

## BRADFORD TOWNSHIP DEBRIS BURNING GUIDELINES:

- Bradford Township will follow the DEP Guidelines for disposal of solid waste and will recommend recycling as much as possible.
- If due to extreme dry and or drought conditions, the County or State enacts a burn ban, the Municipality will honor it.
- Construction and demolition waste must be disposed of at a landfill.
- Some domestic waste can be burned on the property, if it was generated on the property and there are not more than two families that reside at the residence. This burning does not permit the burning of construction or demolition debris, insulation or shingles , treated wood, tires, furniture, bedding, PVC and plastic products or anything that gives off a noxious odor or smoke. The smoke may not go onto another person's property.
- Examples of allowable burning, provided it does not endanger anyone's health or property:
  - Barbeques
  - Recreational camp type fires
  - Yard debris
  - Brush from property clearing
- The Fire Department will extinguish all fires they are dispatched to. The Fire Chief determines the cause of all fires. He may enlist the help of the Township Police and or the Pennsylvania State Police Fire Marshall.
- The Fire Chief may allow a fire to burn if he wants to assume all liability for the fire and it is not violating another person's safety or property and he is sure there was no criminal intent or arson involvement. The Fire Department will provide information on the safe burning of allowable solid waste.