



BONNEVILLE COUNTY FIRE DISTRICT

PREVENTION DIVISION

OPEN BURN PERMIT

In accordance with the most currently adopted edition of the International Fire Code, Section 307;

General: A person shall not kindle or maintain or authorize to be kindled or maintained, any open burning unless conducted and approved in accordance with this permit. A permit is not required for a recreational fire so long as it meets all specifications listed in the Fire Code.

Prohibited Open Burning: Open burning shall be prohibited when atmospheric conditions or local circumstances make such fires hazardous.

Permit Required: A permit shall be obtained from the *Fire Code Official* prior to kindling a fire for recognized silvicultural or range or wildlife management practices, prevention or control of disease or pests, or a bonfire. Application for such approval shall only be presented by and permits issued to the *owner* of the land upon which the fire is to be kindled.

The following conditions shall be adhered to completely. Failure to do so may result in the issuance of a fine by the Fire Chief or his designated representative (designee) from the Bonneville County Fire District 1 (BCFD1). This fine is not to exceed \$300.00 for each offense.

- ✚ This permit is valid for seven (7) days; the permit holder (PH) must contact the permit issuer for additional extensions.
- ✚ Controlled burning (CB) must be at least 50 ft. away from any building or structure, including fences.
- ✚ The Responsible Party (RP) and PH must notify BCFD1 at (208) 948-6526 before starting a CB.
- ✚ If you feel the fire is "out of control" at any time, **Call 9-1-1 immediately!**
- ✚ All CB must be conducted during daylight hours only.
- ✚ All CB are prohibited when wind speed exceeds ten (10) mph.
- ✚ PH must comply with all issued burn ban periods by BCFD1.
- ✚ When all burning is finished, the RP must notify BCFD1, at (208) 948-6526, that the CB is complete.
- ✚ All CB must be attended at all times; unattended burning shall be grounds for permit revocation and the "CB" will be extinguished.
- ✚ Burning materials that cause dense smoke, offensive odors, or nuisance, i.e. garbage, rubber/tires, plastic, items containing plastic or rubber, animal waste, hay, straw, grass clippings, oil, paint, painted or treated wood (including railroad ties), are strictly prohibited within the City of Ammon (CoA).
- ✚ Only materials from the property of the permit holder can be burned.
- ✚ A garden hose connected to a water supply or other fire extinguishing equipment must be readily available during the CB period.

NOTE: The Fire Chief or his designee is authorized to determine materials as non-compliant if called to investigate a potential nuisance or hazardous situation and can require any open burning to be extinguished if it is determined to be non-compliant.

RESPONSIBLE PARTY INFORMATION:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

The RP is hereby issued a permit to burn natural materials only, i.e. branches and leaves, **all other materials are prohibited, see above.**

Issued For: _____ Through: _____

Extension Dates: _____ Through: _____

PLEASE READ: My signature here certifies that I have read and understand the requirements of this Open Burn Permit and I shall assume full responsibility for compliance with all provisions within. *The issuance of this permit in no way relieves me, the RP, from fire damage and/or related fire suppression costs as a result of the fire escaping from the control of said "RP" or the "permitted" address.*

Responsible Party

Date:

Issued by BCFD1 or CoA Administrative Representative (for the Fire Marshal)

Date:

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