

NHSTRA Late Model NASCAR Division III Tire Rule

- 1. Each competitor at each NHSTRA speedway <u>WILL HAVE</u> separate tire inventories. Tires must be purchased at the track you are competing at. Competitors are not allowed to purchase tires at another track to bring into another track's inventory. The NHSTRA group will be communicating with each other to make sure competitors purchase tires at the track they compete at. To be eligible to purchase tires, the competitor must be competing at the event on the day of purchase.
- 2. You are allowed a maximum of four (4) new inventory tires to start your season (dependent on the track's tire availability). **The new inventory tires must be purchased at your first event.**
- 3. Once you purchase a tire, you cannot exchange it.
- 4. Practice tires will be limited due to the shortage of tires. Each track will reviewtheir inventory and will announce if practice tires are available for purchase. **Practice tires can never be brought into competition inventory**, they are considered non inventory tires.
- 5. After your first (1st) feature race, you are allowed one (1) new inventory tires per feature event you competed in. You will only be allowed to bank 2 tires at any time (WARNING...IF YOU CHOOSE TO BANK THE 2 TIRES, THE SPEEDWAY CANNOT GUARANTEE TIRE AVAILABILITY TO SELL THE 2 BANKED TIRES). Competitors cannot purchase more tires than they have in tire credits.
- 6. Any special event or extra distance events, tire rule may differ, but will be announced prior.
- 7. The tires you qualify on **MUST** be inventory tires. Any tires changed during qualifying, consolation, B-main, or feature must be your inventory tires.
- 8. Flat Tire Replacements: To replace a tire due to a flat it must be <u>witnessed</u> by a speedway official and the flat must occur on the track (not in the pit area), the tire **must be a new tire listed as a new competition tire on your inventory card for that event**. The tire replacement must be inspected and approved by atrack official <u>on the event</u> that the tire went flat (NO EXCEPTIONS).
- 9. Tire inventory slips must be turned into Track Officials prior to the start of qualifying. NO EXCEPTIONS. This 100% the car owners' responsibility.
- 10. All tires must pass post-race durometer reading. Track conditions will determine base number.

**Please Note: The above tire rule may change dependent on the availability of tires.