FIRE PREVENTION ORDER

NEVADA STATE OFFICE
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR

Under the authority of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1701 et. seq.) and pursuant to 43 CFR 9212.2, the following acts are prohibited or restricted on all public land areas, roads and trails located within and administered by the BLM Nevada State Office.

Acts Restricted by Fire Prevention Order

1. Possessing, discharging, using or allowing the use of fireworks, pyrotechnic or incendiary devices.
2. Possessing, discharging, igniting or causing to burn; explosives or explosive material, including binary explosive targets.
3. Discharging a firearm using tracer, incendiary, or steel-component ammunition. [Use of tracer or incendiary ammunition is always prohibited on public lands].
4. Operating or using any internal or external combustion engine without a spark arresting device properly installed, maintained and in effective working order.

Acts Recommended by Fire Prevention Order

1. Possession of shovel, fire extinguisher and/or at least 5 gallons of water should be on hand in the event of an unintentional fire start.

Pursuant to 43 CFR 9212.2, each of the following persons is exempt from this order

1. Person with a permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.
2. Any federal, state, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.

Title 43 CFR 9212.0-5, 9212.1 and 9212.4 wildfire prevention provides that any person who knowingly and willfully performs any act restricted by a Fire Prevention Order, upon conviction, be subject to a fine of not more than $1,000 or to imprisonment of not more than 12 months or both. Restitution for total suppression and damage costs incurred will be borne by the trespasser.

This Fire Prevention Order is effective 12:01 AM, on the 25th day of June 2021 and will remain in effect until the 31st day of October 2021, unless rescinded.

Jon Raby, Nevada State Director

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