

# PUBLIC NOTICE AND WARNING

ALL common fireworks are ILLEGAL in Spokane County and the Cities of Spokane, Spokane Valley, Millwood, Cheney and Liberty Lake.

Since 1993, NO person can BUY, SELL or USE any type of common fireworks in these areas of Spokane.

Fines range from \$513 to \$1,000 for each violation.



**FIRECRACKERS, BOTTLE ROCKETS, SPARKLERS & MISSILES are NOT ALLOWED IN ANY PART OF WASHINGTON STATE (with the exception of some Indian Reservations in areas designated by the Tribal Council).**

- ✓ Possession of firecrackers, bottle rockets and missiles is illegal throughout Washington State. They can be confiscated at any time.
- ✓ In addition to the fines and court costs, persons who start fires with fireworks are liable for restitution of damaged property and for recovery of Fire Department response costs.
- ✓ If it has to be lit, it is an illegal firework in Spokane. SPARKLERS are illegal: they burn at 1200 °F and cause serious injuries.
- ✓ PARENTS are responsible for damages associated with their children using fireworks.
- ✓ For violations of the ban, call CRIME CHECK at 456-2233.

*Check your local paper for PUBLIC FIREWORKS DISPLAYS in your Community.*

