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Subject:

Stage 1 Fire & Firework Restriction Notice Effective June 28,2025

Utah State Division of Forestry Fire & State Lands in cooperation with Weber Fire District is enacting Stage 1 Fire Restrictions beginning June 28, 2025, which affect all Unincorporated Weber County. These restrictions will remain in effect until conditions improve.

The current weather conditions and the conditions of vegetation in the affected areas have created a risk of wildland fire. Due to these conditions, a ban on the use of all fireworks and campfires (primitive fire), open burning, welding, grinding, etc. in the restricted areas has been implemented (unless specifically approved).

Although this notice allows for campfires in approved fire pits, at a **permanent dwelling or improved campground, or a day-use picnic** area it does not mean that we can let our guard down. Conditions vary greatly throughout Weber County, and it is important that everyone makes good judgment when deciding to have a campfire in the approved fire pit. If a campfire gets out of control and creates a wildland fire, the individuals responsible for the fire may be held responsible for the costs associated with fighting the fire.

We ask the public to please exercise good fire safety practices when having campfires in approved fire pits. Here are some tips:

- Ensure that your campfire pit is in an area where the fire may not spread to other vegetation. 25 feet is recommended from the fire pit to other combustible materials.
- Keep the fire no larger than 3 feet in diameter and 2 feet in height.
- Have the means to extinguish the fire.
- Fires must always be attended by an adult.
- Completely extinguish the fire when done with the activity.

If you need further assistance, please contact Weber Fire District at 801-782-3580 or visit www.weberfiredistrict.com.

Sincerely.

Rick Cooper

Fire Warden/Wildland Division Weber Fire District/FFSL-DNR