

Agricultural Burning

Register with Jefferson County Smoke Management Program

Agricultural burning is limited to genuine agricultural waste. Waste is material generated by an agricultural operation that uses, or intends to use, land primarily for the purpose of obtaining a profit by raising, harvesting and selling crops or raising and selling animals, or the products of animal husbandry.

Prohibited materials can't be burned, even in an agricultural setting.

Burning associated with a dwelling is considered to be residential and requires a residential burn permit.

Open burning on all agricultural related lots 5 acres and larger shall be permitted by the Jefferson County Smoke Management Program Coordinator.

Permission must be granted prior to burning.

All burning shall be supervised at all times until the fire is completely out.

Adequate fire protection equipment and personnel shall be available on site during burning.

Contact Smoke Management Program for further details (541) 419-0216

Materials Permitted for a Burn Barrel

Cardboard
Paper
Small Limbs
Dry Leaves

Prohibited Materials

All types of burning

Garbage
Plastic
Diapers
Wire Insulation
Auto Bodies
Asphalt
Waste Oils
Rubber
Dead Animals
Food Service
Commercial and Industrial Wastes

Burning Regulations And Safe Debris Burning Tips



RENEW ANNUALLY

Call Burn Line Daily(541) 475-1789

**Business Line
(541) 475-7274**

For Emergency

Dial 911



**Jefferson County
Fire District #1**

765 S Adams Dr, PO Box 30
Madras, OR 97741
(541) 475-7274
www.jcfd-1.org

RESIDENTIAL OUTSIDE BURNING REGULATIONS

- Requires written permit
- Call to ensure burning is allowed
- Permitted seven days a week unless closed due to fire conditions

Burning Debris in Burn Barrels Or other Approved Containers

Burning is allowed from dawn to dusk. It is not allowed after 10:00 am during Summer burn closure.

Clear combustible material a minimum of 15 feet from around container

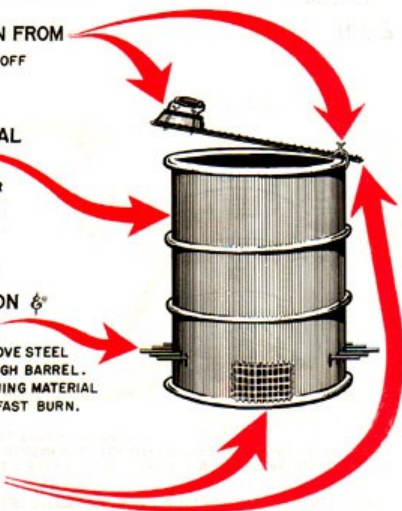
GOOD CONSTRUCTION

PREVENT SCREEN FROM FALLING OR BLOWING OFF YOUR INCINERATOR.

GOOD HEAVY METAL BARREL
NO HOLES IN SIDES OR BOTTOM OF BARREL.

HELP COMBUSTION & CLEAN BURNING
PUNCH HOLES AND SHOVE STEEL RODS OR PIPES THROUGH BARREL. THIS WILL HOLD BURNING MATERIAL UP AND GIVE A CLEAN FAST BURN.

HEAVY SCREEN
AT LEAST 14 GAUGE WITH 1/4 INCH HOLES.



Make sure all openings are covered with screen to prevent embers from escaping and don't use a barrel with rust holes

- Burning shall be supervised at all times
- Burn only permitted materials

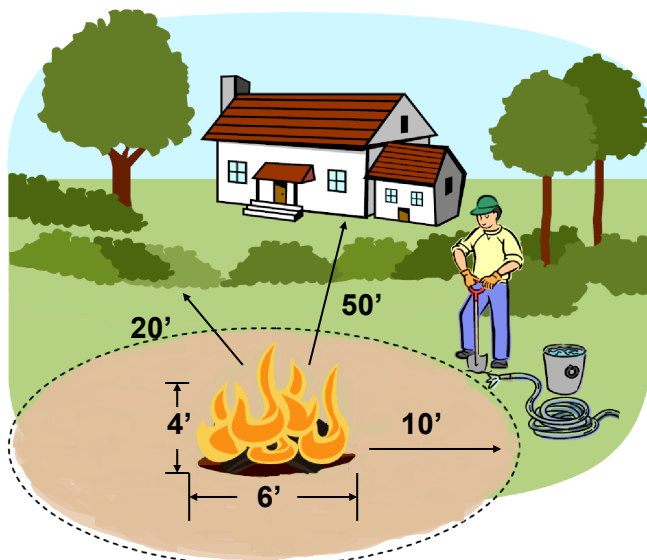
Open Debris Burning

Burning is allowed from dawn to dusk. Not allowed during Summer burn closure.

Locate burning a minimum of 50 feet away from any structure

Clear combustible trees and shrubs 20 feet from around burn pile and clear the ground of material 10 feet around pile

Pile size shall not exceed 6 feet in diameter and 4 feet in height



If your pile is 3 feet or less in diameter and 2 feet or less in height, minimum required distance from a structure is 25 feet

- Have adequate fire suppression equipment available at all times (Charged hose, shovel)
- Avoid disturbing your neighbors with smoke or ash and let them know if they might be affected

Recreational Fires

Allowed at night

Not for burning rubbish

Portable outdoor fireplaces

Follow manufacturer's instructions

Can be used at one and two-family dwellings

If more than two-family dwelling, must be 15 feet away from structure or combustible material

Campfires

Locate fire a minimum of 25 feet away from any structure or combustible material

Pile size shall not exceed 3 feet in diameter and 2 feet in height

Bonfires

All bonfires require an on-site inspection

Use same location and size requirements as open debris burning