



## BON FIRES

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### 2019 California Fire Code Section 307

- A. Bon Fires require a Fire Permit. (Section 105.32)
- B. Before and after burning (totally extinguishing fire), contact Police/Fire dispatch at (951) 354-2007 and let them know you are going to have a bon fire.
- C. Bon fires shall not be conducted within 50 feet of a structure, property line or combustible material away from overhead obstructions/wires. Conditions, which could cause a fire to spread to within 50 feet of a structure, shall be eliminated prior to ignition. CFC, Section 307.4.1
- D. Buckets, shovels, garden hoses or a water type fire extinguisher (min. 4-A rating) shall be readily available for use at bon fires. CFC, Section 307.5
- E.
- F. A person knowledgeable in the use of fire-extinguishing equipment shall constantly attend bon fires. An attendant shall supervise a bon fire until such fire has been extinguished. CFC, Section 307.5

The Fire Department is authorized to require that bon fires be immediately discontinued if such fires are determined to constitute a hazardous or objectionable condition.

These requirements are in accordance with the California Fire Code Section 307