



**OPEN BURNING  
PERMIT- GO-NO-GO Checklist**  
EAGLE COUNTY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

**GO-NO-GO Checklist for Limited-Burning Periods**

Limited Burning Period Dates: February 1 – March 15; November 15 – December 15

*Please fill out the following Checklist. If all ten questions have been answered “YES”, you may proceed with your approved Open Burning Permit. ALL EAGLE COUNTY OPEN BURNING RESTRICTIONS AND REQUIREMENTS REMAIN IN EFFECT DURING THE LIMITED BURNING PERIOD DATES.*

<b>Checklist Item</b> <i>(Each item must be checked either Yes or No)</i>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
Has your burn pile been inspected and approved for size and materials burned by Eagle County or Fire District personnel?		
Is the local fire district in receipt of current approved open burning permit from Eagle County?		
Is permit holder monitoring and recording weather at burn site for changing conditions?		
Has permit holder obtained the general smoke management forecast for the area?		
Is the smoke dispersion forecast predicted <b>FAIR</b> or better for the duration of the burn? Has the permit holder confirmed this with Eagle County Wildfire Mitigation?		
Is the one day volume of fuels to be burned ≤160 cubic feet? (maximum pile size 4ft x 4ft x 10ft)		
Are <u>all</u> required persons and equipment in place and ready to operate?		
There are <b>NO</b> State or Eagle County burn restrictions in effect.		
Is the relative humidity ≥ 20%?		
The burn is <b>NOT</b> scheduled for a Saturday or Sunday.		

**Minimum Notifications:**

After burn approval, the permit holder is required to notify the following agencies and/or individuals:

**Eagle County Dispatch:** (970) 479-2201  
**Eric Lovgren –**  
**Eagle County Wildfire Mitigation Specialist:** (970) 328-8742  
**Mobile:** (970) 471-2288

**Limited Burning Period Special Requirements:**

**Weather Observations:**

At the time of ignition and every few hours after, on site weather observations will be taken and recorded to determine if the burn is within fire weather prescriptions. The permit holder shall record the following: location of observations, temperature, smoke dispersal, wind speed and direction, relative humidity, % cloud cover (this information can be obtained for above listed smoke management web site or by observations made in the field). **Failure to monitor weather and smoke dispersal will result in Eagle County revoking permit.**

**Access, Equipment, and Staffing:**

Access to burn site by firefighting personnel shall not be restricted, and must be maintained or no burning will be allowed (during the winter months this includes adequate snow removal). While burning is in progress, a sufficient number of people will monitor the burn at all times.

**Smoke Management Web Site:** <http://www.crh.noaa.gov/gjt/Scripts/pfw.php?lat=39.70N&lon=106.97W>  
**Fire Danger (NRDRS) Web Site:** <http://www.fs.fed.us/r2/fire/gjc/firemain.htm#>



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**OFFICE USE ONLY:**     Training     Private     Recreational     Agricultural  
Permit No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Issued: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE CONSIDER ALL ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS FIRST**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of person who will remain on site for entire burn: \_\_\_\_\_  
Exact Burn Site Location: \_\_\_\_\_  
Property Owner or Lessee: \_\_\_\_\_ Burn Site Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Proximity to Public Lands: \_\_\_\_\_ Proximity to Structures/fences: \_\_\_\_\_  
Purpose, Type and Total Amount of Material to be burned: \_\_\_\_\_

Starting Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Estimated number of days required to complete burn: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Conditions: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Please Note:**

- **Local fire district and Eagle County approval are both necessary to validate permit.**
- **Burning without a permit or violating the conditions set forth in this permit can be subject to a penalty of not more than one hundred dollars per day during which such violation occurs in accordance with 25-7-123(3).**

I've read and understand all the conditions on the **reverse** side for permit approval.

**It is my understanding that failure to comply with the provisions of this permit may result in legal action being taken against my representative(s) or myself.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Eagle County Approval:**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Local Fire District Approval:**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Basalt / El Jebel Area

***I understand that I must contact Aspen Communications Center by telephone ((970) 920-5310) each day before I start burning and again when the fire has been extinguished.***

Initials:

■ **Basalt and Rural Fire Protection District:** Phone: (970) 704-0675 Fax: (970) 704-0625

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### Restrictions and Requirements:

**Please Note: The Colorado Clean Air Act does not allow fires that are a nuisance to others.**

1. Open Burning is prohibited by the Basalt and Rural Fire Protection District between the dates of **May 31<sup>st</sup>** and **October 1<sup>st</sup>**.
2. The owner or responsible person shall notify Aspen Communication Center prior to and after burn is completed at **920-5310**.
3. This permit shall be available at the burn site while burning, and it must be shown upon request of an appropriate official.
4. Open burning is only allowed during daylight hours. All fires must be extinguished before dusk.
5. Open burning is not allowed during periods of extreme fire danger or when winds exceed 5 miles per hour. Burning is discouraged during afternoon hours because of potential winds.
6. Construction materials, treated or painted woods, trash, any plastics, tires or similar dense or toxic smoke producing substances are prohibited from being burned.
7. Open burning is prohibited within 25 feet of any structure.
8. A responsible person must attend open burning at all times.
9. Adequate fire control equipment (shovels, water, fire pumps, etc.) must be kept on site and available while burning.
10. Should the open burn spread out of control or off of the burn property, and fire extinguishment becomes necessary, the owner agrees to pay for any resources other than those owned by the Fire District that may be needed to control and extinguish the fire.
11. The Fire District, Eagle County, and the employees thereof, in issuing a permit, assume no liability or responsibility for any hazardous situation created by the applicant or any damage that may occur as a result of open burning.
12. No open burning is allowed within the El Jebel Mobile Home Park.
13. The Fire District has the discretion to extinguish a burn at any time for any reason.

### Authorities:

1. No burning of trash, refuse or waste products. (IFC 307.2.2)
2. No burning of Hazardous Materials. (IFC 307.2.2)
3. No burning of tires, plastics, metal, or construction debris. (IFC 307.2.2)
4. No burning if winds exceed 5 MPH. Local authority.
5. No burning if burn ban restrictions are in effect. (Sheriff's Order or IFC 307.2.1)
6. All burns are to be supervised. (IFC 307.4)
7. Permits can be revoked at the discretion of the Chief or his designated representative.(IFC 105.5)
8. The appropriate fire protection district and communications center must be notified before starting all burns