

**Easton Fire Department Burning Permits 2018**

* **Burning permits will be available at Station 3, 413 Bay Road in the front lobby beginning January 12, 2018 8:00 AM through 7:00 PM**
* For questions regarding open burning please call 508-230-0750 or visit Easton.ma.us for further information under the Fire Department page.
* Permits are only valid between 1/15/2018 and 5/1/2018
* Burning shall only be allowed between the hours of 10AM through 4PM, you cannot start a fire after 3 PM
* Permission must be obtained for each day of burning by calling (508)230-0788. Do not call before 8:30AM. This is a recorded line please leave your permit number after the message.
* Open air burning may be halted at any time due to weather conditions. You will hear a message on the recorded line that there is no burning in the Town of Easton
* The Fire Department may revoke any permit at any time for failure to follow the Open Air burning Rules
* The permit does not release any party from damage liability
* **You are allowed to burn brush, cane, driftwood and forestry debris except from commercial or industrial land clearing operations from January 15th through May 1st under the following conditions:**
1. **Burning must be at least 75 feet from all dwellings**
2. **Burning must be carried out between 10am and 4pm**
3. **Burning must take place on land closest to the source of material to be burned**
4. **Fire must be attended at all times by permit applicant or designee**
* Prohibited from open burning:
1. Grass, hay, leaves, and/or stumps or tires also any brush, trees, cane, and driftwood from any commercial or institutional land clearing operations.
* Violators shall be punished by a fine of not more than $500 plus the cost of suppression or by imprisonment for not more than one month or both.
* Do not leave hot coals smoldering.