGLY suggest you apply for Placement as this will help you avoid having to search for available space in the "Open Camping" areas [outside] of the reserved spaces.

If you are not part of a theme camp or village that is already requesting placement, you may apply for placement as a Mutant Vehicle Camp.

Criteria for Mutant Vehicle Camp registration:

1. You must fill out *BOTH* a Mutant Vehicle Application with the DMV *AND* a Placed Camp Questionnaire with Placement. These forms must both be submitted by their respective deadlines.
2. Your Mutant Vehicle must be invited by the DMV and you must receive Work Access Passes from the DMV for early site access to the event. Placement checks directly with the DMV after they issue Mutant Vehicle invitations to ensure this is the case.
3. Mutant Vehicle Camps must be neighborly. This includes keeping sound within set limits, controlling where camp generators vent exhaust, and easily resolving any boundary disputes that arise.
4. Mutant Vehicle Camps must have a good previous MOOP record (for returning camps).
5. Mutant Vehicle Camps must follow safety protocols designed by the organization, including traffic management on the streets, proper handling of fuels, and any other areas defined by the organization's production team.

As noted above, your Mutant Vehicle Application is separate from your Placement Questionnaire. You will need to fill out a Placement Questionnaire to be considered for Mutant Vehicle Camp placement.

The DMV and Placement work together to try to place mutant vehicle camps in appropriate locations (access to streets/the open playa).

Mutant Vehicle camps should be proportional to the size of the vehicle.

Land-grabbing in open camping is a violation of the terms of your Work Access Passes. Violating Placement guidelines (deliberately wrong camp category, leaving moop, land grabbing, complaints from neighbors, etc.) as a placed Mutant Vehicle camp can jeopardize not only your placement in future years, but potentially your Mutant Vehicle licensing in future years.

The Placement camp questionnaire is due on the last Thursday of April at Noon Pacific Time. You can fill out the questionnaire [here](#). The questionnaire includes questions about your camp infrastructure and preferred camp location in BRC. Register before the deadline and Placement will work with us later to confirm your Mutant Vehicle has been invited and received WAPs from the DMV.

Do you plan to request reserved camping?*

- No, we don't want reserved camping
- Yes, we are part of a registered/registering Theme Camp/Village
- Yes, we are part of a registered/registering Mutant Vehicle Camp

Camp Name*

Please tell us the name of your camp.

If you will be applying for camp placement, please enter the name exactly as it will appear on the Placed Camp Questionnaire.

Camp Lead Name*

Who is the lead contact for your camp?

Camp Lead Email*

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Please describe, in general, your camping plans for this year. What kind of camp infrastructure are you setting up?*

How many people will be in your camp?*

Please save this information or you can refer to it later in your email receipt of this application.

When you fill out your Camp Placement Questionnaire, please only request a camp of this maximum size or smaller. If you request a larger camp, the Placement Team may deny your request per the DMV. If your camp will have multiple Mutant Vehicles, you may combine the number of campmates from each vehicle to know your total camp size.

Are there any additional factors you wish for the DMV to consider related to your approved camp size?

Prior Year Camp Information

Were you part of a camp last year that was placed by the Placement Team or did you camp in open camping?*

- | | |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Placed Theme Camp | <input type="checkbox"/> None, this is my first time at the event or I didn't attend last year |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Placed Mutant Vehicle Camp | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other placed camp | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Open camping | |

Prior Year Camp Name*

What was the name of your camp last year?

Mutant Vehicle File Upload

ATTENTION! If you do not have your final Vehicle Image ready to upload or if you are on a mobile device, please Save and Continue at the top of this page and come back later to complete your application on a computer.

NOTE: No application is complete until we have received your images.

Vehicle Image

A diagram, drawing, or plan for the Mutant Vehicle and any trailers must be submitted. These should be as complex as your design requires and are meant to be complements to the description. With both the description and these plans the DMV should have a crystal clear picture of your intent.

If you have indicated that you want your info listed publicly, and if your vehicle is licensed by the DMV, the image(s) you upload may be included in public listings on the Burning Man website and beyond.

