

EAGLE MOUNTAIN RESIDENTIAL OPEN BURNING

The open burn policy was changed in 2013 to meet the revised standards of the State Department of Air Quality (DAQ). The DAQ no longer allows permits to be issued on an annual basis as had been done previously. Recent modifications to these rules established seasonal open burn periods. A statewide requirement to complete an online application with the DAQ and to obtain a burn permit from the local fire authority was enacted. The DAQ "Open Burn Permit' application and UFA issued burn permit is required prior to conducting any residential open burning.

Burn permits may be issued between March 30 and May 30 and between September 15 and October 30.

Only residents on parcels (1) acre or greater are eligible to apply for a residential burn permit.

The cost for the burn permit is \$25.

The permit application process begins at the DAQ's website. <u>https://air.utah.gov/OpenBurning/form/index.php</u>

The \$25 permit fee is paid online at the UFA website. <u>https://unifiedfire.org/make-a-payment/</u>

Once the application has been processed and fee has been paid, the UFA will contact the applicant to arrange a site inspection. The fire department shall inspect the area, what is to be burned and verify safe site conditions. The fire crew will issue the permit following the inspection.

- Be sure to plan ahead the entire permitting process could take 2-3 business days to complete.
- The burn permit is good for the duration of the seasonal burn window.
- Prior to burning, verify green air quality conditions at <u>https://www.whentoburn.com/</u>
- Prior to burning, contact Valley Dispatch's Burn Hotline @ (801) 374-2876 with your name, address and time of burn.