

# Opening Burning Online Permit Application

## Directions

1. Go to the Town of Hamilton website and in the government section find the Fire Departments page or cut and paste the FD link below into your browser. <https://www.hamiltonma.gov/government/fire-department/>
2. Find the related links at the bottom of the FD page "Open Burning Permit Application" click on this link.

**Live Support Multilingual**

**ONLINE**  
Click here to chat...

**Select Bill Type**

**Clerk Department ▶**

**Dog License**

**Donation**

**Fire Department ▼**

**Activate Burning Permit**

**Buy Burning Permit**

**Motor Vehicle**

**Park Program**

**Personal Property**

**Real Estate**

**Purchase Information**

Burning Season begins on January 15th and expires on May 1st.

Burning is allowed only on the property designated on the permit.

Burning is only allowed on days authorized by the Fire Chief and you must be activated for any day you wish to burn by calling the Communications Department at 978-887-8137.

**My Account**


**LOG IN** (optional)




Logging in will give you access to eBilling, AutoPay, bill history, and other features.

[Log In](#) [Sign Up](#)

**Payment Methods**

Convenience Fees May Apply

  
eCheck

    
Credit and Debit Cards

1 Select Municipality 2 Search for Bills 3 View Bill Cart 4 Select Payment 5 Confirm Payment 6 View Receipt

Select a bill type on the left and enter the requested information below to pay your bill:

Enter the information below to complete your transaction.

Convenience Fees: eCheck is FREE, Credit&Debit is 2.95% min \$1.00

### Buy Burning Permit in Boxford, MA

Please enter the required information below and click "Add to Cart".

Price

**\$ 20.00**

#### Owner Information

Requestor's Name \*

(first last)

Residential Address \*

Daytime Phone Number \*

(xxx-xxx-xxxx)

Email Address

### Rules & Regulations for the Burning Season

1. Open Burn Period is January 15th to May 1st
2. Burning is allowed only on the property designated on this permit.
3. All permits must be activated daily. You can activate your permit online from 8:00 AM through 12:30 PM by clicking "Activate Burning Permit" on the left of this page. Failure to activate may result in the revocation of your Burn Permit with no refund. Please call the Communication Department at 978-887-8137 if you have any questions.
4. Participants are prohibited from burning before 10:00AM. All fires must be started between 10:00AM and 12:00 Noon.
5. Fires must be extinguished by 4:00PM. Burning after 4:00PM is prohibited.
6. Participants shall completely extinguish their fires, which include pulling the pile apart and extinguishing the coals.
7. All participants must make available a water supply such as a pressurized water pump can, garden hose, and shovels or rakes nearby for controlling the fire.
8. Fires must be at least 75 feet from any structure including sheds.
9. Fires must be attended at all times.
10. Participants may burn brush, cane, driftwood, and forestry debris but not grass, hay, leaves, stumps, or construction materials.
11. In case of high winds or otherwise dangerous conditions, this permit is invalid as provided by law.
12. This permit does not release party from liability for damages.

I agree to the terms above \*

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\* Required

Add to Cart

- 3. Fill out all you information as it pertains to yourself as shown above.**
- 4. Please read all of the Rules & Regulations for open burning and electronically agree.**
- 5. The next screen will allow you to pay for the permit with a credit card, debit card or an e-check. Just follow the directions!**
- 6. Once you have paid your fee, you will be able activate your permit daily by opening the renewal link and follow the direction as provided. The online screen will indicate if burning is allowed on that particular day or not. This is also found on the Fire Department webpage under the links.**
- 7. If you have any question please call the number listed on the City Hall Systems Website.**

**If you have NO access to a computer or internet, the Hamilton Emergency Center and or the Fire Department Can provide you with assistance.**

**Call (978)-468-5560**