

The Rural Municipality of Wilton closely monitors the risk for fires and will enact a **Fire Ban** when required. When a **Fire Ban** is active, all issued fire permits are cancelled – this means that if you already have a fire permit, it is cancelled and you will not be able to burn until the ban is lifted and you have reapplied.

Fire Bans against burning shall be advertised through local media and posted on fire hazard signs within the municipality.



Partial Fire Ban

This Ban is applied to all open burning of any outdoor fire that may create a public safety hazard, included but not limited to:

Not Allowed:

- Controlled Burns
- Fireworks

Allowed:

- ✓ Fireplaces within Buildings
- ✓ Campfires/Recreational Fires
- ✓ Fire Pits
- ✓ Fire Rings
- ✓ BBQ Grills & Smokers
- ✓ Fire training by professionally trained and authorized personnel

There are 2 types

of Fire Bans:

1. **Partial Fire Ban**
2. **Complete Fire Ban**



Complete Fire Ban

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- Controlled Burns
- Fireworks
- Fireplaces within Buildings
- Campfires/Recreational Fires
- Fire Pits
- Fire Rings
- Fire training by professionally trained and authorized personnel

Allowed:

- ✓ Propane/Natural Gas BBQ's

Flames no higher than 90cm above container

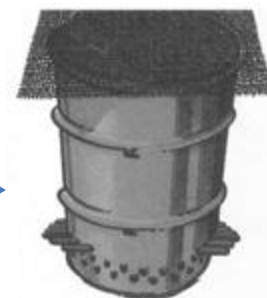


3 Meters/ 10 Feet from buildings, property lines, combustible material

5 Meters/16.5 Feet from buildings, property lines, combustible material

Recreational Fires:

Must be confined to a non-combustible container which is set for warmth or viewing for pleasure. Adding a screen to a fire pit is highly recommended.



Steel Mesh Grate Cover, holes no larger than 7 mm/.30 inches

Draft holes no larger than 5 mm/.20 inches

Incinerator/Burning Barrel Fires:

Must be confined to a non-combustible container that is for burning household garbage or other burnable debris.