

# “GOOD NEIGHBOR” BURNING



**WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT TO MAINTAIN  
OUTDOOR BURNING.**

For every person that needs to burn  
there is a person concerned about smoke.

***WE WANT TO SERVE YOU BOTH***

***HELP US BY ABIDING BY THESE "GOOD NEIGHBOR" SUGGESTIONS***

- ***Avoid burning yard debris that is still green.*** Allow it to dry out first.
- ***Make sure that your burn pile is getting enough oxygen.*** This helps the fire to burn hotter and will eliminate much of the smoke.
- ***Consider the weather carefully.*** Even though it may seem like a good day for you to burn, significant amounts of smoke can interfere with your neighbor's ability to enjoy their property.
- ***Changes in wind or inversion conditions*** may make it preferable to ***delay burning to another day.***
- ***Many people have respiratory conditions that can be seriously impacted by smoke.***
- ***It would be a good idea to notify your neighbors when you intend to burn.*** Maybe an alternate day or time would work better for them and still allow you the necessary time to burn.
- We are obligated to enforce the conditions of the permit. Complaints may result in cancellation of the permit.

**IF WE WORK TOGETHER AS NEIGHBORS EVERYONE  
WILL BENEFIT!**