

THE CORPORATION OF THE VILLAGE OF WESTPORT
Schedule "B" to By-Law 2009-01
CONDITIONAL PERMIT FOR "OPEN AIR BURNING" OF AN
"APPROVED BRUSH PILE FIRE"

(PLEASE PRINT)

APPLICANT _____ PHONE: _____ CELLPHONE: _____

PROPERTY OWNER: _____ PHONE: _____ CELLPHONE: _____

CIVIC ADDRESS _____

DATE: _____ THIS PERMIT IS VALID FOR CALENDER YEAR ONLY

: YEARLY FEE - **\$10.00**

DURING THE "FIRE SEASON", APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30 IN EACH YEAR THIS PERMIT MUST BE VALIDATED FOR NO CHARGE EACH TIME A FIRE IS SET OUT BY CONTACTING THE WESTPORT VILLAGE OFFICE A MINIMUM OF 48 HOURS BEFORE COMMENCING BURNING. THIS IS TO ENSURE NO BURNING RESTRICTIONS ARE IN PLACE.

CONDITIONS

1. An "Approved Brush Pile Fire" shall mean an "Open Air Burn", having a maximum fuel size of 1.5 metres x 1.5 metres x 1 metre in height (5 feet x 5 feet x 3.3 feet), that is set and maintained for the sole purpose of burning piled wood or brush.
2. The undersigned assumes full responsibility when conducting "Open Air Burning".
4. The undersigned agrees to all the rules and regulations in the "Open Air Burning By-law" and which are not limited to only those which appear on this permit.
5. No person shall cause to be burned more than one "Open Air Burn", at any one time.
6. "Open Air Burning" must be supervised by a competent person at all times.
7. Before starting a fire, wind conditions shall be taken into account, burning shall not be done when a wind exists.
8. No fires shall be started or maintained when the weather conditions prevent the ready dispersion of smoke.
9. Materials to be burned must NOT include those, which cause excessive smoke, "Household Waste", "Prohibited Materials" e.g. rubber, plastics or other materials prohibited by the Environmental Protection Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter E.19, as amended.
10. The undersigned, when setting an authorized "Open Air Burn", not only acknowledges responsibility for controlling it, but also for Fire Department service costs, if the fire gets out of control.
11. Section 446 of the Municipal Act, S.O. 2001, c.25 as amended, authorizes the recovery of costs related to the violation of these provisions.
12. No "person" shall burn at a distance less than 10 metres (30.0 feet) from any building, structure, vehicular roadway of any kind or nature, or any over head wires.
13. No "person" shall burn at a distance less than 3 metres (10.0 feet) from any hedge, fence, property line or any other object or material which has the potential to ignite.
14. No "person" during the "fire season" (April 1 to September 30) shall burn between the time of 10:00 hours through to 17:00 hours each day, seven days a week.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Signature of Registered Owner: _____

Issued by: _____ Signature of Issuer: _____

**Permit may be revoked at any time by the Fire Chief or his/her designate for failure to comply with the regulations of the By-Law or any unsafe practices
NOTIFY YOUR NEIGHBOURS PRIOR TO ANY OPEN BURNING**

YEARLY FEE \$10.00

PAYMENT MADE BY: CASH _____ : CHEQUE _____ : DEBIT _____

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