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## **BURN PERMIT REGULATIONS**

### **Requirements:**

- Call Mid-County Fire Department at 573-346-2049 before you burn.
  1. Confirmation of burn day.
  2. Location of burn.
  3. Name and phone number.
  4. Description of materials.
- Wind speed must be 10 mph or less, with the humidity above 35%.
- Daylight hours only.
- Rake a fire-line at least 3ft. wide around the burn area.
- Appropriate source of water supply or heavy equipment to control the fire.
- Never leave the fire unattended.

### **Restrictions:**

- Open burning of tree limbs and vegetation from land clearing operations is allowed if the burning is done at least 200 yards from the nearest inhabited dwelling.
- Contractors and Business Owners must also obtain a DNR burn permit.
- Any waste generated by a business, trade, construction, or demolition operation cannot be burned.
- Materials such as tires or waste oil may not be used to start the fires or be burned in the fires.
- All State and Federal regulations also apply.
- Burn permits do not relieve you of liability issues should your fire get out of control and encroach on someone else's property.

Thank you for your cooperation in making Camden County a safer place to live.