

# SMITHVILLE AREA FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

341 Park Drive, Smithville, MO 64089

816-532-4902 [www.SAFPD.com](http://www.SAFPD.com)

## APPLICATION FOR OPEN BURNING PERMIT

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

APPLICANT NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS OF BURN \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

### PROPERTY OWNER INFORMATION

PROPERTY OWNER \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

INDIVIDUAL WHO WILL CONTROL THE BURN \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ **Fires Must Be Attended At All Times**

### MATERIAL TO BE BURNED

TREE TRUNKS \_\_\_\_ TREE LIMBS \_\_\_\_ LEAVES \_\_\_\_ BRUSH \_\_\_\_ GRASS/AGRICULTURAL \_\_\_\_

DISTANCE TO NEAREST STRUCTURE, IN YARDS \_\_\_\_\_

### DISCLAIMER AND SIGNATURE

PLEASE READ BEFORE SIGNING THIS FORM: I certify that I am the owner/agent authorized to apply for this permit and all information herein is true and correct. I understand open burning cannot begin before this permit is issued and that burning is not allowed until Smithville Area Fire Protection District approves this application. I understand that Smithville Area Fire Protection District can revoke this permit if conditions are violated; or a complaint, nuisance, or hazard is created by the open burning. In no way does this permit relieve me of my obligation to comply with federal, state, or local laws or regulations.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE PRINT NAME HERE \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED BY \_\_\_\_\_ EXPIRATION DATE \_\_\_\_\_

PERMIT NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

**Notify the Fire District before starting any fire, 816-532-4902**

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The purpose of the open burning permit process is to promote fire safety, protect the environment, and ensure the best use of District resources. The Smithville Area Fire Protection District serves 112 square miles of Platte and Clay counties. The Fire District has legally adopted the 2006 International Fire Code.

### OPEN BURNING PERMIT STANDARD CONDITIONS

1. The permission to burn in no way relieves the permittee of their obligation to comply with any other local, county, state, or federal rules or regulations.
2. This application becomes the permit once signed by the designated Smithville Area Fire Protection District representative.
3. A representative/employee of the permittee shall be present during all burning to ensure compliance with this permit and make certain the fire(s) are out.
4. Only tree trunks, tree limbs, leaves, and brush originating from the site may be burned.
5. Open burning may be restricted by the Fire District at any time due to current or forecasted conditions. During such time, all open burning may be prohibited and any or all fires may be extinguished for safety reasons.
6. Burning will take place only between dawn and dusk, and within any more restrictive burn times, that may be applicable.
7. Should a problem arise from the burning such as a public health hazard, nuisance, or a hazard to vehicular or air traffic, the permittee must correct the problem immediately.
8. This permit is effective for 1 year from the date issued.
9. This permit will be revoked immediately for failure to fully comply with any of the conditions or restrictions.
10. The permittee shall notify the fire department each day before starting any burning at 816-532-4902
11. Any other permits required by the State of Missouri, Department of Natural Resources (i.e. NPDES Land Disturbance Permits) must be applied for and obtained. Failure to do so may result in the termination of this permit. Please contact your local Regional Office regarding other possible permitting requirements.
12. Permittee authorizes Smithville Area Fire Protection District personnel to enter the site any time during the term of this permit for inspections and permit compliance determinations. If this permit is terminated or revoked for any reason, a full application must be resubmitted.

#### **Special Note**

All tree and vegetation materials suitable for other uses such as fireplace wood, posts, saw logs, etc. should be removed prior to burning.