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County To Hold Public Hearing on Proposed Backyard Burn Ban

The Marion County Board of Commissioners will be holding a public hearing to consider the adoption of an ordinance restricting the practice of backyard burning for properties located within the urban growth boundaries of Salem and Keizer. The public hearing is scheduled for Wednesday, October 8 at 9:30 a.m. in the Senator Hearing Room of Courthouse Square, 555 Court Street N.E., Salem.

The purpose of this ordinance is to regulate and control specific types of open burning on properties located within the Salem-Keizer Urban Growth Boundary under Marion County jurisdiction. This ordinance establishes standards for burning, enforcement authority, and a process for administrative hearings.

The draft ordinance is available on the Marion County Public Works website. To review the ordinance you may go to: <http://www.co.marion.or.us/PW/ES/>.

To testify or provide comment on the ordinance, there will be a sign up sheet at the hearing. Comments and feedback are encouraged.

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