

# PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY

## ARTICLE 4. OPEN BURNING REGULATION

### Sec. 6-40 Open Burning Prohibited - Exceptions.

No open burning of leaves, grass, wood, brush, waste oil, tires, paper, Wash, or garbage shall be allowed within the City of Greencastle. The following types of fires are permitted:

- a. Fires celebrating Twelfth Night Ceremonies.
- b. Fires celebrating school pep rallies.
- c. Fires celebrating scouting activities
- d. Fires used for recreational and cooking purposes; i.e., campfires, BBQ grills
- e. Air curtain destructor burning when a copy of Indiana Department of Environmental Management letter of approval has been filed with the Chief of the, Greencastle Fire Department. (Ord. No. 1992-17, § 1[a], 7-14-92)

### Sec. 6-41 Open Burning Regulations.

- a. Fires shall be attended at all times until completely extinguished.
- b. If fires create a nuisance or fire hazard, they shall be extinguished.
- c. No burning shall be conducted during unfavorable meteorological conditions such as temperature inversions, high winds, air stagnation, etc, (Ord. No. 1992-17, § 1[b], 7-14-92)

### Sec. 6-42 Indiana Air Pollution Control Board Regulations

All open burning must comply with the regulations controlling open burning promulgated by the Indiana Air Pollution Control Board (326 IA C, § 4- 1- 1, et seq.) - (Ord. No. 1992-17, § I [c], 7-14-92)

### Sec. 6-43 Penalties.

Any person violatin this ordinance shall be fined in an amount not to exceed two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00) for each such offense. (Ord. No. 1992-17, § I [d], 7-14-92)

#### a. 6-44 Building Fire or Burning in Street.

a. It shall be unlawful for any person to build any fire or burn any trash upon any paved street of the City of Greencastle and thereby cause any damage thereto.

b. Anyone who violates this Section commits a Class E ordinance violation. (1986 City of Greencastle Code, § 460- 10)

### Sec. 645 through Sec. 649 Reserved for Future Use.