

THE WASHINGTON FIRE MECHANICS CREEPER DRAGS!

Rules;

- (1) Creeper **must** be part of or attached to the frame.
- (2) Frame **must** be either steel, SS, or aluminum.
- (3) Creeper **must** have seat belt and roll over protection.
- (4) Roll bar **must be 3” taller** than driver’s helmet.
- (5) **Must** have steering that operates correctly and safely.
- (6) **Must** have brakes that function and stop creeper within 100 feet of brake application from the finish line.
- (7) Batteries **must** be secured to chassis. Lead acid batteries **must** be in a battery case. AGM or GEL type batteries may be used.
- (8) Batteries must be mechanically secured to the cart in a safe manner.
- (9) Creeper **must** be operated by a momentary push button or control switch to provide motion.
- (10) Each Creeper **shall** have a master power cut off to the motor(s) or rear wheels that is within hands reach and in front of each driver.
 - a. Battery disconnect switch with proper amperage rating. The battery disconnect switch must be capable of disarming the entire power source once activated by the driver.
 - b. All Creepers shall provide a method of turning off all power and or the propulsion source via a switch or valve with in reach of the driver per rule 10.
- (11) Each Creeper **shall** be subject to a pre-race inspection and perform one qualifying run. During the qualifying run, each driver must demonstrate that the brakes are able to stop the Creeper within 100 feet or less of the finish line. **If the Creeper is unable to stop within 100 feet, it will be disqualified.**
- (12) Each driver must demonstrate during the qualifying run that the momentary push button/control switch to initiate movement operates correctly and that the **disconnect switch correctly shuts down the entire power source when activated.**
- (13) Every driver **must** have hands on the steering wheel when operating the momentary power switch or activating the brakes.

- (14) Inspectors will perform pre-race inspections. Any Creepers unable to meet the rule requirements will have to correct the defects and be re-inspected before race time. You are **required** to pass pre-race inspections to race your Creeper in the drags.
- (15) **Helmets are required. THINK SAFETY! Any driver's intoxicated shall not be allowed to race.**

Creepers will be broken up into 3 classes:

- Class A - 12 volt maximum at motor.
- Class B – 24 Volt maximum at motor.
- Class X – Open – Gas, Electric, Hydraulic, Air, You name it! But make it SAFE! And make it STOP!!!!

Have fun and be creative!

Carts will be on display in the conference center throughout the week.

If you are unsure of anything contact us to discuss.

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