

Air Curtain Burn Box Approved Agricultural Materials

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RULE 2280

An Air Curtain Burn Box is an open-top combustion device with vertical, refractory lined walls that operates by forcefully projecting a fan driven pane of high velocity air over the top of the combustion chamber in such a manner as to maintain a curtain of air over the surface and a recirculating motion of air under the curtain.

Only agricultural materials on this list, forest management materials, or hazard reduction materials may be burned in an air curtain burn box.

Agricultural Material	Description
Orchard Removals	<i>Includes leaves, branches, trunks, roots, stumps, and untreated branch support sticks.</i>
Vineyard Removals	<i>Includes vines, canes, trunks, roots, untreated grape stakes, wires, as well similar materials from kiwi vineyards.</i>
Orchard Attrition	<i>Includes suckers, dead or broken branches, dead trees (trees lost due to natural causes such as wind, not to be confused with orchard removals or trees that perish from lack of watering).</i>
Grape Attrition	<i>Includes suckers, dead or broken stumps, and trunks.</i>
Untreated Grape Stakes	
Paper Raisin Trays	
Diseased Materials	<i>The county agricultural commissioner must determine that burning is the only means available for disposing of the diseased materials.</i>
Tumbleweeds	
Diseased Beehives	

For questions about air curtain burn box use or acceptable materials, please contact the District's Compliance team at 559-230-5950.