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OUTDOOR BURNING INFORMATION

Chelan Fire and Rescue would like to give you some helpful information that you should think about before you conduct outdoor burning:

- ✿ Don't burn on windy days when fire may escape.
- ✿ Consider composting and chipping as an alternative to burning.
- ✿ You are encouraged to call and follow the Burn Day Hotline @ 1-800-406-5322.
- ✿ Only natural vegetation may be burned.
- ✿ For residential burning, the pile must be less than 4' x 4' x 3' and you may burn only one pile at a time.
- ✿ No fires are allowed within 50 feet of a structure.
- ✿ No residential fires are allowed within 500 feet of forest slash.
- ✿ Do not leave your fire unattended.
- ✿ Keep a shovel & a charged water hose or a 5-gallon bucket of water on hand.
- ✿ The fire should not include materials hauled from another property.
- ✿ No outdoor fires are allowed when air pollution levels are unhealthy.
- ✿ No burning after sunset.
- ✿ The smoke from your fire must not impact your neighbors, & you must put out the fire if it does.

Burn Barrels are illegal!



Residential Burning means that outdoor burning of leaves, clippings, pruning's, and other yard and gardening refuse originating on lands immediately adjacent and in close proximity to a human dwelling and burning on such lands by the property owner or his or her designee.
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Land Clearing Burning means outdoor burning of trees, stumps, shrubbery, or other natural vegetation from land clearing projects (projects that clear the land surface so that it can be developed, used for a different purpose, or unused).

Urban Growth Areas: to find out if you live in one, call or stop by Chelan Fire and rescue in Chelan for information.

For more information you can also call ecology at (509) 575-2490 or visit the website:
www.ecy.wa.gov