If you are applying for a night license, you MUST include at least two photos or design images showing the vehicle at night with lighting.

This is required in order for your application to be reviewed.

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Image Upload*

In order for us to get a good sense of what you are creating, we need to see what it looks like. Please upload a photo or sketch of your vehicle.

- File Type: JPG, PNG or GIF
- File size limit: 1MB
- Remove spaces from your filenames
- Try to limit file names to 20 characters
- You must have JavaScript enabled. If you need help with that, see: enable-javascript.com.

You may load up to 5 images to your application.

Work in Progress

If your vehicle is a work in progress, or you have additional photos that you would like to share, those should be at the URL you have provided.

Night License

If you are applying for a night license, please include a photo or design image showing the vehicle at night with lighting.

Upload Instructions

Click 'Browse', then select an image file from your computer.

DMV Fire Safety Agreement: Fuel and Hazardous Materials Storage

Fire Safety Agreement: Fuel and Hazardous Materials Storage

You have indicated that you will be storing combustible fuels. You must read and consent to the [Fuel and Hazardous Materials Storage Safety Agreement](#) before continuing on to the Fire Safety Questionnaire. This information is designed to promote the safe storage and handling of fuels and hazardous materials at Burning Man.

You must read and understand the the [Fuel and Hazardous Materials Storage Guidelines](#) and [Fuel and Hazardous Materials Storage Safety Agreement](#) before proceeding.

Your questionnaire is not complete until you accept any and all Fire Safety-related Agreements.

If you have any questions, please email dmv-flame-effects@burningman.org.

By checking this box, I acknowledge I have read and understand the above [Fuel and Hazardous Materials Storage Safety Agreement](#) information.*

I Agree

DMV Fire Safety Agreement: Flame Effects

Fire Safety Agreement: Flame Effects

You have indicated that you will be incorporating Flame Effects in your Mutant Vehicle. You must read and consent to the [DMV Flame Effects Safety Agreement](#) before continuing on to the Fire Safety Questionnaire. This information is designed to promote the safe execution of Flame Effects at Burning Man, whether you create a regularly-repeated event or a single fire.

You must read and understand the the [Flame Effects Guidelines](#) and [DMV Flame Effects Safety Agreement](#) before proceeding.

Your questionnaire is not complete until you accept any and all Fire Safety-related Agreements.

If you have any questions, please email dmv-flame-effects@burningman.org.

By checking this box, I acknowledge I have read and understand the above [Flame Effects Fire Safety Agreement](#) information As It Relates to Mutant Vehicles.*

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I Agree
DMV Fire Questionnaire

Please fill out the following Fire Safety Questionnaire to complete the process.

Questions with an * are required.

Contact Information

Fire Safety Liaison Name*
Please give the name of the person who is assuming responsibility for the safety of this vehicle.

Fire Safety Liaison Phone Number*
Please provide a phone number at which the Fire Safety Liaison can be reached.

Please enter digits only, no parentheses or hyphens. For example: 2223334444

Fire Safety Liaison Email Address*
Please provide an email address for the Fire Safety Liaison.

Fire Safety Assistants
Please provide the names of any fire safety assistants, one per line. All assistants must be 21 years of age or older and trained in fire safety and suppression.

Flame Effects Information

Flame Effects Scenario*
In the space provided below please give a complete, detailed description of the Flame Effects you intend to use on your Mutant Vehicle. Please be as clear and concise as possible, while also being as detailed and technical as necessary, to fully convey how your project works and what goes into making it work that way.

We wish to know how your device operates, what fuel(s) it uses, how the fuel is stored, the components it incorporates (including regulators and the pressures you intend to set them to), the pilot light or ignition system and any other details you may have as outlined in the Fire Safety Agreement for Flame Effects.

If you have not completed the flame effects design or construction just be as accurate and complete as you can. If we need further details or clarifications we will contact you.

Flame Effects Fuels

Please list the fuels your flame effects use, and the amount of that fuel you estimate your Flame Effects to consume per 24 hours of operation.
Use dmv-flame-effects@burningman.org for all correspondence regarding this section of the form.

