

RECREATIONAL OPEN BURN PERMIT NOTIFICATION

Address of Burn Site: _____

Recreational Burn Date(s): _____ Time: _____

Name of Property Owner: _____ Phone: _____

Address of Property Owner: (if different than burn site) _____

Estimated distance to nearest: Residence: _____ Roadway: _____ Neighbor: _____

Are there other structure(s) within 50 feet of the burn site? NO YES (If YES, see item F-301.7 below)

On reverse side draw in the location of the burn site. Provide lot size, reference to the street and distance to all nearest buildings, structures, and neighbors.

THE BURN SHALL BE FOR RECREATIONAL USE ONLY. A RECREATIONAL FIRE IS DEFINED AS A FIRE FOR DOMESTIC OR NON-COMMERCIAL COOKING OF FOOD. ALL OTHER BURNING WILL BE CONSIDERED ILLEGAL BY THE REGIONAL AIR POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCY (E.P.A.)

Provisions and Conditions

- A copy of this notification form should be kept at the fire site.
- This notification is only valid for the day and time indicated.
- The burn site should be contained in a pit dug in the ground, no larger than **2 ft x 2 ft x 2 ft.**
- Do not burn during adverse wind conditions and/or dry seasons.
- Burning must comply with the conditions below per The Ohio Fire Code:
 - F-301.7 The fire must be at least 50 feet from any structure or building.
 - F-301.8 Only well seasoned wood shall be burned. (No leaves, paper, grass, or trash)
 - F-301.9 Fire extinguisher equipment shall be available for immediate use at the fire site. (i.e. a bucket of water or garden hose or suitable size and type of fire extinguisher)
 - F-301.9 The fire shall not burn longer than 3 hours and must be continually attended until extinguished.
 - F-301.10 The fire must not create a nuisance or be offensive to others (i.e. neighbors)
- The Butler Twp. Fire Dept. is to be notified by the person doing the burning just **prior to starting the fire. Call Fire Dispatch Number – 898-5821** (do not call when fire is extinguished)

The attendant and property owner of the burn must agree to the terms listed above. Failure to comply with the provisions and conditions as set forth may be cause for legal action against property owner. This notification is not a permit and does not imply the Butler Township Fire Department has inspected the proposed burn site nor assumes any responsibility or liability for any damages caused by the open burning. The Butler Township Fire Department reserves the right to extinguish any fire that fails to meet the above conditions of the fire code or that which creates an unsafe, dangerous or nuisance condition. Burning may also be suspended upon unfavorable weather or environmental conditions.

I the undersigned have hereby read all the above and agree to all the terms.

Date: _____ Signature: _____

For Official Use Only:

Accepted Denied Remarks: _____

Signature of Fire Safety Officer: _____ Date: _____

Side 2

Draw in the location of the burn site providing ESTIMATED lot size, reference to the street and distance to all nearest buildings, structures, and neighbors and include north indicator.