
**AN ORDINANCE OF THE ABBOTTSTOWN BOROUGH COUNCIL, ADAMS
COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 2006-07, AS CODIFIED
IN CHAPTER 85 OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF ABBOTTSTOWN
RELATING TO OPEN BURNING
ORDINANCE No. 2025-__**

WHEREAS, on November 16, 2006, the Council of the Borough of Abbottstown enacted Ordinance No. 2006-07 relating to open burning within the Borough of Abbottstown, which has been codified in Chapter 85 of the Code of the Borough of Abbottstown; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Council wishes to amend Ordinance No. 2006-07, as codified.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the Borough of Abbottstown, Adams County, Pennsylvania, enacts and ordains:

SECTION 1

Ordinance No. 2006-07 and Chapter 85, Section 85-2, of the Code of the Borough of Abbottstown is hereby amended as follows:

§85-2 Exceptions.

- A. Nothing herein shall prohibit the use of:
- (1) Gas grills, charcoal grills, cooking grills and outdoor portable self-contained decorative screened fireplaces and chimineas in the Borough of Abbottstown. Only charcoal, wood, LP and natural gas shall be used as fuel.
 - (2) Firepits, provided, however, the firepit is no more than twelve (12) inches deep with a metal liner on the bottom of the pit, with brick/block sides at least thirty (30) inches in height, not more than fifty-four (54) inches interior diameter (if round) or 3000 square inches in total interior area (if square, rectangular or any other geometric shape), and equipped with a metal grate or operable connected water source (hose). Only natural wood may be burned in the firepit (e.g. no paint, pallet wood or machined wood may be burned in the firepit).
- B. Any such burning shall be conducted as allowed by federal, state and county regulations.