

# Ocean Beach Fire Rings

Donated Art, Volunteerism Allow Fires to Continue in 2007

National Park Service  
U.S. Department of the Interior

Ocean Beach  
Golden Gate National Recreation Area



In a creative partnership with the Surfrider Foundation, Burners Without Borders, the Ocean Beach Foundation, and the Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy, the GGNRA is installing fire rings at Ocean Beach.

## Beach Fire Regulations

*No Fires Outside Rings*  
*No Glass*  
*No Alcohol*

- Fires are permitted only within fire enclosures provided for that purpose by the park.
- The possession and/or consumption of alcohol is prohibited on Ocean Beach, including the walkway and seawall.
- All firewood must be brought into the park. No gathering, cutting or scavenging of firewood or kindling is permitted in the park from any source.
- Debris burning is not permitted.
- Fires will be completely extinguished with water, doused and stirred.
- Refuse must be removed from beach.
- Minors must be supervised. A responsible leader, 21 years or older, must be present for every 10 children under 18 years of age.
- Chemically treated wood, painted wood, wood with nails or staples shall not be used in any fire.
- Groups of more than 25 people must obtain a permit by calling (415) 561-4300.
- Overnight camping is prohibited at Ocean Beach.
- Please observe all posted regulations.

Please observe "Spare the Air days" and do not burn beach fires when air pollution is severe. When air pollution reaches unhealthy levels, the Bay Area Air Quality Management District notifies the public by declaring a "Spare the Air day." To find out if today is a "Spare the Air day," visit [www.sparetheair.org](http://www.sparetheair.org) or call 1-800-HELP-AIR.

## Universal Access

The Golden Gate National Recreation Area is committed to universal access for all visitors. The new fire rings at Ocean Beach have the following accessibility provisions:

- Future accessible parking spaces, beach route and fire rings located at stairwell 15 & 16.
- Visitors may reserve an all-terrain wheelchair as an assisted device by calling (415) 561-4958, TTY (415) 561-4724, email [richard\\_delao@nps.gov](mailto:richard_delao@nps.gov). Allow 5 days' notice for reservation.

## More Information

Fire regulations are online at:  
[www.nps.gov/goga/parkmgmt/fire\\_info.htm](http://www.nps.gov/goga/parkmgmt/fire_info.htm)

If you have questions or comments about beach fires and other issues affecting Ocean Beach, please e-mail [goga\\_pase@nps.gov](mailto:goga_pase@nps.gov) or call (415) 561-4741.

## Volunteer Cleanup Days

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[www.sfsurfrider.org/prog\\_cleanup.htm](http://www.sfsurfrider.org/prog_cleanup.htm)

## Donate to the Public Art Project

Burners Without Borders  
[www.burnerswithoutborders.org](http://www.burnerswithoutborders.org)

Ocean Beach Foundation  
[www.oceanbeachfoundation.org](http://www.oceanbeachfoundation.org)