



For Land Clearing Rules and Regulations or any additional questions on burning, please contact the Fire Marshal's Office or visit our web site at www.hallcountyfire.org

Hall County Fire Services
P.O. Box 907730
Gainesville, GA 30501

**Atlanta Ozone Non-Attainment Area Burn Ban
effective May 1 - September 30 annually**

"Smoke Alarms Save Lives"



Hall County Fire Services

GET A PERMIT
Call Before You Burn

**Automated Residential Burn
Permit Line: 770-536-2442
7 days a week - 8am - 5pm**

**Land Clearing Burn Permits
Call 770-531-6838
Monday-Friday 8am - 5pm**

Rules for Residential Burning

Burning Requirements for residences in Hall County during October 1 - April 30 annually:

- **Burning should be conducted between sunrise and sunset.**
- **You may burn only the following items:**
Leaves, small limbs that have fallen from the trees on your property. Limbs should not be over 3" in diameter.
- **Fire location shall be 50 feet from any structure and 50 feet from all property lines.**
- **A competent adult must be present the entire time the fire is burning.**
- **A functional water hose or method of extinguishment must be present to control and extinguish the fire.**
- **Fire must be completely out before dark. This means no smoldering or hot coals remaining.**
- **No burning on windy days (10 mph or higher) or on days when the atmospheric conditions (cloudy, overcast or raining) would cause the smoke to remain low to the ground.**
- **Fires may not be started with petroleum based products.**
- **Do not burn any building materials, furniture, plastic, clothing, any rubber or tires, newspapers, household garbage, boxes.**

Burning Checklist

- **Obtain the proper permit.
(Residential, Land Clearing)**
- **Garden Hose or Method of Extinguishment must be present.**
- **Burn only the items listed on the opposite page (i.e. leaves, small tree limbs).**
- **Must be more than 50' from any structure or property line.**
- **A competent adult must attend the fire at all times.**
- **Common Sense should always prevail.**
- **Fires must be completely out by dark. (No smoldering or hot coals should be remaining).**

Hall County Fire Marshal has the right to suspend permits due to health concerns and changes in weather conditions.