

BBQ Gas Bottle Safety Declaration

Event Approval Process: Prepared 19/12/2024

The use of gas bottles at reserves is subject to strict safety and compliance measures to ensure public safety and environmental protection. These safety and compliance measures can be found at [GasSafetyChecklist print.pdf](#) and [Gas safety checklist FAQs | Energy Safe Victoria](#).

The applicant agrees to comply with all conditions outlined in the above references and acknowledges that failure to adhere to these conditions may result in the immediate cancellation of the event approval or permit, penalties under applicable laws, and/or liability for damages caused by non-compliance.

City of Monash takes no responsibility for any injury, loss, or damage arising from the use of gas bottles on its reserves. It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure compliance with all relevant safety standards, regulations, and the conditions outlined herein.

By signing this document, the applicant confirms they have read, understood, and agree to abide by the safety procedures and requirements in the provided references.

Declaration of Compliance

I, the undersigned, confirm that I have read and understood the above disclaimer and references.

I agree to abide by all conditions and safety procedures outlined in this document:

Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Gas Bottle Safety Summary

Before Use:

- Check for Leaks:** Apply soapy water to connections.
Look for bubbles indicating a leak.
- Inspect the Bottle:** Ensure the bottle is on a firm, level, non-combustible base.
Check that the bottle is not resting on soil.
- Check Hoses & Fittings:** Ensure hoses and fittings are in good condition.
Replace any that are cracked or worn.
- Regulator:** Ensure the pressure regulator is correctly fitted and set.
- Certification Check:** Ensure the gas bottle and appliances have certification marks (e.g., AGA, SAI Global, IAPMO, Global-Mark, or BSI).

During Use:

- Ventilation:** Use BBQ in a well-ventilated area.
Keep the BBQ away from flammable materials.
- Flame Check:** Ensure burner flames are blue and steady.
If flames are yellow or flickering, turn off the gas and check for issues.
- Clearance:** Maintain adequate clearance from combustible surfaces as per the installation instructions and safety standards.
- Supervision:** Never leave the gas bottle unattended during use

After Use:

- Turn Off:** Turn off the gas at the bottle first, then at the BBQ.
Allow the BBQ to cool before storing.
- Storage:** Store gas bottles upright in a well-ventilated area.
Keep away from direct sunlight and heat sources.
- Spillage Test:** Check for spillage of combustion products, especially if using open-flued appliances.

Emergency:

- Gas Leak:** Turn off the gas immediately.
Move away from the area and call emergency services if necessary (000)
- Negative Pressure Test:** For open-flued appliances, conduct a negative pressure test to ensure there is no backdraft of combustion products

Please note this is not a comprehensive gas safety checklist.

For more information visit [GasSafetyChecklist_print.pdf](#) and [Gas safety checklist FAQs | Energy Safe Victoria](#).