



## 2021 REGULAR FIRE RESTRICTIONS

**Fire Season End at 01:00 am, October 1st, 2021**

The following Guidelines have been adopted and will be followed for burning within the city limits of Seaside and Seaside Rural District. **Online Burn Permit Required.**

- **YEAR ROUND: NO BURNING AFTER DARK** except recreational campfires.
- **YARD DEBRIS BURNING ONLY** inside of the City Limits.
- All burning shall be attended continuously. You must have your permit on site and available while burning.
- Water and fire tool shall be readily available while burning.
- A complaint of smoke from your fire will be investigated and may result in the extinguishment of the fire by the authority of the Fire Chief. Repeated complaints or disregard from the rules may result in your permit being revoked.
- **2019 OFC 307.4 Location-** The location for open burning shall be not less than 50 feet (15 240 mm) from any structure, and provisions shall be made to prevent the fire from spreading to within 50 feet (15 240 mm) of any structure.  
Exceptions:
  - a. Fires in approved containers that are not less than 15 feet (4572 mm) from a structure.
  - b. The minimum required distance from a structure shall be 25 feet (7620 mm) where the pile size is 3 feet (914 mm) or less in diameter and 2 feet (610mm) or less in height.
- **2019 OFC 307.4.1 Bonfires-** A bonfire shall not be conducted within 50 feet (15 240 mm) of a structure or combustible material unless the fire is contained in a barbeque pit. Conditions that could cause a fire to spread within 50 feet (15 240 mm) of a structure shall be eliminated prior to ignition.
- **2019 OFC 307.4.2 Recreational fires-** Recreational fires shall not be conducted within 25 feet (7620 mm) of a structure or combustible material. Conditions that could cause a fire to spread within 25 feet (7620 mm) of a structure shall be eliminated prior to ignition.
- **2019 OFC 307.4.3 Portable Outdoor Fireplaces-** Portable outdoor fireplaces shall be used in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and shall not be operated within 15 feet (3048) of a structure or combustible material.
  - a. Exception: Portable outdoor fireplaces used at one-and two-family dwellings.
- **2019 OFC 308.1.6.3 Sky Lanterns-** A person shall not release or cause to be released a sky lantern.
- The Fire Department may inspect burn piles at any time throughout the year to verify size is adequate for safety.
- The Oregon Department of Forestry mandates restrictions during fire season and during periods of extreme dryness.
- For up-to-date fire information find us on Facebook, call 503.738.5420 Extension #5, or visit: [www.seasidefire.com](http://www.seasidefire.com)