

WVDP Visitor and Subcontractor Site Access Requirements

PARKING LOT SECURITY BARRIERS

If the parking lot security barrier arms are down, do not attempt to enter the site. Employees are to report to the AOC then contact their supervisor for further instruction.

Visitors contact the Security Department at (716) 942-4330 for instructions.

MINIMUM REQUIRED BODY PROTECTION

The following protective clothing/footwear is required for accessing the WVDP site:

- Shirt with sleeves of 4" or greater.
- Long pants.
- Sturdy work shoes with the following attributes:
 - Appropriate tread for walking conditions.
 - Closed toe, top, sides, and heel.
 - Heels no greater than 2" high.
 - Above the ankle.
 - Constructed of leather or similar material.
- Hi-Vis top layer YELLOW vest, shirt, jacket, etc.
 - Low light conditions require additional reflective material.

PROHIBITED AND CONTROLLED ARTICLES:

In addition to items prohibited by law or considered detrimental to the project, the following list of prohibited and controlled articles below are not permitted onto WVDP Site or the AOC property without appropriate authorization from the Safeguards & Security Manager or their designee. **Failure to comply with regulations of prohibited items could result in confiscation of item(s) and/or arrest.**

NOTE Visitors are prohibited from bringing controlled items into the AOC or WVDP site (through Gatehouse or Truck trap). Reference: 18 U.S.C § 930. Items listed are prohibited and/or controlled unless meeting the exemptions listed in 18 U.S.C. § 930(d).

Controlled Items (identified by: *) are items considered potentially dangerous devices or items that are not prohibited in federal facilities but that may still require advance notification for entry by federal and contract employees only. While not prohibited for use by federal employees and contractors, controlled items do represent a legitimate risk as they could be used as weapons. Controlled items that require advance notification for entry into the WVDP site or AOC include **tools of the trade** and sporting equipment.

Firearms and Projectile Weapons. Includes, but not limited to:

- Firearms or similar devices (i.e., 3D or Ghost Guns, etc.) that expel a projectile through the action of an explosive.
- BB or pellet guns.
- Compressed air guns.
- Flare guns.
- Realistic replica or toy firearms.
- Spear guns.
- Starter pistols.
- Stun guns, cattle prods, dart-firing stun guns, and other electric weapons.
- Ammunition, shotgun shells, firearm cartridges, black powder, smokeless propellant powder, and
- Slingshots.

Bladed, Edged, or Sharp Tools or Implements. Includes, but not limited to:

- Axes and hatchets.
- Bows and arrows.
- Ice axes/ice picks.
- Throwing stars (martial arts).
- Knives, sabers, swords, daggers, and other bladed devices with a blade of more than 2 ½ inches.

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Bladed, Edged, or Sharp Tools or Implements continued:

- Razor-type blades such as box cutters, utility knives, and razor blades not in a cartridge
- * Tools of the trade
 - * Saw, including cordless portable power saws.
 - * Scissors, metal with pointed tips.
 - * Drills, including portable power drills; and
 - * Tools including, but not limited to, wrenches, pliers, and folding multi-purpose utility tools, etc.

Club-like Items and Striking Devices. Includes, but not limited to:

- Billy clubs.
- Blackjacks.
- Brass knuckles.
- Sporting Equipment (i.e. baseball bats, golf clubs, hockey sticks, lacrosse sticks, pool cues, and ski poles.)
- Chains exceeding 12 inches; jewelry exceptions can be made.
- Night sticks,
- Martial arts weapons, including nun chucks and Kuba tons.
- Hammers; and
- Crowbars.

Destructive Devices, Explosives, or Combustible Chemical Compounds & Mixtures. Includes, but not limited to:

- Blasting caps or detonators.
- Dynamite, nitroglycerin, trinitrotoluene, and others.
- Fireworks.
- Gunpowder.
- Aerosol sprays.
- Hand grenades, mines, bombs, rockets, missiles, pipe bombs, plastic explosives.
- Gasoline.
- Realistic replicas of explosives or similar devices.
- Explosive or expanding gases.
- Ammonium Nitrate.
- Gas torches.
- Flares; and
- Flammable liquids, such as gasoline, turpentine, and paint thinner.
- * Tools of the Trade:
 - * Flares;
 - * Gasoline;
 - * Ammonium Nitrate; and
 - * Aerosol sprays.

