



# CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS

## Legislation Details (With Text)

<b>File #:</b>	18-010	<b>Name:</b>	Burn Ordinance
<b>Type:</b>	Ordinance	<b>Status:</b>	Approved
		<b>In control:</b>	City Council Regular Meeting
<b>On agenda:</b>	1/2/2018	<b>Final action:</b>	1/2/2018
<b>Title:</b>	Consider/Discuss/Act on an Ordinance Repealing Chapter 42, Article III, Sections 42-56 through 42-67 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of McKinney, Texas Entitled "Open Burning" and Establishing a New Chapter 42, Article III, Sections 42-56 through 42-68, Entitled "Open Burning"		
<b>Indexes:</b>			
<b>Attachments:</b>	1. Ordinance		

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
1/2/2018	1	City Council Regular Meeting	Approved	Pass

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**COUNCIL GOAL:** Safe and Secure Community

**MEETING DATE:** January 2, 2018

**DEPARTMENT:** Fire Department

**CONTACT:** Danny Kistner, Fire Chief  
Mike Smith, Fire Marshal

**RECOMMENDED CITY COUNCIL ACTION:** Approve Ordinance

### ITEM SUMMARY:

- The Ordinance includes the prohibitions and exceptions with regards to Open Burning within the corporate limits of the City of McKinney.

### BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

- Currently, the City is utilizing the 2012 International Fire Code (IFC) with accompanying Open Burning Ordinance.
- When a new fire code is adopted by the City of McKinney, revisions to the Open Burning Ordinance are required to keep consistency between the two ordinances.
- As proposed, adopting the Open Burning Ordinance (as described in the above recommended city council action), and their associated amendments will:

- Provide the most current life safety code applications with respect to construction and occupancy of structures, as well as safety of firefighters.
- Prepare the City of McKinney for the pending January 2018 ISO re-grade of the Fire Department , which is used in developing insurance rates for commercial and residential properties within the city limits.