

Sec. 22-1. - Open burning.

- (a) *Title.* This section shall be known and may be cited as "The Open Burning Ordinance of the Village of Bourbonnais, Illinois."
- (b) *Definitions.* For the purposes of this section, the following terms, phrases, words and derivations shall have the meanings given herein. When not inconsistent with the context, words used in the present tense include the future, words in the plural number include the singular number, and words in the singular number include the plural number:

Agricultural wastes. Any refuse, except garbage and dead animals, generated on a farm or ranch by crop and livestock production practices, including such items as bags, cartons, dry bedding, structural materials, and landscape wastes.

Domicile waste. Any refuse generated on single-family domiciliary property as a result of domiciliary activities. The term includes landscape waste, but excludes garbage and trade waste.

Garbage. Refuse resulting from the handling, processing, preparation, cooking and consumption of food or food products.

Landscape wastes. Any vegetable or plant refuse, except garbage. The term includes trees, tree trimmings, branches, stumps, brush, weeds, leaves, grass, shrubbery, yard trimmings and crop residues.

Open burning. The combustion of any matter in such a way that the products of the combustion are emitted to the open air.

Person. Any person, firm, partnership, association, corporation, company or organization of any kind.

Refuse. Any discarded matter; or any matter which is to be reduced in volume, or otherwise changed in chemical or physical properties, in order to facilitate its discard, removal or disposal.

Trade waste. Any refuse resulting from the prosecution of any trade, business, industry, commercial venture, utility or service activity, and any government or institutional activity, whether or not for profit. The term includes landscape waste but excludes agricultural waste.

- (c) *Prohibited.* It shall be unlawful for any person to cause or allow open burning within the geographical limits of the village, of agricultural wastes, domicile waste, garbage, landscape waste, refuse or trade waste, at any time, at any place or under any circumstances.

(Code 1973, § 17-1)

Cross reference— Fire prevention and protection, Ch. 11; smoke and air pollution, § 20-12.