City of Grass Valley
Permit to Burn Dry Grass & Rubbish

This permit is issued and accepted upon the condition that the person possessing this permit is not released from any liability or responsibility for any damage caused by any fire. The City of Grass Valley shall not assume responsibility for any damage caused thereby. Due to a shortage of personnel, the Fire Department is unable to do pre-burning inspections. It is your responsibility to make sure that you adhere to the following regulations.

1. Persons burning in violation of the following rules may be billed by the Fire Department for any response resulting from their actions.

2. The barrel/incinerator shall be of substantial non-combustible construction and shall be covered with a heavy-duty screen not less than 14 gauge having mesh not larger than ½ inch openings. Barrel/incinerator shall be maintained in good condition.

3. The barrel/incinerator shall not be located any closer than 15 feet from the nearest structure. A minimum clearance of 10 feet shall be maintained between any barrel/incinerator and all combustible material. Burn barrels shall not be located closer than 5 feet to property lines.

4. Open fires must be at least 50 feet from any structure.

5. Burning is only allowed during the following times:

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Dates	Hours of allowed burning
July 1 – September 30	NO OUTDOOR BURNING
October 1 – May 31	Only during hours of daylight

7. Burning during windy periods is prohibited.

8. This permit is automatically revoked when special burn rules are in effect.

9. Permits are issued for a period of one year, unless revoked for violating burn regulations.

10. No waste material shall be burned which causes dense smoke or offensive odors.

11. No person shall burn any material which creates a fire hazard or endangers the life or property of any person. Any damage to property is the financial responsibility of the person who started the fire.

12. IF YOUR FIRE GETS OUT OF CONTROL, CALL 911 IMMEDIATELY

Name: _____ Expiration Date: **2027 Burn Ban**

Street Address: _____

Issued by: _____

FOR INFORMATION, CALL 541-565-3100