Brush Fire Informational Sheet

1. Brush fires are limited to daylight hours only.

2. Only clean, dry natural wood can be burned. Treated or painted wood, plastic, rubber, leaves and grass are NOT allowed to be burned.

3. Brush fires are allowed to a maximum of 6 feet in diameter and 6 feet in height.

4. Pieces to be burned shall not exceed 4 inches in diameter.

5. The brush fire shall take place on the owner’s property and shall be a minimum of 5 feet from property lines.

6. Brush fires shall not be conducted within 25 feet of a structure or combustible material.

7. The brush fire shall not be conducted if the wind speed exceeds 10 miles per hour.

8. The use of flammable or combustible liquid accelerants is not permitted.

9. The brush fire must be constantly attended and supervised by permit holder until the fire is completely extinguished.

10. A connected garden hose or other means to extinguish the fire must be readily available.

11. No burns are allowed if a burning ban has been issued by the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

12. The brush fire must be extinguished if it becomes a nuisance to others or if not under adult supervision. (City Code Section 15-1, Subd.1)