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*"The safety of the people  
is the highest law"*

-CICERO

## Cell Phones and Gas Stations - A Deadly Mixture

### Cell phones ignite explosion

We all know that gasoline vapors can be flammable or explosive, so we don't smoke or light a match while filling our cars up with gas.

A new safety hazard exists regarding cell phones. Cell phones have caused a serious of explosions during gasoline refueling. For example:

A customer suffered burn injuries to the thigh and groin when a cell phone in the customer's pocket rang.

A customer was badly burned in the face when answering a call while refueling.

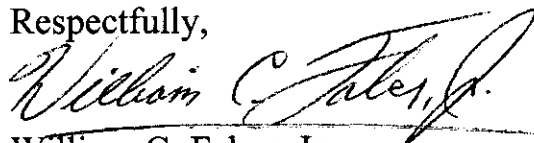
According to investigations, when a cell phone rings or lights up when turned on, it releases enough energy to ignite an explosion at the gas pump. This information comes to me from the *Construction Safety News Journal*.

### Precautions

When you go to a gas station turn you cell phone off. Keep your cell phone in your car.

Please tell your family and friends about this warning. Have a safe summer.

Respectfully,



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