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Burn Ban Lifted – Reminder to Follow Safe Burning Guidelines

The burn ban has been lifted. However, anyone planning to burn must still follow the proper guidelines set by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) to help prevent fires, smoke problems, and safety hazards.

To keep it simple, please remember these basic rules when burning:

Only burn natural materials like leaves, brush, tree limbs, and yard waste.

Do NOT burn plastics, tires, treated wood, or chemicals.

Make sure the fire is attended at all times. Never leave a burn pile unattended.

Keep a water source or tools nearby (like a water hose, bucket, or shovel) in case the fire needs to be put out quickly.

Do not burn on windy days or when conditions could cause the fire to spread.

Put the fire completely out before leaving the area.

Even though the burn ban is lifted, everyone is asked to use common sense and burn responsibly to help protect property, neighbors, and emergency responders.

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