

**Fort Scott Fire Department
BURN PERMIT**

FOR AN EMERGENCY DIAL 911 NON EMERGENCY (620) 223-2140

Issue Date: _____

Expiration Date: _____

Permission is hereby granted to _____ to ignite and maintain OPEN BURNING on the premises herein described on the date of issue, daylight hours only, as specified upon permission requested and obtained from the Fort Scott Fire Department for each separate fire each separate day.

LOCATION OF BURN, TYPE OF MATERIAL, & ADDITIONAL CONCERNS

This permit is issued with the understanding that the undersigned assumes all responsibilities for any fire damage that may occur from the use of this permit.

Signed: Name _____
 Address _____
 Phone # _____

REGULATIONS APPLICABLE TO ALL PERMITS

1. Prior to igniting the fire, the site of the burn and the material being burned will be inspected by fire department personnel.
2. The site of the burn will not be less than 50 feet from any structure or item that will cause fire spread.
Exception: If the material, being burned, is in an adequate container, then the site may be reduced to a minimum of 25 feet.
3. The material being burned will be confined to brush. No paper, wood, leaves, garbage, or oil based products such as plastic, shingles, tires, or any item that will produce a heavy black smoke will be allowed to be burned.
4. Items to be burned must be in small manageable piles.
5. No burning on street, sidewalk, alleys or easements.
6. There must be an adequate water source present at all times.
7. The individual burning will attend the fire at all times.
8. Burning will be prohibited if wind conditions exceed 15 mph.
9. All fires must be out by dark.
10. The fire chief or his authorized personnel have the authority to require the open burning be extinguished immediately if determined that the smoke emissions are offensive to occupants of surrounding property, or if it is determined to constitute a hazardous condition.

“CITATIONS MAY BE ISSUED IF PERMIT REGULATIONS ARE VIOLATED”

The City of Fort Scott, it's officers and employees assume no responsibility or liability for fire damage resulting from the use of this permit.

Issued by _____

FIRE CAN BE COSTLY..... PLAY IT SAFE!!