

ORDINANCE NO. 1108

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 93.57 OF THE CODE OF PRINEVILLE (ORDINANCE NO. 911) CONCERNING BURN BARRELS

THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF PRINEVILLE ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 93.57 of the Code of Prineville (Section 33 of Ordinance 911) is amended to read as follows:

(1) Burn Barrel Permits

Annual permits to use burn barrels are required before using burn barrels. Burn barrel permits shall be effective January 1 through December 31 of the same year. Annual fee for each permit shall be \$25, which fee may be modified by a City of Prineville Resolution. The permit must be shown to a City of Prineville or Crook County Fire and Rescue ("Fire Department") representative upon request. The permit will be issued to the applicant for using a burn barrel at a specific address and such permit is not transferrable to any other address.


(2) Persons burning in a burn barrel must meet all the following requirements:

- A. There must be a valid burn barrel permit issued for the address at which the burn barrel is located;
- B. There must be a person 14 years of age or over physically present at the burn barrel at all times burning is done in the burn barrel;
- C. The burn barrel must be covered with a maximum one-quarter inch screen in good condition. There shall be no holes in the burn barrel except for air holes not less than one-quarter inch in diameter. There shall be no holes in the burn barrel caused by rust rot. Only dry paper shall be burned in the burn barrel. The burn barrel shall be at least ten feet away from any combustibles, structures, or property lines;
- D. Burning in the burn barrel shall be only between 7 a.m. and 12 noon, Wednesdays through Saturdays, excluding Holidays set out under Oregon law. All burn barrels must be completely extinguished by noon on allowable burning days. Completely extinguished means that there shall not be any smoke coming from the burn barrel, and this burn barrel shall contain no smoldering material or hot ashes or embers;
- E. There shall be no burning upon restriction by the Fire Department due to fire/safety conditions.

(3) Penalties:

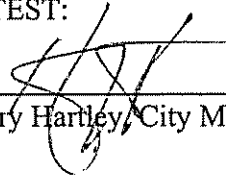
The maximum penalty for a person responsible for each violation of this Ordinance shall be \$500. Upon first conviction the fine shall be not less than \$50. Upon a second conviction the fine shall be not less than \$100, and on the third and subsequent convictions the fine shall be \$500 and there shall be no further burn barrel permits issued for burn barrels at the address of the third conviction or issued to any person who has been convicted of violating this ordinance three or more times.

Passed by the City Council this 9th day of December, 2003.



Stephen P. Uffelman, Mayor

ATTEST:



Henry Hartley, City Manager/Recorder