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## **TRACTOR PULL MINIMUM UNDERWRITING GUIDELINES (FAIRS)**

### **A. TRACK REQUIREMENTS:**

1. A fenced restricted area is required. The restricted area includes up to 35 feet on either side of the pulling area, shutdown area, and staging area (including the line-up and scales). Acceptable fencing materials are hog wire, woven wire, chain link or similar. The minimum acceptable fence height is 42 inches.
2. The pulling surface must not be less than 30 feet wide and not more than 300 feet long.
3. Shutdown must be a minimum of 300 feet in length. If shutdown is less than 300 feet, an adequate barrier system must be present at the end of the area. All three sides of the shutdown area are considered restricted.
4. The distance between the pulling surface and the crowd control fence must be a minimum of 50 feet. The distance can be 25 feet if an adequate barrier system is in place.

Examples of adequate barriers:

- Jersey Barriers
- Overlapped and pinned telephone poles a minimum of 24 inches high secured by lateral support posts.
- Armco guardrails
- Earthen barrier cut at 90 degrees to the competition surface and no less than 3 feet deep.
- Spectator seating must be located behind the crowd control fence. Elevated stands must comply with all codes.
- Adequate fire equipment on premises (fire truck and/or currently tagged fire extinguishers along track and near event officials with maximum of 75 feet apart).
- A paramedic or EMT staffed ambulance will be on the grounds.
- Adequate security must be in place for crowd control.

### **B. RESTRICTED AREA PERSONNEL REQUIREMENTS:**

1. Minimum age for drivers is 16. Exceptions can be made for garden tractor pulls. Minimum age for non-competing participants in a restricted area is 14.
2. Release and Waiver: K&K approved Waiver & Release must be signed by all persons entering a restricted area. Minor Waiver & Release must be completed by all persons under the age of majority in the residing state.
3. Press and photographers are not allowed access beyond the disqualification line.

### **C. COMPETING VEHICLE REQUIREMENTS:**

1. All pulling vehicles that are non-stock/modified must have automatic kill switch and/or automatic shut-off.
2. All vehicles exceeding factory recommended RPM specifications by 10% will have the equivalent of the current acceptable explosion blanket.
3. Wheelie or stabilizer bars are required on all non-stock/modified classes.
4. All non-stock/modified classes are to be tether switched with a positive locking coupling.

### **D. EVENT RULES:**

1. The following are grounds for disqualification:
  - Ignoring the official's direction.
  - Non-compliance with event regulations.
  - Use of alcohol and/or illicit drugs in restricted areas by drivers or non-competing participants.
  - Fighting or the verbal abuse of any competition official.