



TOWN OF PELHAM
MASSACHUSETTS
FIRE DEPARTMENT

OPEN AIR BURNING SEASON

JANUARY 15 — MAY 1

- RULES AND REGULATIONS -

M.G.L. Chap. 48

PERMITS

FEE - \$15.00

To receive a permit, you must call the Pelham Fire Department at 253-3311.
An inspection will be conducted the first time you call and your permit will be issued.

Once issued a permit, you need only call and leave a message indicating
your name, location and the day(s) you plan to burn.

Burning will be permitted on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays only.

All fires must be at least 75 ' from any dwelling.

Materials shall not be piled to exceed a height of three (3) feet.

Shall not exceed a width of ten (10) feet and not to exceed a length of ten (10) feet.

Burning will be permitted only between the hours of 10:00 am and 4:00 pm.

- All Fires to be Extinguished / Completely Out by 4:00 pm -

Note: In case of heavy winds or otherwise dangerous or environmental conditions,
permits will be invalid as provided by law.

Visit the fire department news & events page to view the current fire danger level
www.pelhamfd.com/news-events/

Materials Permitted to Burn:

Tree Branches
Brush
Cane
Driftwood
Forestry Debris

Materials Not Permitted to Burn:

Leaves, Grass, Hay, Whole Trees
Stumps, Tires, Plastics, Paints,
Styrofoam, Household Trash,
Motor Oil, Building Materials,
Land Clearing for Building Sites.

By Authority:

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