

Utah Interagency Fire

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High Fire Danger Prompts Fire Restrictions in Southeast Utah

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The current and forecasted weather situation coupled with extremely dry accumulations of dense vegetation throughout Southeast Utah have created hazardous wildfire conditions. As a result, beginning **Friday, June 12, 2020**, all State, Bureau of Land Management (BLM), United States Forest Service (USFS), National Park Service (NPS), and all Unincorporated Private lands **in the following areas** are under fire restrictions:

- **Utah State and Unincorporated Private** lands in Grand and San Juan Counties
- **BLM Moab and Monticello Field Office** lands in Grand and San Juan Counties
- **USFS Manti-La Sal National Forest** lands of the **Moab and Monticello Ranger Districts** within Grand and San Juan counties
- **NPS Canyonlands and Arches National Parks** plus **Natural Bridges and Hovenweep National Monuments**

These fire restrictions will be in place until the fire hazard subsides.

Each agency has specific restriction orders that may contain different stipulations, but all the orders have in common a prohibition of the following acts:

1. No campfires, except in permanently constructed cement or metal fire pits provided in developed campgrounds and picnic areas.
2. No smoking, except within an enclosed vehicle or building, a developed recreation site or while stopped in an area that is paved, barren or cleared to mineral soil.
3. No metal cutting, grinding or welding activities in areas of dry vegetation.
4. No discharging, firing or using any kind of fireworks, steel tipped/core ammunition, tracer ammunition or other pyrotechnic devices including exploding targets.

These restrictions do not apply to land or lands within incorporated towns and cities; however, each municipality may have similar or more restrictive ordinances. Questions about specific areas should be directed to agency contacts listed above.

For more specific information including copies of the fire restriction orders and maps showing the affected areas, please visit www.utahfireinfo.gov.