

HULMEVILLE BOROUGH

INCORPORATED 1872

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OFFICE OF THE FIRE MARSHAL

APPLICATION FOR OPEN BURNING PERMIT

Please complete all the information requested. See page 2 for ways to return this application when completed.

Be sure to include a telephone number where you can be reached.

The Fire Marshal will inspect the location where the open burning is to take place to ensure it is an appropriate and acceptable location. Additional precautions may be required. An inspection will also be held the day the open burning is to take place. The open burning permit will be issued that day, upon payment of the appropriate fee, and assuming all conditions are acceptable (e.g., no high winds).

Name:	
Telephone:	
Address:	(where the open burning is to take place)
Purpose:	
Date of burn:	
Start time:	

Open Burning Conditions and Requirements

- 1. The fire permitted by this permit is limited to a campfire using wood or charcoal as fuel. The burning of trash, construction debris, flammable and/or combustible liquids or any other fuel source is prohibited.
- The fire must be contained to an approved ring or other suitable container no greater than 6 feet in diameter approved by the Fire Marshal. Open flames shall not exceed five (5) feet in height.
- 3. The fire must be constantly attended and a means to extinguish the fire, approved by the Fire Marshal, must be within twenty (20) feet of the fire at all times.
- 4. The fire must be a minimum of twenty (20) feet from any combustible structure, including outbuildings, fences, and woodpiles, and from any windows into any structure.
- 5. In the event of high winds (i.e., sufficient to blow sparks or embers beyond the campfire), the property owner must extinguish the fire. Under any circumstances, the fire must be completely extinguished at the expiration of the burn permit or earlier.
- 6. Burn permit fee: \$10.00.



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Options to return this form include mail, email, or fax. Information for each option is provided below.

By mail: Fire Marshal

Hulmeville Borough 321 Main Street Hulmeville, PA 19047

By fax: Attn: Hulmeville Borough Fire Marshal

Fax #: 215-701-0645

By email: <u>firemarshal@hulmeville-pa.gov</u>

NOTE:

• The Fire Marshal's position is a part-time position within the Borough. Although every attempt will be made to accommodate your request, no guarantee is provided that we will be able to do so. Please be sure to submit your application sufficiently in advance to allow us time to respond.