

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF BURNABY

BY-LAW NO. 5680

A BY-LAW to amend By-Law No. 5096, being the  
"Burnaby Fire Prevention By-Law 1968".

The Council of The Corporation of the District of Burnaby  
ENACTS as follows:

1. This By-Law may be cited as "BURNABY FIRE PREVENTION BY-LAW 1968, AMENDMENT BY-LAW NO. 2, 1970".

2. Article 2.1.4.11.(1) of the Fire Code as enacted by By-Law No. 5677 is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"2.1.4.11.(1) Except as hereinafter provided, no person shall light, ignite or start or allow or cause to be lighted, ignited or started a fire of any kind whatsoever in the open air.

(2) (i) The Fire Chief may issue a special permit for open air burning of brush, stumps, slash and like materials resulting from the clearing of land and for open air burning for fire training exercises.

(ii) No person to whom a special permit has been issued under this clause shall, on or in any fire, burn any rubber tires, oil, tar, asphalt shingles, battery boxes, plastic material, or any similar materials which produce heavy black smoke.

(iii) Every person to whom a special permit has been issued under this clause shall place and keep a competent person at all times in charge of such fire while the same is burning or smouldering and until such fire is completely extinguished and shall provide that person with efficient appliances and equipment in order to prevent the fire from getting beyond control or causing damage or becoming dangerous to life and property.

(iv) The Fire Chief may refuse to issue a special permit whenever burning, having regard to all the

prevailing circumstances, would likely be hazardous or create a nuisance.

- (3) (i) Without a special permit being secured, dry garden refuse only may be burned in the open air in small fires
- (a) on the last Saturday of March in each year, the following day, and the following Saturday and Sunday, and
  - (b) on the last Saturday of October in each year, the following day, and the following Saturday and Sunday.
- (ii) Every person who starts a fire on said days shall place and keep a competent person at all times in charge of such fire while the same is burning or smouldering and until such fire is completely extinguished and shall provide that person with efficient appliances and equipment in order to prevent the fire from getting beyond control or causing damage or becoming dangerous to life or property.
- (4) This regulation does not apply to
- (a) small confined fires used for cooking food in grills and barbecues, and
  - (b) necessary Municipal burning.

Read a first time this 20th day of April , 1970.

Read a second time this 20th day of April , 1970.

Read a third time this 20th day of April , 1970.

Reconsidered and adopted this 27th day of April,

1970.



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CLERK