

Ordinance Pertaining to Fire Permits

Fire Prevention Code 15.06

15.06 **Open Burning Prohibited.** (Cr. #03-01-95) The Village Board prohibits, except as provided below, all open burning within the Village.

- (1) PERMITTED BURNING. The following open burning shall be permitted with authorization from the Fire Chief or Fire Inspector:
 - (a) Campfires, either in the ground or in approved metal containers.
 - (b) Burning by the Village Public Works Department.
- (2) DISTANCE FROM FENCES. All fires shall be located at least 15' from any combustible structure or combustible fence.
- (3) DISTANCE FROM PROPERTY LINES. All fires shall be located at least 15' from property line.
- (4) CAMPFIRES. Campfires located below grade shall have an opening not bigger than 2'6" in diameter and shall be covered by a noncombustible cover when not in use.
- (5) PERMITS. All persons shall obtain a burn permit before kindling or maintaining any open burning or authorizing the kindling or maintaining of any open burning within the Village.
- (6) INSPECTION. All sites shall be inspected by the Fire Inspector prior to the issuance of a permit.
- (7) BAN. When local conditions make the fires potentially hazardous, open burning shall be banned until conditions improve. Local conditions include, but are not limited to, thermal inversions, wind, ozone alerts and very dry conditions.
- (8) GRILLS. (a) Charcoal or gall grilling are permitted without authorization from the Fire Chief or Fire Inspector.
 - (b) Liquefied petroleum gas containers having water capacities greater than 2 ½ lb (1kg) (normal 11b) (0.5 kg) LP-Gas capacity shall not be located on balconies above the first floor attached to a multiple-family dwelling of 3 or more living units located one above the other.

EXCEPTION: Not applicable when such balconies are served by outside stairways and when only such stairways are used to transport the container.

15.10 **Penalty.** Except as otherwise provided, any person who shall violate any provision of this chapter or any regulation, rule or order made hereunder shall be subject to penalty as provided in §25.04 of this Code.



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FIRE PERMIT

Date of Issue: _____

Expiration Date: _____

I, _____, hereby agree to follow the following burning regulations and be responsible for any damage that results from **fires ignited by** the above named person or organization.

LOCATION (address) OF FIRE: _____

PHONE NUMBER AT LOCATION: _____

APPROXIMATE TIME OF BURNING: _____

TYPE OF FIRE: FIRE PIT or WEBER STYLE

Any deviation in the burning time must be checked out with the Fire Chief or Fire Inspector. This is a must, so that the Fire Department is not called needlessly.

Violation of the above will mean that all fires will be extinguished and the responsible person may be made liable for the expense of the call.

PERMIT GRANTED BY: _____

Fire Chief / Fire Inspector

RESTRICTIONS: Access to phone
 Hose handy
 Someone in attendance at all times
 Windy conditions, no burning
 Adult supervision