

# CITY FIRE PIT RULES AND REGULATIONS

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**In the City of London, fire pits will be allowed with the following stipulations:**

- Must be a commercial fire pit with a screen top or a chiminea, like those that can be purchased at many home improvement stores.
- Build your own fire pits may be used but must meet the same qualifications as the commercial fire pit. Fire pit should be no more than 5' wide by 5' long by 2' tall.
- Use only clean, seasoned firewood or equivalent.
- Recommend a water source and/or fire extinguisher located nearby and readily available for immediate use.
- Must be supervised at all times. Be certain that the fire is completely extinguished before leaving it unattended.
- Fire must be contained within the appliance, with no part of the flames extending outside the appliance or screen.
- No less than ten (10) feet from any combustible structure (house, fence, shed, etc.). Apartment buildings may require twenty-five (25) feet.
- Fire pits cannot be used during "Air Quality Alert" days.
- Any other "Open Burning" (trash, brush, etc.) must be approved by the Division of Fire/EMS and must have a permit.

