



**CORPORATION OF THE COUNTY OF PRINCE EDWARD
BURNING PERMIT APPLICATION**

ISSUED PURSUANT TO BY-LAW 2105-2008 as amended

Full Name:

911 Address (County Road & #):

Phone Number:

Mailing Address (Required):

Permit Expires: **December 31st of Calendar year issued**

Permit Fee: **\$15.00**

THIS PERMIT IS ISSUED SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS:

1. No person shall set a fire at any time or place within the County of Prince Edward unless such person/persons has obtained a permit to burn and without first notifying the Fire Dispatching Office by telephone **(476-2345)** or **(962-3497)** and providing the Fire Dispatching Office with such information as the said office may require.
2. NO person shall start, set or maintain a fire on any property unless that person is the owner of the property or written permission from the owner has been obtained. Any person having the written consent of the registered owner to start, set or maintain permitted fire on the property of the registered owner shall keep the written consent at the location of the fire and produce the written consent upon request of the Fire Chief or his or her designate.
3. There must be an attendant at the scene of the fire at all times and the fire must be completely extinguished before the attendant shall leave.
4. This permit may be revoked at any time in the absolute discretion of the Fire Chief or officer in charge for the County of Prince Edward.
5. No burn permit issued may be transferred or assigned and no person shall enjoy a vested right in the continuance of a burn permit.
6. The applicant hereby acknowledges that in the event any of the foregoing conditions are not complied with, this permit may become null and void and the applicant shall be liable for the full cost of extinguishing the fire.
7. The provisions of this permit shall apply to a fire that is; a) Burn Barrel - contained in a metal or concrete incinerator that is entirely covered by metal wire mesh with grid openings not more than 12mm in diameter, and must be located at least 8m (26ft) from any buildings, forest or woodland and 5m (16ft) from the property line. b) Residential Campfires – contained within an area completely surrounded by a non-combustible barrier of metal, masonry, ceramic or stone or is contained within a pit in the ground. The diameter of the campfire does not exceed 110cm (3 ½ ft), and is located at least 8m (26ft) from any buildings, forest or woodland and 5m (16ft) from the property line. c) Fire in Outdoor Fireplace – not located on a balcony, on any combustible surfaces, is in good working order and is located at least 3m (9ft) from any building, forest or woodland and 5m (16ft) from the property line. d) Brush Fires – fires are set and maintained at a distance of no less than 25m (82ft) from any building, combustible structure, overhead wires and located at least 5m (16ft) from the property line. Materials to be burned do not exceed 3m (9ft) in length, 3m (9ft) in width, and 3m (9ft) in height. The fire is not set or maintained except during the time between one half hour before sunrise and one half hour after sunset.
8. NO person shall burn or permit to be burned household garbage, materials made of or containing rubber, plastic, tar, pressure treated or painted lumber or any other material unfriendly to the environment.
9. NO person shall start, set or maintain a fire where a decrease in visibility on any highway or roadway may result from smoke, inconvenience or irritation may be caused to others from smoke or flames, the spread of the fire due to the proximity of any combustible material including grass or other vegetation may occur, the endangerment of property or persons may occur or wind speeds exceed 30kmh.
10. The Prince Edward County Open Air Burning By-law 2105-2008 can be viewed or printed at www.pecounty.on.ca