

Village of Waldo

810 W 2nd St, P.O. Box 202, Waldo WI, 53093

OFFICE: (920) 528-8121

RESIDENTIAL BURN PERMIT APPLICATION

Applicant: _____

Applicant's mailing address: _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip code** _____

Applicant's phone number: _____

Landowner (if different from applicant): _____

Landowner's mailing address: _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip Code** _____

Landowner's phone number: _____

Physical address of burn site (if different from mailing address):

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip Code** _____

****Permit expires 1 year from the date issued****

TOTAL PERMIT FEE:

\$10.00

Office Use Only

Date submitted: _____

Permit #: _____ Expiration Date: _____ 20 _____

Received by: _____

This permit is non refundable.

§ 146-10.5 General Prohibition on Open Burning, Outdoor Burning and Refuse Burning.

- A. Open burning, outdoor burning and refuse burning are prohibited in the Village of Waldo unless the burning is specifically permitted by this ordinance.
- B. No person shall start or maintain any open burning or campfire without first obtaining a burning permit issued by the Village Clerk-Treasurer. [See Chapter A212 for permit fee] Burning permits issued on or after July 1, 2013, shall be valid for one calendar year from the date of issue; or, if the person currently holds a valid burning permit, the new permit shall be valid for one calendar year commencing from the expiration date of the current permit. A copy of this ordinance² will be issued with the permit.
- [History: § 146-10.5 (B) amended 10-10-2011 by Ord. No. 7-2011 and 07-08-13 by Ord. No. 1-2013]
- C. Outdoor, wood-fired furnaces are not allowed in the Village of Waldo.
- D. Burning barrels are not allowed in the Village of Waldo.

§ 146-10.6 Materials that may not be burned.

The Village will not allow, or issue permits for, the burning of the following materials:

- A. Rubbish or garbage including but not limited to food wastes, food wraps, packaging, animal carcasses, paint or painted materials, furniture, composite shingles, construction or demolition debris or other household or business wastes.
- B. Waste oil or other oily wastes except used oil burned in a heating device for energy recovery.
- C. Asphalt and products containing asphalt.
- D. Treated or painted wood including but not limited to plywood, composite wood products or other wood products that are painted, varnished or treated with preservatives.
- E. Any plastic material including but not limited to nylon, PVC, ABS, polystyrene or urethane foam, and synthetic fabrics, plastic films and plastic containers.
- F. Rubber including tires and synthetic rubber-like products.
- G. Newspaper, corrugated cardboard, container board, office paper and other materials that must be recycled in accordance with the recycling ordinance

§ 146-10.7 Burning of leaves, brush, clean dry wood and other vegetative debris.

- A. Open burning of leaves and other such vegetative debris is allowed, with a permit, only on Wednesdays and Saturdays, starting at 6:00 p.m. and extinguished no later than 10:00 p.m. unless other provisions are set by the Village Board.
- B. Trees, branches and brush should not be burned and will not be collected but can be taken to the recycle collection site located at J.D. Trucking at no charge.
- C. Garbage burning is not allowed in the Village of Waldo.
- D. Campfires, (as described in §146-10.4), are allowed at any time by permit. All campfires must be visibly supervised and contained in a fire ring, bowl or other apparatus made specifically for the purpose of campfire containment. Campfires must be completely extinguished when unsupervised.

§ 146-10.9 Liability.

A person utilizing or maintaining an outdoor fire shall be responsible for all fire suppression costs and any other liability resulting from damage caused by the fire.

§ 146-11. Enforcement. [HISTORY: Added 6-24-1997; repealed and recreated 7-11-2011 by Ord. No. 5-2011 as §146-11.1 and §146-11.2]

§ 146-11.1 Right of entry and inspection.

The Fire Chief or any authorized officer or police authority of the Village of Waldo who presents identification may inspect the outdoor areas of any property for the purpose of ascertaining compliance with the provisions of this ordinance.

§ 146-11.2 Enforcement and penalties.

- A. In addition to municipal or county police authorities and the Wisconsin DNR officers, the Village Fire Chief and Village Fire Inspector are authorized to enforce the provisions of this ordinance according to Chapter 18.3 of the Village of Waldo Code.
- B. There will be a grace period of thirty (30) days from the effective date of this ordinance.
- C. The penalty for violation of any portion of this ordinance shall be a forfeiture of not less than \$50 or more than \$250 plus the cost of prosecution. If a resident has violated this ordinance two (2) times, the Village Board must review further burning permit applications by said resident to determine if a further permit will be issued. Habitual violations of this ordinance may result in legal action under Wisconsin Statutes by the Village Board.

I do hereby release the Village of Waldo, The Waldo Fire Department, any Officials, or any member thereof, of any responsibility for damage or loss incurred from burning of the above described materials.

I understand that I am liable for any and all financial remuneration relating to the suppression of and/or any damage caused by fire that originated from the burning of the described material.

I, (Print Name, _____) have read and understand the above ordinances for approval of this permit. I also understand that failure to follow Waldo Village Ordinances 146-10.5 through 146-11.2 may result in a permit being rescinded, and additional fees and/or citations assessed per the Waldo Village Fire Code.

Signature _____ Date _____