



RED, WHITE & BLUE

FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

COURAGE, COMMITMENT, CARING

Recreational Fires (Campfire): **(Solid fuel burning such as charcoal or wood)**

*If you are looking for a permit application for a recreational fire please visit
<https://www.communityconnect.io/info/co-breckenridge>*

Recreational Fire. Outdoor recreational fires on private property shall be allowed under the following conditions:

- **A VALID PERMIT HAS BEEN ISSUED.**
- The fire shall be contained to:
 - Permanent outdoor fireplace or fire ring, with a screen, to reduce the spread of embers.
 - Portable outdoor fireplace that is assembled, located, and operated in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. It shall have a screen to reduce the spread of embers.
 - A commercially designed chiminea, with a screen, to reduce the spread of embers.
- The area directly underneath the fireplace or chiminea shall be barren of flammable and combustible materials.
- The fireplace or chiminea shall be located at least 15 feet (4.572 m) from any flammable and combustible materials and/or structure.
- The fire shall be contained within an approved fireplace or fire ring. The fire has a total fuel area of 3 feet (914 mm) or less in diameter and 2 feet (1.2192 m) or less in height. And, the fire shall utilize a non-toxic fuel source such as wood or charcoal.
- Fires are discouraged when the fire danger is HIGH, VERY HIGH, or EXTREME, during Red Flag Warnings or Fire Weather Advisories.
- Fires are prohibited under Stage II fire restrictions put in place by the County or when fires are banned by the Governor.

Fire Prevention Measures. Individuals operating a recreational fire in compliance with the above shall provide the following safety equipment to prevent the spread of the fire:

- The fire shall be constantly attended by a responsible adult.
- The fire shall be extinguished and cool to the touch prior to leaving the site unattended.
- One of the following shall be available for immediate utilization:
 - A portable fire extinguisher with a minimum 2A-10B:C rating.
 - A 5 gallon container filled with water.
 - A charged garden hose available for immediate utilization.

BON FIRES ARE NOT PERMITTED IN THE FIRE DISTRICT WITHOUT A SPECIAL PERMIT APPLICATION.

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