

## Chapter 78

### BURNING, OUTDOOR

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[HISTORY: Adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Sodus Point 12-17-1958, amended in its entirety 10-20-2005 by L.L. No. 1-2005. Subsequent amendments noted where applicable.]

#### GENERAL REFERENCES

Fire prevention and building construction - See Ch. 102.

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§ 78-1. Purpose.

In order to control open burning within the Village of Sodus Point, the following chapter is hereby enacted.

§ 78-2. Conformance required.

No person shall burn any refuse in any open fire except in conformity with the provisions of the following section.

§ 78-3. Permissible and nonpermissible types of burning.

A. When not prohibited by other local ordinances or other officials having jurisdiction, such as the State Commissioner of Conservation or local fire wardens or other fire prevention officials, the following types of open burning are permissible:

- (1) Outdoor grills and fireplaces for the purpose of preparing food.
- (2) Campfires and bonfires on private property used solely for recreation purposes which shall not be within 25 feet of any structure on said property or within 25 feet of any structure on any adjacent parcel and such fires shall be properly controlled by a responsible party and no nuisance shall be created by such fires.

B. The following types of open burning are not permissible:

- (1) Burning of rubbish principally composed of paper, tree trimmings, brush, leaves and discarded construction materials.

**§ 78-4. Penalties for offenses.**

The violation of any provision of this chapter shall be deemed an offense against such chapter punishable by a fine not exceeding \$100 or imprisonment for a term not exceeding 60 days, or both.