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“Outdoor burn ban lifted indefinitely”

Due to recent rains and expected rains for this week, Cameron County will indefinitely lift the outdoor burn ban, beginning today--Wednesday, September 23, 2009.

Those county residents, wishing to burn leaves, grass, brush, or any other tree material, will need to obtain a permit from this office.

As always, household trash, wood, construction material, chemicals, wiring, etc. should never be burned regardless of whether an outdoor burn ban is in effect or not; these items should be properly disposed.

Questions in reference to the outdoor burning may be made to the Cameron County Judge's Division of Homeland Security & Emergency Management and Fire Marshal Service (956) 547-7000 [M-F 8am to 5pm].

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