

FIRE PREVENTION AND EMERGENCY SERVICES BY-LAW

INFORMATION BULLETIN

The RM of De Salaberry Fire Prevention and Emergency Services By-Law is for the prevention and control of fires within the Municipality. This includes the LUD of St. Malo and community of Otterburne.

In the LUD of St. Malo and Otterburne:

- No burning shall take place unless it is within an approved fire pit, outdoor barbeque, portable barbeque, warming receptacle, or outdoor fireplace as outlined in the by-law.
- No person may set any open-air fire and the owner, occupier, or person in charge of any premises may not permit any open-air fire to be set or to remain lit on any premises of which he or she is the owner, occupier, or person in charge, unless the fire meets the requirements of this By-law and has obtained a burn permit.
- **No person shall burn or place or deposit for the purposes of burning upon any private or public property any toxic and non-toxic materials prohibited by *The Environmental Protection Act* and all amendments from time to time including any successor legislation related to the subject matter, including treated, painted or laminated wood, tires, rubber, plastic, asphalt, foam, insulation, cardboard, cloth, debris, grass, brush, tree pruning and vegetation.**
- Burnable materials include clean, dry, unpainted and untreated wood.
- Burning permits must be issued for any burning that falls outside the above prohibitions.
- Smoke from an outdoor fire shall not pose unreasonable hazard to the health of any person or reduce the visibility on any road or highway.
- A sufficient water supply and means of fire suppression capable of extinguishing the outdoor fire based on its fuel loading and size shall be available on site.
- All fires must be extinguished when unsupervised.

the fire is not set or maintained in conditions or locations which will or could result in:

- * smoke which causes a nuisance or irritation to people on adjacent properties;
- * reduced visibility on any highway or road;
- * a rapid spread of fire through grass or brushed area

We appreciate your adherence to the above by-law regulations.

Please contact our office at 204-433-7406 should you have any questions.



RM OF DE SALABERRY