

WPPX: EPD'S SUMMER BURN BAN LIFTED

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Outdoor burning will again be permitted beginning October 1 in 54 Georgia counties (including Cherokee) where restrictions have been in place since May. The Georgia Environmental Protection Division issues the burn ban annually to help reduce emissions from ground level ozone that may jeopardize air quality, mostly in north Georgia.

Burn permits issued by the Georgia Forestry Commission are required for any outdoor burning in the state to help prevent wildfires and problems generated by smoke. They may be obtained at GaTrees.org or by calling 1-877-O-K-2-BURN.

See the full EPD press release here:

http://www.gatrees.org/resources/media/9-25-18%20-%20EPDS%20SUMMER%20BURN%20BAN%20LIFTED.pdf

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