

Application and Permit for:  
Open Burning for Agricultural Purposes on  
Non-State Owned Property.

No burning permitted between June 15 – Sept. 15

**APPLICANT INFORMATION**

Applicant Name:	Applicant Signature:
Applicant's Address:	Home Phone:
	Work Phone:
Applicant's Email Address:	Cell Phone:

Street Address of the proposed burn:

Date(s) and Time of proposed burn:

Is the property where the proposed activity is to occur an agricultural and/or farming operation as defined in Connecticut General Statutes, Chapter 1, Section 1-1 (q):  
 Yes       No

Description of the proposed activity:

Justification that the proposed activity is necessary and supports an Agricultural Purpose:

Description and quantity of the material to be burned:

Methods and equipment immediately available to control and extinguish the burn:

- Attached Sketch Map Showing:**
- Geographic North
  - Property line boundaries; Proposed burn location; Distance to the nearest grasslands or woodlands
  - Nearest public roads, structures and occupied dwellings and distances (i.e. potential recipients that could be impacted by the burn, smoke, flying embers, brands or radiant heat; potential runoff into catch basins, streams, rivers, and water bodies)
  - Other flammable or combustible materials including liquid and/or gaseous storage above or below ground on site or upon abutting or adjacent properties
  - Any hazards, i.e. overhead utilities
  - Other

**APPLICANT IS REQUESTED TO PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ONLY IF CHECKED BY OPEN BURNING OFFICIAL:**

- Documented Proof of Ownership of the property on which the burning is proposed to occur. (i.e., Copy of the following documents – Assessor's Card, Title, Deed)
- If the applicant is not the owner of the property, then Documented Proof of Ownership of the property on which the open burning is proposed to occur and Authorization from the Property Owner to conduct the proposed burn.
- Documented Proof of Notification to adjacent property owners prior to proposed burning.
- Other:

**END OF APPLICATION**

**PERMIT CONDITIONS**

1. This is a valid permit only when signed by the Local Open Burning Official.
2. The permit does not relieve the permittee of any legal liability which may be incurred as a result of the fire.
3. Failure to adhere to the conditions of the permit may result in penalties and/or other enforcement actions.

<p><b>THIS PERMIT IS NOT VALID UNDER ANY OF THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS:</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• When national or state ambient air quality standards may be exceeded.</li> <li>• Where a hazardous health condition might be created.</li> <li>• When the Air Quality Index (AQI) is predicted to be 100 or higher anywhere in the State as indicated in the Table entitled "Predicted Daily AQI Maximums for Month/Day/Year" as found at <a href="http://www.ct.gov/deep/aqi">www.ct.gov/deep/aqi</a></li> <li>• When the Forest Fire Danger Level is high, very high, or extreme, as found at <a href="http://www.ct.gov/deep/forestfiredanger">www.ct.gov/deep/forestfiredanger</a></li> <li>• When there is an advisory from the State of Connecticut's Department of Energy and Environmental Protection of any air pollution episode.</li> </ul>
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<p><b>GENERAL CONDITIONS: APPLICABLE TO ALL PERMITS</b></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Open burning is limited to the activities as approved by the local Open Burning Official.</li> <li>2. Burning must cease if so directed by any member of the Town Fire Marshal's Office, any Peace Officer, any Officer of the Fire Department, any designated municipal official responsible for enforcing the open burning laws and ordinances or any Official of the State of Connecticut's Department of Energy and Environmental Protection.</li> <li>3. During the burn, all reasonable measures to assure complete combustion and reduce excessive smoke are to be taken.</li> <li>4. At the completion of the burn period, all embers and coals shall be extinguished so as to prevent excessive smoke and fugitive ash emissions.</li> <li>5. All reasonable safety precautions shall be taken and fire suppression/control equipment shall be immediately available.</li> <li>6. This permit must be immediately available on site during the burn.</li> <li>7. Burning may only be conducted between the hours of 10:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. on a sunny or partly sunny day with the wind speed between five and fifteen miles per hour.</li> <li>8. Burning shall not create a nuisance to nearby properties.</li> <li>9. Final Verbal Approval needed prior to burning: Call 860-633-8301 &gt; Option 8</li> <li>10. Permit Valid from _____ to _____</li> </ol>
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**THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY THE LOCAL OPEN BURNING OFFICIAL**

<p><b>SPECIAL CONDITIONS: APPLICABLE IF CHECKED</b></p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Burning may be initiated only in the presence of the Open Burning Official.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A fire crew and appropriate apparatus must be stationed at the burning site prior to ignition.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Burning may not take place when the wind is from the _____ direction.</p> <p>Other conditions:</p>
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**In evaluating this application, did the Open Burn Official find it necessary to consult with the State of Connecticut's Department of Agriculture to determine if the proposed activity is an agricultural or farm related operation and the burn supports an agricultural purpose?**

- Yes       No

**This permit is GRANTED.**

**This permit is NOT GRANTED for the following reasons:**

<b>Local Open Burning Official Signature:</b>	<b>Town:</b>	<b>Date:</b>
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