

# KITSAP COUNTY OUTDOOR BURNING PERMIT

Date Issued: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Expires \_\_\_\_\_ Dist/Dept: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Permittee: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Burn Location: \_\_\_\_\_

## ALL OUTDOOR FIRES

- A responsible person capable of extinguishing the fire must attend it at all times.
- A shovel and a garden hose connected to a water source and/or a bucket filled with at least 5 gallons of water must be on site.
- The pile must be situated at least 25' from any combustibles .
- The person responsible for the fire must check current outdoor burning information (see phone numbers below) before igniting the fire. An outdoor fire may not be ignited and must be extinguished if an air quality or fire danger burn ban is declared that applies to the type of burning being conducted.
- The fire must be extinguished immediately if: Any emission from the fire is detrimental to the health, safety or welfare of any person; if it causes damage to property or business; or if it causes a nuisance.
- Permission from the landowner or owner's designated representative must be obtained before igniting an outdoor fire.
- Only one pile at a time may be burned and each pile must be extinguished before another is ignited.
- This permit may be revoked at any time due to high winds or any other condition that constitutes a fire hazard.
- This permit must be kept on site at all times when burning is being conducted.

### RECREATIONAL OUTDOOR FIRES

- No permit required.
- Permissible countywide.
- Burn pile must be less than 3'L x 3'W x 2'H in a designated fire pit that is situated 25' away from any structures.
- Burn ONLY dry seasoned firewood or charcoal.

### SMALL RESIDENTIAL OUTDOOR FIRES

- Permissible only outside "no burn" zones.
- Permit is required and valid through the last day of the calendar year.
- Burn pile must not be larger than 4'L x 4'W x 3'H.
- The burn pile must be 10 times the diameter of the pile from any structure.
- No fire will be ignited before sunrise, and no material will be added to the fire after sunset.
- The fire may NOT contain materials hauled from another property.
- Burn only natural vegetation such as leaves, clippings or prunings.

### LARGE RESIDENTIAL OUTDOOR FIRES

- Permissible only outside "no burn" zones.
- Permit is required and valid for 14 days.
- Burn pile must not be larger than 10'L x 10'W x 7'H.
- The burn pile must be 10 times the diameter of the pile (to a maximum of 50 feet) from any structure.
- No fire will be ignited before sunrise, and no material will be added to the fire after sunset.
- The fire may NOT contain materials hauled from another property.
- Burn only natural vegetation such as leaves, clippings or prunings.

### SPECIAL OUTDOOR FIRES

- Must be applied for in person at the fire agency serving the area where the fire is planned.
- Special conditions related to the approved special outdoor fire must be attached to this permit.

**TO CHECK ON THE STATUS OF BURN BANS:**

Bainbridge Island (206)842-7686    North Kitsap (360)297-4888    Central Kitsap (360)447-3555    South Kitsap (360)871-2425  
 Puget Sound Clean Air Agency (800)595-4341

By signing this application the permittee agrees to comply with the conditions listed herein, the provisions of WAC 173-425, RCW 70.94 and other applicable county or municipal codes regarding outdoor burning and acknowledges responsibility for any claims arising from activities performed under this burning permit.

PERMITTEE SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_  
 FIRE DIST/DEPT SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMPL NUMBER : \_\_\_\_\_

