



TOWN OF HIGH PRAIRIE

FIRE PIT PERMIT

APPLICANT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

APPLICANT MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ Best time to Inspect Site: \_\_\_\_\_

CIVIC / LEGAL ADDRESS OF LAND WHERE FIRE PIT WILL BE LOCATED: \_\_\_\_\_

CHECK THE PRECAUTIONS THAT WILL BE TAKEN BY THE APPLICANT TO ENSURE THAT THE FIRE REMAIN UNDER HIS/HER CONTROL AT ALL TIMES.

Fire Pit Screen  Adequate Water Close by:  Meets Clearance Specifications listed below

Person at location  Proper Encasement around fire No burning with winds over \_\_\_\_\_

Adequate Equipment to control fire

\*The Fire Chief must approve the building or use of a Fire Pit.

Fire Pit – means an outdoor receptacle for the purposes of setting a recreational fire in the Town and shall meet the following specifications:

- 1. A minimum of 3 meters clearances, measured from the nearest fire pit edge, is maintained from buildings, property lines, or other combustible materials.
- 2. The fire pit height does not exceed 0.6 meters when measured from the surroundings grade to the top of the pit opening.
- 3. The fire pit opening does not exceed 1 meter in width or in diameter when measured between the widest points or outside edges.
- 4. The fire pit installation has enclosed sides made from bricks, concrete blocks, heavy gauge metal, or other non-combustible materials acceptable to fire chief.
- 5. A spark arrestor mesh screen with openings no larger than 1.25 cm and construction of expanded metal (or equivalent non-combustible materials) is used to cover the fire pit opening in a manner sufficient to contain and reduce the hazards of airborne sparks.

Penalty

Where a person:

- Fails to obtain a Fire Pit Permit as required under this Bylaw
- Obtains a Fire Pit Permit as provided for this Bylaw but fails to follow the provisions of the Bylaw and those conditions outlined on the permit;
- Originally did not require a permit, both whose actions brought an open area fire under the requirements for a permit as defined herein and
- A fire beyond the control of the person or other emergency results, then such person shall be liable to pay all costs of all emergency response service incurred by the Fire Department, and the Town shall be able to recover from such person all such costs as a debt owing to the municipality.

Fee: \$25.00 paid YES NO

Fire permit valid dated: \_\_\_\_\_ Fire Permit Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized by: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Land Owner Signature: \_\_\_\_\_