

ROSWELL FIRE DEPARTMENT

REGULATIONS FOR OPEN BURNING

1. Burning of rubber, plastics or other synthetic materials shall be prohibited. (Other petroleum materials)
2. Burning shall not be permitted if another practical alternative exists.
3. Insure that smoke and gases generated by such activity is carried away from areas of human habitation.
4. Burning of leaves is strictly prohibited due to the environmental hazard encountered. (Dense smoke, slow incineration, and long-term hot spots)
5. Should the Fire Department officer making the inspection deem it hazardous, permission will not be **granted**.
6. Person to be burning material will ensure that ample water supply is available for extinguishment purposes.
7. Material to be burned shall not be closer than 20 feet from any structure.
8. The material to be burned shall be grouped in piles not having a diameter at base of more than 5 feet and not taller than 3 feet (burn only one pile at a time).
9. During the burning process there shall be a responsible individual present at all times. Should activity get out of control, notify the Fire Department Dispatch **IMMEDIATELY. CALL 911!!!**
10. No flammable or combustible liquids shall be used thus ensuring only dry vegetation will be burned.
11. Burning shall be permitted only in daylight hours.
12. If atmospheric conditions deem it hazardous prior to or during burning, activity shall be postponed or discontinued.
13. Fire Department Dispatch shall be notified upon completion, the occupant must ensure that all hot spots have been extinguished and notification of such has been made to the Fire Department Dispatch via phone #624-7590

I understand that I am responsible for control of this fire and any damage caused by said fire. This permit is only permission to burn as long as no one is affected in an adverse way. If complaints are received, burning will cease immediately.

Signed _____
Owner/Occupant

Date: _____

PERMIT FOR OPEN BURNING

Having been explained the requirements and regulations for open burning, permission is () granted () denied on the request to accomplish open burning at the location given below:

Name _____ Date _____

Street _____ Alley () Yard ()

Material Being Burned _____

Reason for Denial _____

Fire Department Officer
Phone 624-6800

White Copy - Fire Department Yellow Copy - Owner/Occupant