

Restricted Controlled Burn Permit for the Municipality of Boissevain-Morton

AUTHORITY IS HEREBY GRANTED TO: _____

PHONE #: HOME _____ CELL _____

OWNER/TENANT OF: (PROPERTY DESC.) _____

in the Municipality of Boissevain-Morton to set fire and burn Grass Scrub Pile Stubble

Other (desc.) _____ on the above mentioned property on the ____ day of _____, 20____

(PLEASE REVIEW CAREFULLY)

Regulations:

- a. To keep fire under control at all times.
- b. To bear responsibility for all property damage which may result.
- c. To fireguard the area as required under the terms of the "Fires Prevention and Emergency Response Act.
- d. No fire to be set and left unattended.
- e. No fire to be set when fire conditions are extreme and hazardous.
- f. Form must be kept with you while burning.
- g. AUTHORIZED burning is restricted to daylight hours
- h. Burning is prohibited for bales.
- i. Burning of materials on road allowances is prohibited.
- j. Controlled Burn Permit is required and must be authorized by the Fire Chief or his designate, and signed by the Chief Administrative Officer PRIOR to those 'allowable' burns.
- k. Further where a burn permit has been issued, the following conditions must be adhered to:
 - Only dry plant growth natural to the burn site can be burned.
 - Any burn site must be at least 300 feet from any residential, recreational, commercial or industrial area.
 - There must be a firebreak of 50 feet around the material to be burned.
 - A competent person of at least 18 years of age MUST be in attendance of the site during the burn.
 - An adequate supply of water to control the burn is required at the site
 - Burning must cease at the request of the Fire Chief (or his designate) or from the Chief Administrative Officer
 - Hauling of materials, brush or vegetation onto the site from another property will render any permit issued invalid
 - No burning shall occur when the wind is expected to be below 5mph (8km/h) or above 21 mph (34 km/h)

- All authorized permit holders shall contact the Municipal Office to establish Wind Speeds on any given day.

*Authorization to conduct outdoor burning **DOES NOT** exempt or excuse a person from the responsibility, consequences, damages, or injuries resulting from the authorized burning and does not excuse a person from complying with other applicable laws, ordinances or regulations.*

Individuals violating this ordinance will be subject to fines starting at \$100 per occurrence, in addition to court costs, as well as any costs incurred in the suppression of the fire.

THIS PERMIT IS VOID IF ALL OF THE AFOREMENTIONED CONDITIONS ARE NOT MET AND THE AUTHORIZED SIGNATURES ARE NOT OBTAINED.

This Section to be completed by the Fire chief or Designate

Fire guardian recommended yes/no (please circle one)

(Fire Chief or designate thereof)

I, _____ of _____,
 (Owner – please print) (Address)

being the owner or occupant of the above described premises, hereby acknowledge that I release the Boissevain Morton Fire Department and any and all members thereof from and against any actions, proceedings, costs, damages, expenses, claims and demands whatsoever and by whomsoever brought by reason of any activity caused by said fire, for any reason and, without limiting the generality of the foregoing.

PLEASE EMAIL PERMIT TO: fire@boissevain.ca

(Witness)

(Owner/Occupant)

Chief Administrative Officer

Date: _____

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Confirmation of Burn Time Received: _____ (Time) _____ (Date)

Wind Speed Recorded: _____ (km/h)

Municipal Representative: _____

Permit Number: _____