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PERMIT CONDITIONS FOR BURNING OFF BROADACRES

Burning Season from 1st March to 30th April

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a) That a minimum of three (3) able bodied persons to control the fire must be present at the site of the fire from the time it is lit to the time it is completely extinguished.
 (Able bodied person is a person who is competently able to drive a vehicle and operate a pump and hose)

- b) That at least 1,000 litres of water connected to a working water pump and hoses must be kept at hand to extinguish the fire.
- c) That the permit holder notify the Fire Prevention Officer of the Kadina Council office personally, by phone, fax or online via Council's web site after 5pm on the day prior to the intended burn, but no later than 12.00 noon on the day of the intended burnoff of their intention to light the fire. Permit holder must contact Adelaide Fire on 1300 008 175 immediately prior to ignition.
- d) That the land immediately around the relevant land must be cleared of all flammable material to a distance of at least four metres or a 5 metre fire break whichever is relevant.
- e) That the fire must be lit from the leeward side of the relevant land to establish a protective break, and then may be lit from the windward side of the land.
- f) That the holder of the permit must, no more than seven days, and no less than two hours, before the fire is lit, give notice of their intention to light the fire
 - i) to any person who owns, occupies or is in charge of land adjoining, including opposite roadways, the land holding where the relevant land is situated, and who resides within 8 kilometres of the relevant land or if it is not reasonably practicable to give such notice, to the person in charge of the nearest police station; and
 - ii) if the relevant land is within two kilometres of a government reserve—to the person in charge of the reserve.
- g) Burning off is only permitted between the hours of 10.00am-9.00pm Monday to Friday. No burning is permitted on Saturdays, Sundays, Public Holidays or any day our Authorised Officer deems unsuitable.

h) ALL PERMITS ARE AUTOMATICALLY REVOKED ON A TOTAL FIRE BAN DAY.

i) No burning shall occur when the local Fire Danger Index exceeds 35.

Note: Before lighting, current and predicted weather conditions must be seriously considered as well as being mindful of wind direction on the day of the burn and the following day so as not to create a smoke hazard to road users or nuisance to townships.

Section 81 (13) of the Fire and Emergency Services Act 2005

"The fact that the holder of a permit has complied with the conditions of the permit does not itself relieve the holder from liability for any loss or damage caused by a fire lit under the authority of a permit."

FAILING TO COMPLY WITH ANY PERMIT CONDITION MAY RESULT IN THE PERMIT BEING REVOKED AND A \$315 EXPIATION NOTICE BEING ISSUED.

