



Snohomish County Fire District 5

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Who do I call for a hostile fire that is endangering life or property?

Call 911 and the Fire District will respond.

What kind of outdoor fires are legal?

Recreational Fires

No larger than 3' x 3' x 2' in size, do not require a permit. By definition recreational fires are cooking fires, campfires, and bonfires using charcoal or firewood that occur in designated areas or on private property for cooking, pleasure, or ceremonial purposes. Fires used for debris disposal purposes are not considered recreational fires.

Fires with Valid Burn Permit

Fires outside the Urban Growth Area ([see map on back](#)) may qualify for a Residential Burn Permit to burn a burn pile no larger than 4'x4'x3'. Residential burning means the outdoor burning of leaves, clippings, prunings and other yard and gardening refuse originating on lands immediately adjacent and in close proximity to a human dwelling and burned on such lands by the property owner or his or her designee.

How do I get a burn permit?

It is illegal to burn without a permit in Snohomish County outside of a recreational food fire without a permit. To obtain a residential or land clearing permit contact the Snohomish County Fire Marshall's Office at (425)388-3557

How do I know if there is a burn ban?

Contact the Snohomish County Fire Marshall's Office at (425)388-3508 to listen to their automated burn ban information line. There is also a link on our website: www.snofire5.org

What kind of fire is illegal?

Fires other than recreational food fires located inside the Urban Growth Area. Fires where there is no valid permit to burn. Fires containing garbage, processed wood products, construction materials, or burn barrels are all illegal fires. Permits are only issued for the burning of natural vegetation.

Who is the enforcement agency for illegal fires?

The enforcement agency for an illegal fire that affects clean air quality is the Puget Sound Clean Air Agency. The enforcement agency for fires during a burn ban for fire danger is the Snohomish County Fire Marshall's Office.

Who do I call for an illegal fire that affects air quality?

Do not call 911. Call Puget Sound Clean Air Agency at (800)552-3565 or (206)343-8800, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Who do I call for an illegal fire inside the Urban Growth Area?

Do not call 911. Call Puget Sound Clean Air Agency at (800)552-3565 or (206)343-8800, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Who do I call for a fire that is not permitted?

Do not call 911. Call Puget Sound Clean Air Agency at (800)552-3565 or (206)343-8800, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Call the Snohomish County Fire Marshall's Office at (425) 388-3557

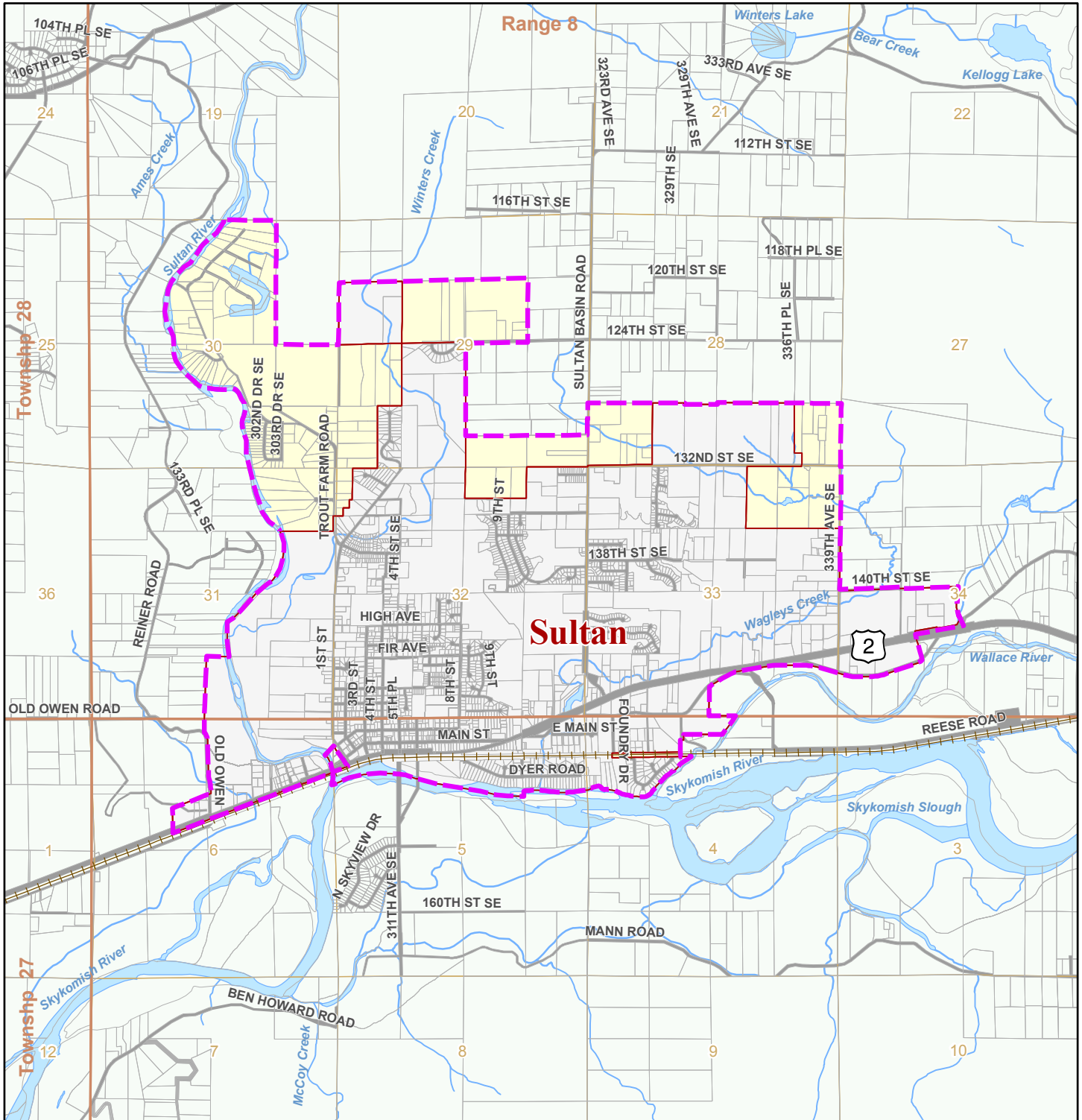
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Urban Growth Areas & Incorporated Cities

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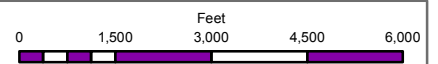


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Legend

- Urban Growth Area Boundary
- Unincorporated Urban Growth Area
- Incorporated Cities
- Township-Range Grid
- Section Grid
- Assessor Parcels



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