

**Collin County Fire Marshal's Office**  
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**AGRICULTURE BURN PERMIT APPLICATION**

**Requirements:** A copy of the current year Collin Central Appraisal District information must be submitted with the Application as proof of exemption. This information can be obtained by visiting [collincad.org](http://collincad.org)

PERMIT FEE: EXEMPT

\*\*\*\*Permit expires December 31 of each year\*\*\*\*

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Landowner (if different from applicant): \_\_\_\_\_

Landowner's mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Landowner's phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Physical address of burn site (if different from mailing address):

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City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

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Permit #: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: December 31, 20 \_\_\_\_\_

Received by: \_\_\_\_\_

**A call must be made EACH day to (972) 548-4799 PRIOR TO BURNING for Daily Burn Status.**

I, the undersigned, have reviewed and understand and will adhere to the regulations set forth by the Fire Code Official and the Collin County Fire Marshal's Office as they pertain to Open Burning.

I do hereby release Collin County, Collin County Fire Marshal's Office, any Officials, or any member thereof, of any responsibility for damage or loss incurred from burning of the above described materials.

I understand that I am liable for any and all financial remuneration relating to the suppression of and/or any damage caused by fire that originated from the burning of the described material.

Open Burning applications for approval shall only be presented by and permits issued to the owner of the land upon in which the fire is to be kindled. A landowner's letter of agreement is acceptable and must accompany the application.

**GENERAL:** Open burning shall be conducted as required by other governing agencies regulating emissions, i.e. T.C.E.Q. **ONLY** natural materials that are dry plant growth shall be burned.

**No burn permits will be issued inside of a city limits.**

**CLEARANCES:** Open burning is **NOT** permitted on lots where there is less than 50 feet of clearance from a structure and 50 feet from other combustible material, i.e. trees, bushes, power lines, etc.

**There must be a 50 foot fire break around the material to be burned**

**PILE SIZE:** The burn pile shall be no larger than 10 feet in diameter and 5 feet in height.

**ATTENDANCE:** A competent person shall continuously attend the burn pile until the fire is extinguished. This person shall have a water supply or other fire extinguishing equipment readily available for use.

**HOURS:** Hours of burning shall be confined to one hour after sunrise and one hour prior to sunset.

**ALL FIRES\* SHALL BE EXTINGUISHED BEFORE SUNSET.**

**\* A FIRE IS ANY AMOUNT OF HEAT WHICH CAN PRODUCE SMOKE OR FLAME.**

**DISCONTINUANCE:** The Fire Marshal is authorized to require that open burning be immediately discontinued if it is determined that the open burning constitutes a hazardous condition. During burn bans and ozone action days there is no open burning.

**EXTINGUISHMENT AUTHORITY:** The Fire Marshal and or local responding emergency services official is authorized to order the extinguishment of the fire if in their opinion the Open Burning creates a hazardous situation.

**FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE ABOVE RULES MAY RESULT IN THE ISSUANCE OF A CITATION AND/OR LOSS OF FUTURE BURNING PRIVILEGES.**