

**COUNTY WIDE BURN BAN
Resolution R-26-32**

WHEREAS, Woodward County Board of County Commissioners, pursuant to the authority granted by O.S. § 2-16.B, do hereby proclaim that extreme fire danger exists in Woodward County.

As defined within this statute, this situation has been verified by a documented concurrence of the majority of the Woodward County fire chiefs or their designees. By virtue of this resolution, it is unlawful for any person to set fire to any forest, grass, range, crop or other wildlands, or to build a campfire or bonfire, or to burn trash or other material that may cause a forest, grass, range, crop, or other wildland fire. Enforcement of this resolution may be carried out by any law enforcement officer of this State.

Any person convicted of violating this resolution shall be guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), by imprisonment for not more than one (1) year, or both. This resolution shall be effective upon approval by the Board of County Commissioners for a period not to exceed fourteen (14) days beginning May 4, 2026. If extreme fire danger conditions persist, subsequent resolutions may be implemented.

This Burn Ban may be removed at any time during the fourteen day period by the same method through which it was approved. Exceptions: Outdoor cooking in approved cooking appliances is permissible with due caution; Agricultural Burning: Producers may be allowed, on a case-by-case basis with prior approval of Fire Chief of the Fire District and pressurized water on standby, if they submit a written prescribed burn plan at least 72 hours in advance. Industrial Work: Welding and grinding may be allowed on a case-by-case basis with prior approval and pressurized water on standby by the Fire Chief of the Fire District.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set my hand and seal to this instrument on this 4th day of May, two thousand twenty six, at Woodward, Oklahoma.



County Commissioner District 1



County Commissioner District 2



County Commissioner District 3


City/County Clerk

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