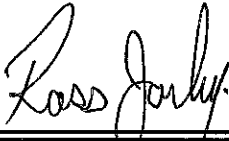


The Rural Municipality of Elton

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POLICY DESCRIPTON:

Be it resolved that Council of the RM of Elton adopt the following policy for fire pits within the villages of Forrest, Douglas and Justice located in the Rural Municipality of Elton. All village fire pits must:

- Be at least 3 metres (10 feet) from any building, property lines or combustible materials;
- Have an overall pit depth that does not exceed 36 cms (14 inches) and a pit opening that does not exceed 61 cms (24 inches) inside diameter;
- Have a spark arrestor mesh screen with a grid no larger than 1.25 cm (1/2 inch);
- Have enclosed sides made from brick, concrete blocks or heavy-gauge metal or other non-combustible materials acceptable to Council or their designate;
- Not be used to burn prohibited debris.

All landowners and/or renters using fire pits are reminded to be "Good Neighbours" and ensure that any smoke from their fire pit is not heading into their neighbour's yard which may be deemed a nuisance.

Please refer also to Burning By-law No. 1455 for additional provisions relating to burning. The Burning By-law No. 1455 provisions supercede policy where any discrepancies may exist.