

# **The Mile High City Is Doin' It Right**

## **Denver has a ban on outdoor fires, including fire pits!**

**The city of Denver does not allow open burns of any sort.**

**No bonfires, no coal fires, no fire pits, no chimineas.**

In other words, your fall bonfire party might need to become a fall gather-around-the-lantern party.

**Denver has instituted this ban because outdoor wood and coal fires emit “significant pollutants, including particulate matter and dioxin, and can be even more harmful to those in the immediate vicinity through the direct inhalation of toxins,” a news release states.**

**Violations can result in fines up to \$2,000, although first-time offenders may get a warning.**