

U.S. Army Garrison Hawaii – Environmental Compliance Guide

OPEN BURNING

GENERAL INFORMATION

General Rule: Based on Army Garrison, HI policy and the Hawaii State Law, the burning of any material in an open fire is not allowed anywhere on the Army Garrison, HI. This includes the burning of documents, trash, leaves, wood, etc.

Exceptions: Residential BBQ grilling, up to 2 grills, is allowed on the Garrison without prior notification. When planning for all other outdoor cooking arrangements, coordinate with the Federal Fire Department at 471-8004.



POTENTIAL HAZARDS

Fire hazards may occur if the flame becomes uncontrolled and spreads to other uncontained areas.

The effects of smoke on human health is also detrimental due to the hazardous air pollutants released into the atmosphere. The inhalation of these emissions may cause cancer or lead to other adverse health effects.

BURNING ALTERNATIVES

- Utilize an NSA-approved shredder for classified documents.
- Residents can utilize IPC's recycling and green waste curbside pickup.
- Soldiers can deliver accepted materials to the Army Recycling Center.
- The Garrison's website, *Sustainability and Environmental Topics from A to Z*, provides disposal information by material:

<https://home.army.mil/hawaii/index.php/garrison/dpw/environmental-a-z>

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Notify us (808) 656-3107 if you see any open burns on the Garrison since we are subject to monetary fines for unauthorized fires. Call 911 for any burning that is uncontrolled or spreading.

For additional information, please refer to the following websites:

USAG-HI Open Burn Policy

<https://home.army.mil/hawaii/index.php/about/command-pubs>