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The City of Lynnwood is in a "No Outdoor Burning" zone. Examples of prohibited burning activities include land clearing, building demolition, brush burning and grass burning.

Recreational fires are permitted by Section 307 of the International Fire Code (IFC) and the Washington State Amendments to the IFC under the following circumstances:

1. Recreational fires shall not be conducted within 25 feet of a structure or combustible material.
2. Approved "fire pit" appliances with a manufacturer's listing clearly visible may be used if installed per manufacturer's listing.
3. Shovels, rakes and water charged garden hoses or a 4-A fire extinguisher shall be available for immediate use.
4. Recreational fires shall be constantly attended.
5. Fires shall be limited to three (3) feet in diameter and two (2) feet in height.
6. Only dry clean wood may be burned. Building scraps and green wood are prohibited.
7. Recreational fires are prohibited during air pollution alerts.

NOTE:

Open burning that will be offensive or objectionable because of smoke or odor emissions when atmospheric conditions or local circumstances make such fires hazardous shall be prohibited (IFC 307.3). The Fire Official is authorized to order the fire to be extinguished.