

FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP
Warren County, Ohio
Resolution No. 02-03252020

A RESOLUTION PROHIBITING OPEN AND PRESCRIBED BURNING WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP, WARREN COUNTY, OHIO DURING PERIODS OF STATE AND LOCAL EMERGENCIES.

WHEREAS, The Franklin Township Volunteer Fire Department is dependent upon volunteers from the community to answer all fire calls;

WHEREAS, During times of crisis and emergencies Franklin Township Volunteer Fire Department personnel are already in high demand;

WHEREAS, Mutual aide from neighboring jurisdictions is already sparse due to the high demand their own communities are facing;

WHEREAS, Sending Franklin Township Volunteer Fire Department personnel into the community, and as a result, into danger unnecessarily should be avoided when possible;

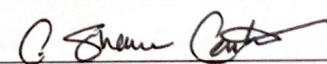
THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Franklin Township Board of Trustees issue an order prohibiting all open burning and prescribed burning without prior written permission from the Franklin Township Fire Chief. This ban includes but is not limited to burning of yard waste, trash, and debris, even when in a proper burn barrel.

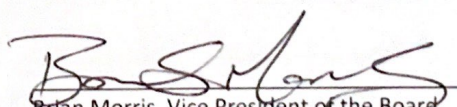
Adopted this 25th day of March, 2020.

Attest:


Scot Fromeyer, Fiscal

FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES:


C. Shane Centers, President of the Board


Brian Morris, Vice President of the Board


Matthew Jennings, Trustee