

# MONROE TOWNSHIP

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## **AUTHORIZATION TO CONDUCT AN OPEN BURN**

Date of Burn:

Applicant:

Address of Burn:

Telephone Number:

The authority to grant this Authorization and the regulations controlling open burns are contained in the Burning Ordinances No. 87-3, 99-2 and 07-05 of Monroe Township.

This Authorization does not relieve the holder of this Authorization from the regulations of the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (DEP), which are subject to change from time to time. A non-exhaustive list of DEP requirements include that no person may permit the open burning in a manner that:

- a. The emissions are visible, at any time, at the point such emissions pass outside the person's property.
- b. Malodorous air contaminants from the open burning are detectable outside the person's property.
- c. The emissions interfere with the reasonable enjoyment of life or property.
- d. The emissions cause damage to vegetation or property; or
- e. The emissions are or may be deleterious to human or animal health.

The holder of this Authorization shall contact CUMBERLAND COUNTY CONTROL at (717) 243-4121 or (717) 238-9676 before and after a controlled burn. Holders are further advised that no Open Burn shall be permitted before sunrise or after sunset and the Open Burn must be attended by the Applicant at all times. Open Burns must be 50 feet from any property line and 50 feet from any building. No burning shall take place on Sundays.

This Authorization shall be available at the Open Burns and presented to any Township Official, upon request. This permit is issued notwithstanding the existence of any deed restrictions or private restrictions that would prohibit burning.

I, the above applicant, have reviewed and understand the appropriate regulations and by signing or typing my name below agree to the rules set forth in this document.

Signature of Applicant:

Township Approval:

Date Permit Issued:

Date Permit Expires: