

STUBBLE LAND AND RUBBISH



Overberg Fire & Rescue



Application for permit to do controlled burning: Annual permit

By-Law relating to Community Fire Safety: Article 36 (4)

Objectives of this Burn Application:

To allow for controlled burning, based on the limits specified by the Overberg District Municipality and the Fire Brigade Services Act, while protecting health and welfare and recognising:

- (a) The importance of flexibility and judgment in the daily decision-making process, within established and necessary limits;
- (b) The need for operational efficiency for the landowners/applicant and Fire Services; and
- (c) The need for effective compliance with all regulations and restrictions.

The burn permit system focuses attention on safety, and it's important for landowners to know when, where, and how to safely burn debris. Caution and conservative judgment should always be used when working with fire.

TYPE OF APPLICATION:

- **Stubble burning** is the planned burning of the stubble that remains after the grain crop, such as wheat etc., has been harvested.
- **Stubble and fuel load** remaining on agricultural field when preparing to plant are included in the application.
- **Rubbish-dump** burns are included in this application, subject to your FMU Leader's confirmation of the safety of the dump site.

PLEASE NOTE: This burning permit EXCLUDES STACK BURNS / SLASH BURNS.
Please follow the standard permit application process for these burns.

To the applicant:

Please mark:

Municipal Area	
Bredasdorp	
Caledon	
Grabouw	
Swellendam	
Villiersdorp	

1. Please complete this form and supply as much information as possible in order to speed up the process. (*) Information **must** be supplied.
2. PLEASE NOTE: Incomplete forms will not be considered.
3. An accurate farm map, which clearly indicates the blocks and/or dump site to be burned, **must** accompany this application.
4. Neighbours must be informed of the proposed burn.
5. This is an application, the permit for permission will follow.
6. Permits will not be issued to applicants who do not have sufficient manpower or equipment to control the burn.
7. Any burning that is to be done within or close to a residential area in the TWK Municipal area, must be approved by the Department of Health.
8. Return the form per email to: Info@overbergfpa.co.za; Contact number: 028 425 1690 ask for the FPA.

1. Details of applicant

- Name of applicant:

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- ID Number of owner:

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- Registered Farm name:

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- Physical Address:

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- Contact number:

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- Email address for permit:

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- Postal address:

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2. TYPE OF VEGETATION / *TIPE PLANTEGROEI*

Please refer to item 3 on pg 2 (farm map) and ensure that the intended blocks are clearly marked.

- **Stubble lands**
- **Rubbish dump**

3. DESCRIPTION OF THE AREA

- Is the total area accessible for vehicles: Yes / No
- Are the water dams accessible for vehicles: Yes/ No
- Rubbish Dump – Safety inspection done by FMU leader? Yes / No

IF the answer is NO, please provide the reason below:

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For your FMU leader’s contact details please contact Keith (goFPA) at 028 425 1690

4. EQUIPMENT AND MANPOWER PRESENT DURING THE CONTROLLED BURN:

- Personnel:
- Fire beaters:
- Bakkie units: Contents in L:
- Water tankers/trailers/or carts: Contents in L:
- Manpower and equipment that will guard the burn, after completion, for a minimum of 24 hours and / or until it is cold / completely out:*

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 - Fire beaters:
 - Bakkie units:
 - Water tanker/trailers or carts: Contents in L:

5. TIME PERIOD WHICH THE ISSUED PERMIT WILL BE VALID IS

- 15 January 2020 to 15 December 2020
- Valid permit is subject to land- owner/user calling the Control Room before the burn starts.
- No burning on Red FDI or Fire-ban days.

6. NEIGHBORS / BURE

Attach a list of neighbors with confirmation that they have been informed of the intended burn(s).

Name	Farm Name	Contact #	Confirmation

7. REMARKS

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8. DECLARATION / VERKLARING:

I, as owner and responsible person for the above-mentioned burn, hereby declare that all information given is correct and that personnel and equipment, as indicated in this application, will be present during and after the burn. I also confirm that I accept full responsibility for the burn and its consequences, and that the burn will be guarded for a minimum time of 24 hours and until it is completely out and cold.

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Name & Surname (Print)

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Signature

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Date

PLEASE NOTE: THIS IS ONLY AN APPLICATION.THE PERMIT WILL BE CONSIDERED

goFPA contact details

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info@overbergfpa.co.za