



# CHIMNEY BRUSH LOAN PROGRAM

**LANE FIRE AUTHORITY OFFERS EQUIPMENT BORROWING FOR CLEANING CHIMNEY FLUES.**

Chimney Cleaning Equipment Loan Form must be filled out completely.

Items borrowed must be returned within 72 hours.

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## STEPS FOR DETERMINING WHICH BRUSH BEST FITS YOUR NEEDS:

1.) Determine what type of chimney you have- masonry or metal.

Most masonry chimneys can be cleaned with a wire brush, unless the mortar is fragile. Metal lined chimneys should be cleaned with a poly brush.

2.) Determine the size of the chimney- measure the inside diameter of the flue.

Use a brush that measures the actual size of the flue, or no more than ½ inch larger than the actual size. Brushes come in round, square and rectangular sizes, so find the one that fits your chimney best.

3.) Choose the cleaning method that works best for you.

This will help determine which type of rod or rope you will need, and how much. We have both flexible and rigid rods available in four-foot sections.

### Chimney brushes we carry:

6" x 10" Rectangle METAL

7" x 11" Rectangle METAL

10" Square METAL

8" Square METAL

6" Square METAL

6" Round METAL

6" Round POLLY

4" Round POLLY (for pellet stoves and dryer vents)