



## AMUSEMENT/TRANSPORTATION RIDES PROCEDURES – (AR-1)

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**RIDE PERMIT** - Applications must comply with the 2010 Amusement/Transportation Ride Code & meet zoning requirements and obtain permit approval for amusement and transportation rides requiring new construction, or modifications of an existing ride or device from the CLV Building & Safety Division prior to issuance.

### The applicant must submit the following:

- ❖ Ride permit application and building permit application, where applicable.
- ❖ Two copies of the operations and maintenance manual in conformance with CLV amusement and transportation ride code.
- ❖ Manufacturer's and fabricator's detailed description of system, with fabrication, installation standards, operations, maintenance procedures and quality assurance program during design, manufacturer, construction and modification as detailed in the ASTM standards and CLV code.
- ❖ Owner/operator's quality assurance program during ops and maintenance, records requirements, emergency procedures and other documents required as detailed in the ASTM adopted standards, CLV Amusement, and Transportation Rides Code.
- ❖ Qualifications statements of quality assurance personnel and qualification documentation
- ❖ Three sets of detailed construction documents (plans and calculations) including Structural, Electrical, Plumbing/Mechanical, Architectural and any other documentation associated with the project. Submit with stamped/signed Engineer document.
- ❖ When a new foundation is built to support the ride, a Geo-tech report stamped and signed by a licensed engineer is required.
- ❖ Approved fabricator/ride manufacturer's certificate from International Accreditation Service, City of LA, Clark County NV or AISC.
- ❖ All other requirements by appropriate agencies and departments.

### INSPECTIONS

- ❖ Due to the highly specialized nature of the amusement and transportation rides, the CLV requires the owner to obtain the services of a special inspection agency approved by the County Fire Prevention Bureau to perform the inspections. Please refer to the CLV Quality Control Procedures for Amusement and Transportation rides.
- ❖ Construction or fabrication of a ride is subject to special inspections accordance to chapter 17 of the 2021 International Building Code.
- ❖ Final inspections of the third party ride, quality assurance reports and final ride inspections are required prior to issuance of Ride Operation Certificate.

### RIDE OPERATION CERTIFICATE

- ❖ The ride operation certificate will be issued after the final approval of the construction of new rides and after the ride has been inspected and found to be in compliance with the manufacturer's requirements for operation and maintenance, the approved operation and maintenance manual and all other requirements of the CLV Amusement and Transportation Rides Code. The certificate renews annually for the life of the ride.
- ❖ Submit third party inspection reports for initial ride operation certificates as deferred submittals.

### RENEWAL

- ❖ Prior to renewal, all inspection results and final report signed/sealed by the principle licensed engineer from the special inspection agency.
- ❖ Once approval by the building official, the applicant pays and annual fee and a new ride operation certificate is issued. See annual ride re-certification instructions.

### AMUSEMENT AND TRANSPORTATION RIDES WITH INSUFFICIENT DATA

- ❖ If the information on the ride is insufficient to meet the approved standards, City of Las Vegas Amusement and Transportation Ride Code. The owner/operator shall submit for an Alternative Materials, Design and Method Application, which shall include engineering calculations and analysis, testing and inspection programs of the ride, along with published standards under which the ride was designed and built.
- ❖ The building official shall determine whether and to what extent equivalency exists.