

COUNTY OF



ALLEGHENY

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Dear Municipal Official,

In 2015, the Allegheny County Health Department updated the open burning regulations. As part of a continuing outreach effort, we are sending all municipalities additional information on our regulation. This guidance can help you inform your citizens and your staff of these updated regulations.

The enclosed informational documents also explain the health effects of wood smoke. Please share them with the appropriate personnel within your township or borough. Additional information, including these brochures, can be found at www.achd.net/air/burning and at www.burnfactsallegheny.info. We would also happily provide additional copies of the outreach materials.

If you have any questions, please contact Nick Caito at 412-578-7963. Nick or someone else on our staff will be glad to help you.

Thank you for your interest,



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