

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
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COUNTY OF FULTON)

FULTON COUNTY BOARD
JUNE SESSION, A.D. 1989

FULTON COUNTY ORDINANCE FOR CONTROL OF OPEN BURNING

An Ordinance to provide for the regulation of open burning of lawns, fields, pastures, and rights of way in the County of Fulton and State of Illinois in the territory outside the corporate limits of any city, town or village within said County.

WHEREAS, the General Assembly of the State of Illinois by Title II, Section 9 of "An Act to Protect the Environment of the State and to Repeal Certain Acts Therein Named" approved July 1, 1970, as amended, has provided, in part, that "[t]his Section shall not limit the burning of landscape waste upon the premises where it is produced..." and

WHEREAS, it has been made to appear to the County Board of Fulton County, Illinois, that it is necessary for said County to regulate open burning of landscape waste in the territory of the County outside the corporate limits of any city, town or village;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED and ORDAINED by the County Board of the County of Fulton, Illinois, that:

SECTION I: This Resolution shall be known as the Open Burning Resolution.

SECTION II: The words, "open burning" as used in this Resolution shall be construed to mean and be limited to the burning of landscape waste upon the premises where it is produced.

SECTION III: Open burning shall be permitted during the hours of sunrise to sunset, subject to the limitations of Section IV of this Ordinance.

SECTION IV: The Fire Chief or his designated deputy in each of the respective fire protection districts encompassing territory in the unincorporated area of the County of Fulton is hereby authorized to prohibit open burning for specific periods of time when weather conditions are unfavorable.

SECTION V: Time periods during which open burning is prohibited will be publicized by the individual Fire Chiefs or deputy firechiefs, through radio stations and newspapers of general circulation serving the County of Fulton.

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SECTION VI: Any person who violates a provision of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a Class B Misdemeanor and shall be fined a sum of not less than \$100.00. Each day's violation constitutes a separate offense. The State's Attorney of Fulton County shall bring such actions in the name of the People of the State of Illinois or may bring action for an injunction to restrain such violations.

SECTION VII: This Ordinance shall become effective upon adoption.

ADOPTED this 13th day of June, A.D. 1989.

Miller C. Rippe
Chairman of the Fulton
County Board

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Ex-Officio Clerk of the Fulton County Board

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Jack Juraco
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THIS INSTRUMENT FILED FOR RECORD ON THE
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COUNTY CLERK & RECORDER

D.H. on file