

OUT-OF-DOOR BURNING - Burning conducted out of doors either in a confined container or outside of a container.

JURISDICTIONAL LIMITS - The area over which the Borough may exercise judicial powers.

REFUSE - Garbage, rubbish or trade wastes.

PREVAILING TIME - Time presently being observed; daylight saving time or standard time.

TRADE WASTE - Any solid or liquid material or rubbish resulting from building operations, construction or carry out of any business, trade or industry.

§ 60-3. Limitations, times, exclusions to this section.

A. No out-of-door burning of any kind whatsoever and by any person within the jurisdictional limits of the Borough of Sykesville shall be permitted within fifteen (15') feet of any building or any property line.

B. Out-of-door burning of any kind whatsoever and by any person shall be strictly prohibited within the jurisdictional limits of the Borough of Sykesville at any time on Sunday of each week.

C. Out-of-door burning of brush and garden debris only shall be permitted within the jurisdictional limits of the Borough of Sykesville on Monday through Saturday of each week at the following times only:

(1) April 1st through October 31st - 6:00 P.M. through 9:00 P.M. prevailing time.

(2) November 1st through March 31st - 4:00 P.M. through 8:00 P.M. prevailing time.

D. All out-of-door burning of large sheds or other large items or large quantities of brush and/or garden debris shall be subject to the following restrictions:

(1) No such burning shall occur until notice of the date, time, and location of such burning have been given to the Borough Fire Department and until prior written approval has been given by said Fire Department.

E. This ordinance shall not be applicable to the Borough of Sykesville Fire Department in so far as said department may conduct controlled burnings at any time within the Borough limits for the purpose the practice of fire fighting techniques.

§ 60-4. Enforcement.

The Borough Council, Mayor and any other Committee or Department so appointed shall have the power to and duty to enforce the provisions of this chapter.

§ 60-5. Cross reference to Refuse Collection Chapter ¹

It shall be unlawful to dump, otherwise burn, destroy, or otherwise dispose of refuse within the jurisdictional limits of the Borough of Sykesville. With the exceptions contained herein, refuse must be disposed of by contract with a licensed collector.

§ 60-6. Penalties.

A. Any person who shall violate any provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than ten (\$10.00) dollars nor more than one hundred (\$100.00) dollars.

B. Each day's continuance of violation of this ordinance shall constitute a separate offense.

¹ Editor's Note: Amended at time of adoption of Code, see General Provisions, Ch. 1, Art. I. See also Ch. 63, Garbage.