Flame Effect Fuels*
Please click all the fuel types you will use for your Flame Effects. You can enter an amount for each in the next question.

Propane Other
 Compressed Natural Gas (CNG)
 Hydrogen

Flame Effect Fuel Amounts*
Gallons of Propane per day*: _____
Cubic Feet of Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) per day*: _____
Cubic Feet of Hydrogen per day*: _____
Gallons of Other per day*: _____

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Diagram/Schematics

For the Fire Art Safety Team to understand your safety arrangements, please create diagrams or schematics to complement the description of your project. These diagrams / schematics are critical parts of your application, and must be submitted before your application will be considered complete.

Please submit them via email: dmv-flame-effects@burningman.org

You may also upload documents directly into this application (below)

A. VEHICLE AND FLAME EFFECT LAYOUT

If your Mutant Vehicle has Flame Effects, please prepare a diagram showing the following locations and details in, on and around the Mutant Vehicle:

- Fuel Location & Protection: Location of fuel tanks and lines and how they are protected from damage by collision or participant actions.
- Safety Zones: Locations of flame heads relative to where participants are able to stand, indicating distances; note on the diagram how safe distances were determined.
- Fire extinguisher locations
- Location of first aid kit with burn supplies

B. FLAME EFFECT DETAILS

If your Mutant Vehicle has Flame Effects, please prepare one or more drawings showing all plumbing, electrical, pneumatic or other technical details of your Flame Effects.

C. BASE CAMP LAYOUT

Prepare a diagram showing the following locations and details within the camp where your Mutant Vehicle is based:

- Storage location(s) for flammable liquids, fuel gases or other hazardous/flammable materials.
- Storage location(s) for empty containers, if different from above.
- Safety perimeters and barriers, and distances to public areas and habitations.
- 20' wide fire lane from street to storage location(s)
- Fire extinguisher locations.

Fire Safety Diagram/Schematics File Upload

If you have completed fire safety documentation, you may upload those files here.

PDF files preferred, but you may use any of the file types listed below.

Image Requirements

- Maximum file size: 1MB
- Accepted file types: .pdf .jpg .gif .jpeg .pjpeg .png
- Filename must not have spaces.
- The file extension (i.e., .jpg) must be included.
- You must use a computer (not a phone or tablet) to upload your images.
- You must have JavaScript enabled. If you need help with that, see: <http://www.enable-javascript.com>.

Operational Plans

Safety Plan*

Please provide the safety plan for your Mutant Vehicle's Flame Effects installation. This plan should describe all the measures that your crew will employ to ensure that your project will be safe for participants, performers and crew, both during and after construction, and during any exhibition and subsequent clean-up.

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At a minimum, it should cover:

- Types, sizes and placement of fire extinguishers or other fire suppression means that will be kept on hand
 - Location and contents of first aid kit(s)
 - List of Material Safety Data Sheets to be kept with the installation
 - Safety training your crew members have
 - Safety-specific crew roles and responsibilities
 - Safety procedures and protocols
 - Safety features, if any, built in to the project
 - Safety perimeters, and how they are enforced
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Emergency Response Plan*

No matter how comprehensive your Safety Plan, bad things still happen. Your Emergency Response Plan should list all the ways things may go wrong and expose your crew or other participants to injury, and how your crew will respond when they do.

At a minimum, it should cover:

- Emergency shut-off/shut-down procedures
 - Evacuation procedures
 - Response to gaseous fuel leaks
 - Response to liquid fuel spills
 - Response to unplanned fires
 - Response to damage (or incipient damage) caused by wind, vehicle collision or other physical forces
 - Response to injury sustained by crew, performer or participant
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Leave No Trace*

Please explain IN DETAIL your Leave No Trace Plan. How will you ensure that your artwork will not result in litter? How will you [protect the Playa from damage](#)? Explain how you will clean up after your project and the participants it attracts, tear down your installation at the end of the event, and restore the Playa to its original condition (or better) when you first arrived.
