



# **Grand Ledge Area Fire Department**

***Proudly Serving the City of Grand Ledge  
and Oneida Township.***

**DATE:** April 8, 2020

**TO:** Residents of the City of Grand Ledge and Oneida Charter Township

**FROM:** Chief, Rodney VanDeCastele

Starting today, April 8, 2020, residents of the City of Grand Ledge and Oneida Charter Township are allowed to have recreational fires on their property under the following conditions:

1. Residents must have a valid permit prior to any burning. Permits must be obtained by calling 517-627-1157. Permits may be denied based on weather conditions or other variables.
2. Only seasoned firewood can be burned in a designated campfire area or fire pit. Fire areas must be self-contained with water hose accessible at all times. No yard waste, brush, or agricultural burning is allowed.
3. All fires must be fully extinguished with no visible embers prior to leaving the area.
4. Executive Order 2020-21 must be followed. Permits will only be issued for single household use. Any people gathering other than those of the single household is strongly discouraged. Those found in violation of this order may be subject to a penalty of up to \$1,000 for each violation.
5. **Violations of any of these guidelines will compromise future permit issuance.**