



Hurricane Valley Fire District

Notice Concerning

Home Campfires

Hurricane Valley Fire District follows the Utah Administrative Code 307-202-6 and the International Fire Code (IFC). They require the following for home campfires:

1. All fires must be in a contained pit or ring.
2. All sparks and embers must be controlled (a screen to cover the fire may be necessary).
3. The pit must also have a non-flammable safety ring immediately around it that is at least 3 feet wide (no grass allowed within that safety ring).
4. Fires must be at least 15 feet away from any structure, combustible material, and property line.
5. Fires must use only clean, dry, untreated wood.
6. Fires must always be maintained and supervised, which includes extinguishing all fires **completely** before leaving the pit unattended.
7. Once fires are completely extinguished and incapable of reigniting, all ashes and other debris should be disposed of properly.

It is also recommended that a garden hose, bucket of water, or a fire extinguisher be close by.

Home campfires can be enjoyable, but they can also be dangerous. Although following these requirements will not guarantee safety, they will help.