



# EAST UMATILLA FIRE & RESCUE

422 West Mill Street Weston, OR 97886 (541-566-2311)

## RESIDENTIAL OPEN BURNING PERMIT

Name of Responsible Party for this Burn Permit (printed) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

FIRE TO TAKE PLACE AT SAME ADDRESS YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

IF "NO" IS SELECTED, ADDRESS OF BURNING THE ABOVE IS RESPONSIBLE FOR:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**DATES ISSUED: VALID ON "UMATILLA COUNTY DESIGNATED  
BURN DAYS"**

**From October 1, 2024 until July 1, 2025**

**To Determine today has been designated as a  
"Burn Day"**

**In Umatilla County – call 541-278-6397**

### **CONDITIONS THIS PERMIT USER AGREES TO FOLLOW:**

- 1) Controlled burn area must follow these instructions or burn activity must be approved by the Fire Chief (or a designee). Barrels must be made of steel, with a screen covered top, located at least 25 feet from any structure or combustible materials. Ground must be cleared down to mineral soil a minimum of 10 feet in all directions from the burn barrel.
- 2) A constant (not an extinguisher or bucket) water source must be at the fire.
- 3) All burning will be completed 30 minutes prior to sundown. (Residents of Weston please see Weston Burn Ordinance).



- 4) Fire must have constant supervision by a competent person until the fire poses no threat.
- 5) Burning material going aloft must be confined to the cleared space within the approved area.
- 6) Oregon Department of Environmental Quality prohibits burning of the following materials: Rubber or tires, Plastic, Garbage, Petroleum or petroleum containing products, Asphalt or Industrial Waste. Any material that creates dense smoke or noxious odors. Tree stumps cannot be burned – unless they are removed from the ground and allowed to completely dry.
- 7) Ample area for fire district vehicle access must be available at all times. User of this permit grants and authorizes any Fire District Designee to enter private property for the purpose of verifying compliance, extinguishing a fire or contacting a responsible party.
- 8) The Oregon Department of Environmental Quality and/or the Umatilla County Sheriff's office is responsible for assessing penalties when this open burning permit is violated, not the Fire District.
- 9) If the Oregon Department of Forestry provides fire protection to the location this permit allows burning, I understand I am subject to; and will follow ODF rules and Regulations for Open Burning.
- 10) By using this permit and starting a fire, I understand I could be held responsible for damage to property, the cost of fire suppression, and civil/criminal penalties. Further, I Hold Harmless East Umatilla Fire and Rescue, or any other department/district called to assist them, for damages that may inadvertently occur when extinguishing a fire this permit describes. This permit can be revoked at any time. Also, the applicant or the address may be placed on "probation" for three years. A person starting a fire may also incur "cost to suppress" fees and possibly other penalties. If the applicant fails to comply with any of the conditions listed, the Fire Chief or designee is authorized to disallow or extinguish any residential controlled burn at any time it is deemed to be a threat (In Accordance With ORS 478.960).

*"My signature below indicates I am the person responsible for burning at the permit address, and that I have read and understand the permit, the penalties listed and the permit's regulations."*

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

  
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Dave Baty  
Fire Chief  
East Umatilla Fire and Rescue  
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