

## **Fire Department**

1 East Main Street  
, MA 02341

### **Open Burning Permit**

Fee: \$10.00

*Name:*

*Address:*

*Phone:*

*Permit Number:*

*Date of Issue:*

*Payment:*

#### ***OPEN AIR BURNING REGULATIONS:***

1. You must call the **Burning Permit Line at 967-5901, between 9:00 AM and 12:00 PM** each day you wish to burn.
2. Burning must be done between 10:00AM and **COMPLETELY OUT by 4:00PM.**
3. Burning may only be done at the address written on the permit.
4. Burning must be brush only, generated on residential land listed above.
5. Burning is only allowed on residential parcels of land.
6. Fires must be **75 feet from any structure** including fences and outbuildings.
7. Fires must be attended at all times.
8. Water, shovels, rakes or other equipment must be on hand to control the fire at all times.
9. Open burning is allowed between January 15<sup>th</sup> and April 30<sup>th</sup> –  
**DEPENDING ON WEATHER CONDITIONS.**

#### **THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS ARE STRICTLY PROHIBITED:**

1. **Burning without first calling in every day.**
2. **Burning on dry, windy days or during periods of dry weather.**
3. **Burning grass, rubbish, hay, leaves, tires, or building materials.**
4. **Burning on commercial, business or industrial land.**
- 5.

**The Environmental Police will be notified of any violations. Violations of these rules could result in a fine or arrest by the Fire Department, Environmental Police or both.**

These rules are set forth by Mass. General Law Chapter III sec. 142D and 310 CMR 7.073c. This law provides penalties for violations, and court action will be taken.

**Thomas Coulombe**  
**Fire Chief**