

ORDINANCE NO 40 Revised

The City Council of the city of Finlayson ordains to pass a city controlled burning regulation in lieu of a mandatory Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) burning permit.

Non EPA approved outdoor incinerators are no longer legal. Burning permits may be issued for only the following: leaves, branches, unpainted/non treated lumber and wood, piled vegetation.

Some material that can not be burned even with a permit are as follows: paper products, magazines, catalogs, cardboard, treated lumber, plywood, or any compressed board, asphalt products, tires and petroleum products, plastics, foams, mattresses, household garbage.

The issuing agent for these permits is the fire chief. Other local fire wardens cannot issue permits in the city limits. Persons burning with a permit issued by other than the fire chief will be considered burning without a permit.

All violations to this city controlled burning procedure are as follows:

- First Violation: Written warning from the fire chief or deputy.
- Second Violation: \$100.00 fine payable to the fire department.
- Third Violation: \$350.00 fire call and the fire will be fully extinguished by the local fire department.

Passed by the City council this 15th day of October, 2013

Ordinance 40 revised This ordinance shall be in force immediately on and after its passage and Publication.

Allan Brigan City Clerk/ Administrator