

## **July 10, 2012 Notice of Burning Ban**

### **EMERGENCY DECLARATION – BURNING BAN TOWN OF FOX LAKE**

A burning state of emergency is declared by the Town Board of the Town of Fox Lake and therefore, it is ordered that a person may not:

- 1.Set, build or maintain any open fire, except: charcoal grills using charcoal briquettes, gas grills, or camp stoves on private property.
- 2.Throw, discard or drop matches, cigarettes, cigars, ashes, charcoal briquettes or other burning materials while outdoors except into a noncombustible container that does not contain combustible materials.
- 3.Light or ignite a flare, except upon a roadway in an emergency.
- 4.Light, ignite, or use anything manufactured, processed or packaged solely for the purpose of exploding, emitting sparks or combustion for amusement purposes, including fireworks, firecrackers, bottle rockets, caps, toy snakes, sparklers, smoke bombs, or cylindrical or cone fountains that emit sparks and smoke, except in displays authorized by the Town where adequate fire prevention measures have been taken.

The period of emergency shall be limited to the time during which the emergency conditions exist or are likely to exist in the Town of Fox Lake.

Any person who violates a lawful order of the town board or its agents made under this emergency declaration shall forfeit not more than \$100 or, in default of payment of the forfeiture, shall be subject to imprisonment for 6 months for each separate offense.

Dated this 9th day of July, 2012  
Edwin W. Benter,  
Town Clerk/Treasurer