

Permits for Open Burning in Arrowsic

The Basics:

- Open burning requires a permit.
- A permit obtained from another town is not valid in Arrowsic.
- The permit must be in your possession before starting the fire.
- You must remain at an open burn until it is completely extinguished.

For information on what materials can be burned see:

<http://www.maine.gov/doc/mfs/fpd/downloads/openburning.pdf>

Permits may only be issued after 9 AM on the day of the burn. The Maine Forest Service issues daily Wildfire Danger predictions daily at that time. The predicted fire danger must be no higher than Class 1 or 2. A limited number of permits can be issued each day.

ME Wildfire Map: https://www.maine.gov/dacf/mfs/wildfire_danger_report/index.html

To obtain an open burning permit online:

An Open Burning Permit can be obtained online for free at <http://wardensreport.com/>

If you have difficulty obtaining an online permit through this site, please make sure any adblocker software is disabled. If all else fails, you can obtain an online burn permit through the State of Maine website (<https://www1.maine.gov/burningpermits/> at a cost of \$7.00) or in person (see below).

To obtain an open burning permit in person:

Make an initial contact a few days before you plan to burn, if possible, at least 72 hours in advance. You can make arrangements to get your permit but final determination will be made based on current conditions. Please do not call permit grantors at their place of employment and please call before you visit their home.

Your cooperation in following this process will help to minimize the demands on the volunteers of the Arrowsic Fire Department.

Contacts and questions:

- Fire Chief, Dale Carlton, 442-8343

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