



Town of Granite Quarry Fire Department

Established May 15th, 1950



12/6/2021

Citizens of Granite Quarry,

I come to you today in effort to provide clarity on an ongoing issue. As many of you know, currently there is a statewide burn ban in place in North Carolina. As of 11/29/21 at 5pm the burn ban came into effect. This includes the Town of Granite Quarry. While Granite Quarry has a burn ban all the time except for small fire pits, this ban would cover those as well. With low humidity, gusty winds and little to no rain, the probability of a fire spreading quickly has increased. The town offers leaf and limb pick up throughout the year to prevent burning in town. That schedule is available on our town website. If you have any questions, please reach out. I will update the public once the North Carolina ban has been lifted.

Thanks for your understanding on the matter.

Sincerely,

**Chief Hord
Granite Quarry Fire Department**