

## News Release

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**From: Heather Sutherland, Economic  
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### **City of Pembroke considering recreational open-air burning across city**

City of Pembroke council is considering making changes to the Recreational Open Air Burning bylaw to allow recreational open-air burning throughout Pembroke on properties meeting requirements being developed, and is seeking public input on this matter.

The intent, if adopted, is to allow recreational open-air burning for residents under certain conditions. Some matters to be discussed include determining what is an acceptable fireplace, what appropriate setbacks would be, potential nuisance issues, as well as the permit and enforcement structure.

Residents are invited to provide comment on any of the listed items, or any other matters that should be considered by council. Comments can be sent to any member of council or provided directly to the municipality by contacting [pembroke@pembroke.ca](mailto:pembroke@pembroke.ca), 613-735-6821 ext. 1515, or through our social media channels on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram.

The deadline for comment is Wednesday, July 31. Residents are encouraged to get involved and have their say.

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