



LANSING TOWNSHIP FIRE DEPARTMENT  
RECREATIONAL BURNING PERMIT



Name of Permit Holder: \_\_\_\_\_ Permit Holder Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Recreational Fire: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Describe type of Burning Utensil: \_\_\_\_\_

Commercially Purchased       Fire Pit       Other \_\_\_\_\_

Receipt #: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*NOTICE TO RECREATIONAL BURNING PERMIT HOLDERS\*\***

Upon issuance of this Recreational Burning Permit, the permit holder named above, accepts responsibility and liability involved in the open kindling of this recreational fire. Charter Township of Lansing Ord. # 25.14 permits this recreational fire, only after proper inspection and authorization by the Lansing Township Fire Department, and is subject to all conditions as outlined in Ordinance # 25.14.

**Signature of Permit Holder:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**REQUIREMENTS OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF LANSING ORDINANCE # 25.14**

1. "Recreational Fire" means a small outdoor fire intended for recreation or cooking, contained within a device or pit, inspected and approved by the fire chief or designee. This does not include a fire intended for the **disposal of waste wood or refuse** as defined in the **Lansing Township Ordinance NO. 25.14**
2. Application and \$25.00 fee must be **submitted in person to the Clerk's office** prior to inspection.
3. An annual inspection is required to obtain a recreational fire permit.
4. Recreational fires cannot be located within 25 feet of a structure, nor within 5 feet of an existing property line, except when specifically authorized by the fire chief or designee.
5. Recreational fires shall not exceed 36 inches in diameter and the flame height shall not exceed 24 inches from the ground surrounding the device or pit.
6. Recreational fires are permitted only at a one- or two-family dwelling in any zoning district.
7. Recreational fire burning is allowed from 07:00 am till 12:00 midnight.
8. Fires must be attended at all times and extinguishing equipment must be nearby.
9. If wind velocity reaches 10 mph or above, all burning is prohibited.
10. Any permit issued under Ordinance # 25.14, may be withheld or suspended by the highest ranking fire officer on duty, if the officer determines the fire is a hazard or nuisance to persons or property in the vicinity.
11. This recreational burning permit shall be in effect for one year from permit issue date.

**For Fire Department Use Only**

**This property has been inspected and approved for a recreational burning permit by,**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Issue: \_\_\_\_\_

Officer Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*Permit not valid unless signed by an Officer of the Lansing Township Fire Department.**

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