Oregon Revised Statute 480.111-480.165 grants authority to specific entities to conduct certain activities. Under these ORS’s the OSFM is mandated to issue licenses for the wholesale of fireworks, permits for retail sales of consumer fireworks and for using fireworks in displays, the entertainment industry, and pest control (agricultural) purposes. The OSFM Regulatory Services Branch also provides information regarding the fireworks statutes and rules; helps facilitate assistance from OSP when appropriate; provides guidance and information to local law enforcement agencies regarding seizure, storage, and pick up of fireworks; and helps facilitate the destruction of seized fireworks.

The fireworks statutes provide for local authorities to control fireworks in their communities.

- **ORS 480.140** places the supervision of fireworks displays under the local fire and police agency or in unprotected areas, the county court.
- **ORS 480.160** has provisions for local regulation of fireworks.
- **OAR 837-012-0860 (9-11)** requires displays to be postponed or discontinued by the local authority if there are adverse conditions, lack of crowd control, or significant weather conditions that affect safety recognized by the local fire or law enforcement authority.

- **ORS 480.120 (2)** requires law enforcement agencies of the state, county, or municipality to enforce the provisions of ORS 480.111-480.165.

On the reverse is a matrix that summarizes the roles of OSFM and local authorities relating to the retail sales of consumer fireworks, fireworks displays, and enforcement activities.