Prosper Fire Rescue

Fire Marshal's Office

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OUTDOOR BURNING PERMIT

Open burning shall be conducted in accordance with Section 307 of the International Fire Code and local amendments. Open burning shall also be conducted as required by all TCEQ regulations. Open burning shall be prohibited when atmospheric conditions or local circumstances make such fire hazardous.

To ensure that all guidelines are followed, a $150.00 deposit is required for each burn. This deposit will be refunded upon completion of the burn, if all guidelines have been followed. **If the outdoor burning guidelines have not been followed, the deposit will then become the burning permit fee.** All permits will expire 15 days after the date of issuance.

Prior to commencement of open burning, the fire department dispatch shall be notified at (972-347-2226), and you must contact the Prosper Fire Station (972-347-2424).

1. No burning if wind speed exceeds 15MPH.
2. Open burning shall ***not*** be started when the wind direction and/or other weather conditions are such that the smoke and/or other pollutants will present a hazard to any public road or structure.
3. Begin burning no earlier than one hour after sunrise, and end the same day no later than one hour before sunset. At the end of the day extinguish all smoldering objects.
4. Make sure that a responsible party is present while the burn is active with a copy of the burn permit at all times. You may not leave the fire unattended for any reason.
5. Material to be burned shall consist of vegetation only and natural to the property. (Class A) The maximum size of any burn pile shall be 160 sq. feet and no higher than 5' (Approximately 12.5' length x 12.5' width x 5' height).
6. A garden hose connected to a water supply or other approved fire-extinguishing equipment shall be readily available for use at open burning sites. **Prior to approval, at time of inspection,** and must reach all sides of the burn pile
7. No burning on "OZONE ALERT" days.

Location /Address of Burn: _____
Address City State Zip

Requested Burn Date: _____ (15 Day Maximum after permit issuance)

Applicants Name: _____

D. L. #: _____ **State:** _____ **Phone #:** _____

24 Hour Phone #: _____ **Email:** _____

I _____, do agree to the above terms, and understand the deposit guidelines. I understand if the guidelines are not followed. I will forfeit the $150.00 deposit fee.

Fire Department Approval: _____ Date: _____