



The Corporation of the Municipality of Callander

Open-Air Burning Permit No. 2020- _____

(Pursuant to Open-Air By-law 2015-1446 and Setting of Consumer Fireworks By-law 2012-1335)

PERMIT TYPE: **1 Year - \$35.00** **7 Day - \$10.00**

The authority granted the permit holder, by the issuance of this permit, and subject to the limitation thereof and subject also to the terms and conditions herein, this permit is issued to:

Permit Holder Name: _____

Civic Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Registered Owner: _____

This permit is valid from and including the ____ day of _____ 20__ to and including the ____ day of _____ 20__

All open-air burning and setting consumer fireworks regulations are in the By-laws. It is your responsibility to read the By-law and follow all the regulations.

I, the undersigned, make application for an Open-Air Burning Permit, pursuant to By-Law 2015-1446 and By-law 2012-1335.

I confirm that the material to be burned and the conditions under which the burn will take place meets the requirement of the Environmental Protection Act and By-Law No. 2015-1446.

I also hereby assume full responsibility for any damage caused directly or indirectly by an uncontrolled fire and waive any claim against The Corporation of the Municipality of Callander and agree to save The Corporation of the Municipality of Callander harmless against all claim which may be brought as a result of damages caused by a fire permit pursuant to By-Law 2015-1446. I hereby agree to pay the penalty or fee levied by Callander Fire & Emergency Services in connection with a violation of By-Law No. 2015-1446 and/or the costs for extinguishing an out of control fire.

Any Open Air Fire Burning Permit may be cancelled or suspended at any time by the Chief Fire Official or his/her designate and immediately upon receiving notice of such cancellation or suspension, the permit holder shall extinguish any fire started under the permit.

Date of Issue

Permit Holder Signature

Issuing Officer Signature



Information regarding open air burning can be viewed on our website at www.mycallander.ca or by contacting the Fire Chief at 705-752-1410 x225.

As per Open-Air Burning By-law 2015-1446 and Setting of Consumer Fireworks By-law 2012-1335:

No person(s) or owner(s) of land shall:

1. Set a fire or permit the setting of a fire or having set or permitted the setting of a fire, permit a fire to continue to burn without first having obtained a burning permit. The permit holder shall keep this permit at the site of the open-air fire for which it was issued and shall produce and show this permit to any officer upon request.
2. Set a fire or permit the setting of a fire or allow a fire to burn no earlier than two (2) hours before sunset, and no later than two (2) hours after sunrise, during the fire season (April 1 to October 31, inclusive).
3. Set a fire or permit the setting of a fire or allow a fire to burn in any highway, park, walkway, public land, or upon any land owned by the Corporation of the Municipality of Callander without having first obtained permission to do so from the Chief Fire Official or his/her designate.
4. Set a fire or permit a fire to burn when the wind is in such a direction or of such intensity so as to create a decrease in the visibility on any highway or cause danger to any person or structure.
5. Burn industrial waste, agricultural waste, domestic waste, petroleum products, rubber, painted lumber, mixed demolition debris or anything else that will cause excessive smoke or fumes in addition to any other material identified in the regulations contained in the Environmental Protection Act.
6. Create, by the setting or burning of the fire, any odour which causes discomfort to any person residing in the area.
7. Set a fire or allow a fire to burn on any land of which he/she is not the registered owner, without the written permission of the registered owner.
8. Start a fire or permit the setting of a fire or allow a fire to burn in a restricted fire zone.

Further,

1. The fire must be attended, at all times, until it is completely extinguished before leaving the site.
2. There must be enough firefighting equipment, in serviceable condition, such as a charged garden hose to the burn site or pails of water and a spade.
3. If you live in the "Urban Settlement Area":
 - The fire must be kept at least four (4) metres from any dwelling and/or any structure.
 - The fire cannot be larger than 60cm x 60cm x 60cm (2 feet x 2 feet x 2 feet).
 - If the wind exceeds 15 km/h, fires are not permitted.
4. If you live outside the "Urban Settlement Area":
 - The fire must be kept at least six (6) metres from any dwelling and/or any structure.
 - If the wind exceeds 20 km/h, fires are not permitted.
5. If the smoke creates a nuisance (i.e. bothers the neighbours) then you need to extinguish the fire.