

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLESEX
CUMBERLAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
ORDINANCE NO. 14-70

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING OUTDOOR FIRES WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLESEX, CUMBERLAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF.

BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED BY THE SUPERVISORS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLESEX, CUMBERLAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AND IT IS HEREBY ENACTED AND ORDAINED BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE SAME.

SECTION 1 - No person, firm or partnership or corporation shall set, cause to be set or maintain any fire upon any of the streets, sidewalks, alleys, or public grounds in the Township of Middlesex, or cause to be burned or burn thereon any paper, boxes, rubbish, leaves, weeds, or other material or substance of any kind.

SECTION 2 - Except for agriculture or farming tracts to which this Section shall not apply, out-of-door fires shall be permitted on private property in the Township of Middlesex provided the following regulations are strictly adhered to:

(A) Every such out-of-door fire shall be built and confined to a non-combustible container not exceeding seventy-five (75) cubic feet, covered with a screen of one (1) inch or smaller mesh, or solid plate, except at the chimney thereof. All such fires shall be attended and no fires shall be permitted between the hours of sunset and the following sunrise. No such fire shall be built within a distance of forty (40) feet from any building.

(B) In Industrial or Commercial locations, burning shall be done only in an incinerator of a type that conforms to the specifications currently existing or hereafter adopted by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Air Pollution Control.

(C) All brush fires in forest lands shall be attended at all times and shall not be built or maintained at any point within one hundred (100) feet from any building.

SECTION 3 - Any person, firm, partnership or corporation whosnall violate or fail to conform to any of the provisions of this Ordinance, shall, upon conviction thereof before a Justice of the Peace, be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars, together with costs of prosecution and in default of payment of such fine and costs, to undergo imprisonment of not more than ten (10) days.

SECTION 4 - All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

FINALLY PASSED AND ENACTED INTO AN ORDINANCE at a meeting of the Board of Supervisors held the 7th day of January 1970

ATTEST:

SUPERVISORS OF MIDDLESEX TOWNSHIP

R. G. P. ...
Secretary

Albert M. Shaver
Chairman

Paul B. ...

David C. ...