OPEN AIR BURNING SEASON
JANUARY 15 – MAY 1
-RULES AND REGULATIONS-
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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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Pelham Fire Chief / Forest Fire Warden

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