



April 29, 2021

City of Bloomfield
111 W. Franklin Street
Bloomfield, IA 52537

Notice of Violation: Open Burning of Combustible Materials, 567 IAC 23.2(455B)

RE: City of Bloomfield Tree Dump Site – 2nd complaint (Complaint #29429)

Dear Honorable Mayor and Council:

This office received another complaint regarding the current tree dump located on the southwest side of Lake Fisher. The complaint stated that the tree dump was burned again on April 27, 2021. Photos were provided to the Department by the complainant indicating such.

As stated in my previous letter dated April 14th, 2021, this location does not meet the requirements of the Iowa Administrative Code (IAC) 567-23.2(455B) exemptions for open burning. As a reminder, the city is required to submit a letter of intention to the department by May 17, 2021 as to how compliance will be achieved.

Please be advised failure to comply with the above reference rules may result in referral of this case to our Legal Services Section for additional enforcement action. If you have any questions please contact me at 319-653-2135 or by email at Aaron.Pickens@dnr.iowa.gov.

Sincerely,

FIELD SERVICES & COMPLIANCE BUREAU

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Aaron Pickens
Environmental Specialist

xc: File – Bloomfield Tree Dump
Iowa DNR Records Section
Complainant (via email)
Suspense: **May 17, 2021**

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