

OSNABURG TOWNSHIP FIRE DEPARTMENT

Open Burning Regulations

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Barbeques, Campfires, Cookouts	Wood stack no larger than 2 ft. high x 3 ft. wide. Use clean, seasoned firewood or equivalent.
Agricultural Waste	Agricultural wastes and plant matter such as tree trimmings, stumps, brush, weeds, leaves, grass, shrubbery and material from crop or livestock production. This includes fence posts and scrap lumber, but not buildings. <i>Fire must be more than 1,000 feet from neighbor's inhabited building. Must notify Ohio EPA in Advance.</i>
Land-Clearing Waste	Not Permitted in City Limits.
Residential Waste	Not Permitted in City Limits.
Ceremonial Fires	Wood stack no larger than 5ft. high X 5ft. Wide. <i>Must notify EPA for permission in advance.</i>

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Land-Clearing Waste	Plant matter such as tree trimmings, stumps, brush, weeds, leaves, grass, shrubbery and crop residues. <i>With prior written permission from Ohio EPA. This may take two weeks.</i>
Residential Waste	Plant matter such as tree trimmings, stumps, brush, weeds, leaves, grass, shrubbery and crop residues. Also wastes such as wood or paper products. <i>Fire must be more than 1,000 feet from neighbor's inhabited building.</i>
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All open fires require a permit from the fire department in the village of East Canton and Osnaburg Township.

Any staff member may inspect and approve an open burning site. If there are any questions or problems refer the site to fire prevention. Once approved residents will receive a copy of their open burning permit. The original will be filed with fire prevention.