

**Burn Permits are available from October 1st, thru April 30<sup>th</sup>**

**If you need a burn permit:**

**Please visit the Camp Springs station Monday through Friday 8 AM to 5 PM, and Saturday 8 to 12 PM to fill out an application to burn or call us at (859) 635-9255 and schedule a time to inspect the burn area, as burning cannot take place until the burn area is inspected and a permit will be issued.**

**Wayne Werrmann, Chief**

## **Rules of Burn Permits**

- Only natural materials that may be burned are piled brush, grass, trees, or leaves and must be attended to at all times until extinguished.
- Tires, plastics, shingles, furniture, chemicals, building materials or any other materials shall not be burned in accordance with 401 KAR 63:005. Fines of up to \$25,000 can be imposed by the Division of Air Quality.
- No burning If within 150 ft. of woodlands or brush/grass between 6 AM and 6 PM During KY Forestry Division Fire Season; February 15 thru April 30 & October 1 thru December 15
- Burning may be suspended by County-wide burn bans or RED FLAG (hazardous conditions) days. • Permits shall be revoked if any conditions of this permit are violated.
- Before ignited Notify Campbell Co. Dispatch (859-292-3622) that you have Permit and are burning.

## **CAMPBELL COUNTY ORDINANCE**

(Ord. 0-3-93, passed 3-17-93)

### **150.26 OPEN BURNING**

Open burning shall be prohibited unless authorized in writing by the local fire chief or his designees.

### **150.99 PENALTY**

Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of "150.20 through 150.26 or failing to comply with any order issued pursuant to any section thereof shall be subject to applicable civil, criminal and administrative remedies stated in KRS 227. Any person, firm or corporation found guilty of violating any of the provisions of the code, or failing to comply with any order issued pursuant to any section thereof, shall be guilty of a class A misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine up to \$500, or by imprisonment up to 12 months in the county jail or both. Each day that a violation continues, after a service of notice as provided for in this code, shall be deemed a separate offense. Any person, firm or corporation violating the provisions of "150.73 or 150.74 shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction in any court of competent jurisdiction, shall be fined not less than \$25 nor more than \$250 or imprisoned for not more than 90 days, or both, so fined and imprisoned in the discretion of the court for each offense, and each day that said person, firm or corporation violates the provisions of "150.73 or 150.74, or any other provision thereof may be deemed a separate offense. Each day that a violation of these sections exists or continues shall, in the discretion of the court, constitute a separate offense.

(Ord. 0-13-84, passed 10-2-84; Am. Ord. 0-1-91, passed 3-6-91; Am. Ord. 0-2-91; Am. Ord. 0-3-93, passed 3-17-93, Am.

Ord. 0-16-94, passed 11-2-94; Am. Ord. 0-2-96, passed 5-1-96)

## **KENTUCKY DIVISION OF FORESTRY**

KRS 149.400 Fire hazard seasons -- Fires prohibited -- Exceptions. (1) The periods commencing on February 15 and ending on April 30 and commencing on October 1 and ending on December 15 of each year are hereby declared to be and established as the fire hazard seasons. During the fire hazard seasons, even though the precautions required by KRS 149.375 shall have been taken, it shall be unlawful for any person to set fire to, or to procure another to set fire to, any flammable material capable of spreading fire, located in or within one hundred fifty feet (150') of any woodland or brush/grass land, except between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m., prevailing local time, or when the ground is covered with snow. (2) This section shall not apply to fires which may be set for the purpose of burning plant beds.