





FFS Update – Fall 2012
Central Florida Prescribed Fire Council – October 15, 2012

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FFS Update

- Prescribed Fire Summit-II
- Prescribed Fire Awareness Week
- Burner Review
- IABPF upcoming sessions
- Online Authorization Request

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Prescribed Fire Summit - II

- October 16–18, 2012 at Tall Timbers
- 50 participants from FL, GA, AL & SC
- Reviewed 2008 Strategic Plan



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Prescribed Fire Awareness Week


- Fourth Sunday each January
- January 27th thru February 2nd, 2013



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Burner Review



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Burner Status Cards

- Mailed at the end of January
 - **Green** = Status good beyond end of year
 - **Yellow** = Status will expire at end of year
- Keep your contact information current
 - Used to send cards
- Let the Duty Officer know that you are doing a certified burn
 - New online OBA system requires this

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Things to Remember

- Your prescription is a legal document
 - Make sure information is complete
 - Make sure information is correct
 - Signature with date
 - Add authorization number
 - Take it to the burn
 - Keep it in your files for future use

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2012-13 IABPF Courses

- **Sarasota:** December 9-14, 2012
- **Tallahassee:** January 6-11, 2013
- **Apopka:** January 13-18, 2013
- **West Palm Beach:** Jan 27- Feb 1, 2013
- **Brooksville:** Jan 27- Feb 1, 2013
- **Jacksonville:** February 10-15, 2013

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Online Authorization Request



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Online Authorization Request

- Certified Burners are able to place open burn authorization requests online
 - morning of or night before
- Requires log-in and password
- Once approved, burner will be able to check the site for approval status and retrieve authorization number

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Online Authorization Request (Cont)

- Provide the same information
 - Multiple STRs
 - Nearest Intersection
- Must indicate certified burn
- Accurate Mapping
- Request should be processed within an hour

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Online Authorization Request

3- Steps to get started

1. Read Quick Start Guide
2. Activate Account
3. Submit Request

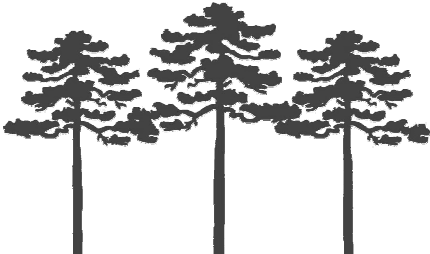
A Quick Start Guide For:
Online Open Burn Authorization Requests
(Rev. 1/10)





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Questions?



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