



FIRE & RESCUE SERVICE

Open Air Burn Permit APPLICATION

<u>PERMIT NUMBER</u>

No person shall set or maintain a fire without first having reviewed BYLAW No 2021-050. **APPROVAL of an Open Air Burn Permit REQUIRES submission of a completed application a MINIMUM of 24 hours prior to the requested date of burning.** Completed applications can be submitted in person to 985 Lesperance Road or 5520 Walker Road, or electronically to www.tecumseh.ca or dkelly@tecumseh.ca

APPLICANT Information

NAME:	
CIVIC ADDRESS:	
PHONE NUMBER:	
EMAIL ADDRESS:	

PROPERTY OWNER: YES NO

If NO to the above, **written consent of the owner** of the property where the open air fire is proposed to be set is **required**. See Section 4(3)(b) of Bylaw 2021-050.

BURN PERMIT Information

PROPERTY / BURN SITE: <small>(911 / Civic Address)</small>	
REQUESTED DATE(S) FOR BURNING: <small>(Specific)</small>	
BURN LOCATION ON PROPERTY: <small>(Where specifically on the property?)</small>	
PROPERTY TYPE: <small>(Residential / Residential Farm / Agricultural Farm / Vacant Land / Golf Course)</small>	
BETWEEN WHAT ROADS/STREETS: <small>(Roads/Streets on either side or above/below the property.)</small>	
MATERIALS BEING BURNED: <small>(See Sec 1(17) "Prohibited Materials")</small>	
METHOD TO EXTINGUISH ON SITE: <small>(What will be used to extinguish? Water Tank / Garden Hose / Dirt / Extinguisher / Tractor / Bobcat)</small>	
HOURS OF BURN: <small>(Must be during Daylight Hours Only)</small>	
SIZE of BURN PILE: <small>(Cannot exceed 1 pile with a max. dimension of 4 metres (13ft))</small>	

The permit is good only for the information above, and in accordance with the Town of Tecumseh Consolidated Bylaw 2021-50, its requirements, prohibitions, offences and set fines. See Page 2 of application for the schedule of set fines. The owner of the property is responsible for adhering to bylaw regulations. The approved permit MUST be presented during the burn, if requested.

_____ (Date)

_____ (Signature of Applicant/Owner)

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Windsor Dispatch Notified: <input type="checkbox"/> YES	Date of Fire Department Authorization:	
Fire Station Notified: <input type="checkbox"/> YES	Signature of Fire Official	
Date(s) for which BURN IS AUTHORIZED:		



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BYLAW REQUIREMENTS (General Summary - Read Sections 3 through 6)

1. Burning is limited to the specific area and material approved within the permit.
2. Weather and wind conditions must be favorable in order to have a fire.
3. The fire shall be supervised by a competent adult equipped with sufficient equipment to control and to contain the fire to prevent the spread of the fire that would endanger or put at risk other properties or premises.
4. No burn pile can be within four (4) meters of a structure, fence or property line.
5. No burning of “prohibited materials” as defined under Section 1(17) of Bylaw 2021-50.
6. Fires that create an annoyance or irritation to adjacent persons, properties or premises shall be extinguished.
7. The bearer of this permit, who sets an open air fire within the Town of Tecumseh, shall be liable for all costs incurred by the Town, included but not limited to the costs of equipment and personnel required for response by Tecumseh Fire and Rescue Services, personnel and other agencies called to control and extinguish said fire on a Full Cost Recovery Basis, and in accordance with the Town’s current Administrative Fees and Charges Bylaw.
8. Any person who contravenes any provision(s) of this bylaw is guilty of an offense.

SET FINES under Part I – Provincial Offences Act (Schedule “B” to Tecumseh Bylaw #2021-50)

Item	Wording	Offence Creating Provision or Defining Offence	Set Fine Amount
1	Burn without a permit	3 (1)	\$100.00
2	Fail to follow condition of permit	3 (3) (b)	\$100.00
3	Fire exceeds permitted size	3 (3) (c)	\$100.00
4	Burn during smog alert	3 (3) (d)	\$250.00
5	Burn during burn ban	3 (3) (e)	\$100.00
6	Fail to supervise fire by competent adult	3 (3) (f)	\$100.00
7	Fire not in safe location	3 (3) (g)	\$100.00
8	Burning prohibited materials	3 (3) (h)	\$300.00
9	Burning in commercial or industrial area	3 (3) (i)	\$200.00
10	Burning materials not generated by property	3 (3) (j)	\$300.00
11	Burning on public highway or property	3 (3) (k)	\$100.00
12	Burn with no means of extinguishment	3 (3) (l)	\$100.00
13	Fail to extinguish fire	3 (3) (m)	\$100.00
14	Fire causing a hazard	3 (3) (n)	\$200.00
15	Smoke or debris causing a hazard	3 (3) (o)	\$200.00
16	Burn outside of daylight hours	5 (1) (b)	\$100.00
17	Failure to supervise fire by competent adult	5 (1) (c)	\$100.00
18	Burn without firebreak	5 (1) (d)	\$100.00

Personal information collected in accordance with the *Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*. Questions regarding this collection should be directed to the Municipal Clerk, Town of Tecumseh, 917 Lesperance Road, Tecumseh, ON N8N 1W9, 519-735-2184. Website: www.tecumseh.ca.