Disabling Chemicals and Other Dangerous Items. Includes, but not limited to:

- Mace, pepper spray, tear gas, or other chemical sprays designed for self-defense.
- Spillable batteries, except those in wheelchairs or similar devices used by a mobility impaired individual.
- Chlorine and bleach.
- Compressed gas cylinders, including fire extinguishers.
- Toxic industrial chemicals and/or materials.
- Spray paint; and
- Poisonous gases.
- * Tools of the Trade:
 - * Chlorine and bleach;
 - * Compressed gas cylinders, including fire extinguishers; and
 - * Toxic industrial chemicals and/or materials.

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Electronic Equipment. Includes, but not limited to:

- Privately owned recording equipment consisting of audio, video, optical or data. Cell phones are allowed on site; however, use of the audio/photography/video recording features is not allowed unless approved by the Safeguards and Security Manager.
- Privately owned radio frequency transmitting equipment.

Medication, Controlled Substances and Alcohol. Includes, but not limited to:

- Marijuana and other controlled substances including illegal drugs associated paraphernalia.
- Prescription medication (prescribed by a Physician) in its original packaging, is permitted.
- Alcoholic beverages, open or unopened containers

Battery Electric and Hybrid Electric Vehicles Containing Rechargeable Lithium-Ion Batteries Used to Power Electric Vehicle Drive Motors

- Cars
- Trucks
- All-terrain vehicles (ATVs)
- Utility task vehicles (UTVs)

NOTE *As of March 2021, New York State enacted the Marijuana Regulation and Taxation Act, legalizing the adult recreational use of marijuana. However, the WVDP remains governed by Federal law which still prohibits the use or possession of marijuana under the Federal Controlled Substances Act.*

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IDENTIFICATION REQUIRED:

In order for an individual (i.e., a visitor, subcontractor, or delivery person) to gain access to the WVDP Site or the AOC, which include open Public Meetings, the individual must have one of the below current forms of identification.

Clarification Note:

1. Individuals that have a current WVDP Picture Badge are not impacted by this requirement. Picture Badged personnel will continue to use their badges to enter WVDP facilities.
2. Foreign Nationals are permitted access to open Public Meetings without prior DOE approval provided the individual complies with all security requirements, including presentation of acceptable ID. Foreign National access to the WVDP or the AOC for any reason other than an open Public Meeting is subject to the foreign national DOE approval process.
3. For persons under age 18 who are unable to present acceptable documentation, contact the WVCA Safeguards & Security Manager at 716-942-4739.

Identity Documents

You must present one of the following forms of identification to gain access to the WVDP or AOC, including open Public Meetings. Forms of identification must be a current original document (i.e., not expired).

- Driver's licenses or other state photo identity cards issued by Department of Motor Vehicles (or equivalent)
 - Beginning May 7, 2025, if you plan to use your state-issued ID or license, it must be REAL ID compliant. If you are not sure if your ID complies with REAL ID, check with your state department of motor vehicles.
 - A temporary driver's license is not an acceptable form of identification
- State-issued Enhanced Driver's License (EDL) or Enhanced ID (EID)
- U.S. passport
- U.S. passport card
- DHS trusted traveler cards (Global Entry, NEXUS, SENTRI, FAST)
- U.S. Department of Defense ID, including IDs issued to dependents
- Permanent resident card
- Border crossing card
- An acceptable photo ID issued by a federally recognized Tribal Nation/Indian Tribe, including Enhanced Tribal Cards (ETCs).
- HSPD-12 PIV card
- Foreign government-issued passport
- Canadian provincial driver's license or Indian and Northern Affairs Canada card
- Transportation worker identification credential
- U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services Employment Authorization Card (I-766)
- U.S. Merchant Mariner Credential
- Veteran Health Identification Card (VHIC)

NO OTHER FORMS OF ID OTHER THAN THE ABOVE LIST WILL BE ACCEPTED.