



# PERMIT CONDITIONS

You May Burn	You May NOT Burn
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Yard clippings, brush, and other vegetation</li> <li>•Paper, paper products, or cardboard, only if:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Used to start a fire</li> <li>• Produced and burned at a single-family residence</li> <li>• Produced and burned at a building with four or fewer apartments or housing units</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>AND</b></p> <p>Piles less than 10 feet in diameter</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>OR</b></p> <p>30 feet or less of ditch bank or fence line vegetation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Garbage</li> <li>• Plastic</li> <li>• Hazardous waste</li> <li>• Dead animals or parts of dead animals</li> <li>• Junked motor vehicles</li> <li>• Tires</li> <li>• Asphalt</li> <li>• Construction or demolition waste</li> <li>• Treated lumber or timber</li> <li>• Pesticides or packaging</li> <li>• Batteries</li> <li>• Light bulbs</li> <li>• Asbestos</li> <li>• Pathological organisms</li> <li>• Insulated wire</li> <li>• Any material that makes dark smoke other than vegetative materials</li> </ul>

For more information about the health effects of outdoor burning visit: [www.epa.gov/r10earth/FARR.htm](http://www.epa.gov/r10earth/FARR.htm)

*Burning must be conducted in compliance with 40 CFR 49.131 General Open Burning and 49.132 General Open Burning Permits*

Who to Contact for more Information:

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US EPA: 800-424-4EPA (FARR Hotline)  
[www.epa.gov/r10earth/FARR.htm](http://www.epa.gov/r10earth/FARR.htm)

Smoke impacts on public roads, schools, daycares, medical facilities, elder homes and other sensitive people or areas must be prevented as a condition of this permit. Burning is not permitted during burn bans or air pollution episodes, or when the Nez Perce Tribe or EPA determines that burning will cause an adverse impact to air quality. This permit is part of a federal air quality program administered by the Nez Perce Tribe to control emissions of air pollutants and manage smoke for air quality purposes. These rules apply to any person within the exterior boundaries of the 1863 Nez Perce Indian reservation.

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We appreciate your comments or feedback. Please write below.

**Q: Why do I need a permit?**

A: Smoke from open burning is an air pollutant with effects on air quality and public health (especially for children and the elderly).

**Q: What are some alternatives to outdoor burning?**

A: Chipping and shredding vegetation for composting. Also, household items such as glass, plastics and paper can be recycled and should not be burned.

**Q: How can I burn more cleanly?**

A: Make sure your fuel is as dry as possible, separate the fire from damp ground and be sure there is enough draft to keep the fire burning hot.

**Q: Are there exceptions?**

A: Cultural, traditional and recreational fires are exempt and do not require a permit.

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