



MUNICIPALITY OF TWEED

FIRE BURNING REGULATIONS

In accordance with the provisions of
By-Laws 98-13 and 2001-07.

In the Village of Tweed, there is no burning allowed at any time except for small piles of leaves which may be burned from September 15th to November 30th only between the hours of 7:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. There is no burning allowed at any time between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Any fire set after 7:00 p.m. must be extinguished by 7:00 a.m. the following day. No incinerators are allowed, other than for burning leaves in the said period and times. All out of doors burning may be canceled at any time by the Chief Fire Official or his/her designate.

In the rural areas and hamlets of the Municipality of Tweed these regulations will apply:

- ◆ No fires shall be set out of doors between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. between April 1st and October 31st of each year. Any fire set out of doors after 7:00 p.m. must be extinguished by 7:00 a.m. the following day. In the rural areas and hamlets burning is allowed from November 1st to March 31st of each year at any time without a Burning Permit, however, current burning conditions should be verified with the Fire Chief before commencing any burning.
- ◆ No fire set out of doors shall permit more than one (1) cubic metre of material to be burned at one time; no fire shall be greater than one-tenth (1/10) hectare in surface area.
- ◆ All out of doors burning may be canceled at any time by the Chief Fire Official or his/her designate.
- ◆ Upon application, the Chief Fire Official may issue Burning Permits for daytime burning.

Everyone who starts a fire out of doors shall ensure that adequate personnel, equipment and water are available and, before leaving, extinguish all remaining fire.

Every person who contravenes any provisions of these By-Laws shall be liable for the full costs of extinguishing the fire.

Failure to comply with these burning regulations will result in a conviction with a minimum fine of \$125.00.

Further information about these regulations or obtaining a Burning Permit is available by contacting the Fire Chief at 478-2535.

Full particulars and copies of these Burning By-Laws may be obtained from the Municipal Office during regular business hours..

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