

Oradell Fire Prevention Bureau

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Conditions for Bonfires/Campfires

1. The permit shall be requested by and issued to the owner of the property where the event is to be held.
2. Completed applications shall be submitted no less than 10 days prior to the date of the fire being set.
3. Location of bonfire shall not be less than 50' from any structure/brush/shrubs/trees that may spread fire.
4. A site diagram shall be submitted with the permit application showing the location of bonfire in relation to the site with required dimensions (Diagram does not have to be to scale).
5. Material being burned shall consist only of seasoned dry firewood. No waste materials are permitted.
6. The bonfire shall be ignited by a small quantity of paper only.
7. **THE USE OF FLAMMABLE OR COMBUSTIBLE LIQUIDS IS PROHIBITED.**
8. Size of bonfire shall not exceed 5 feet by 5 feet by 5 feet, and shall not burn for more than 3 hours.
9. Provide a barrier to prevent access to bonfire, no less than 30-foot radius to burning material.
10. Bonfire must be constantly attended by the Fire Department with the minimum of one charged 1 ¾" hose line in place for immediate use.
11. Bonfire must be attended until fire and coals are completely and thoroughly extinguished.
12. The location of the bonfire shall be inspected and approved by the Fire Official or his designee. Time of inspection to be determined by the Fire Official.
13. The permit may be revoked or the bonfire ordered extinguished at any time if the Fire Official feels that in his opinion there is a hazardous condition that may endanger the safety of the general public or any structure.