CODE WORD

This procedure is used to clarify provisions of the Harris County Fire Code. Its sole intent is to clarify what is acceptable practice.

**Issue Date:** Revised March 1, 2007

**Subject:** Temporary Construction Trailers

**Question:** Are temporary construction trailers required to get a Fire Code permit?

**Answer:** Temporary construction trailers not mounted on a permanent foundation are exempt from a Fire Code review and inspection. Temporary in this context means only for the duration of the project, and the construction trailer must be removed once the project is completed.

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