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Public Notice - CAMPFIRE BAN RESCINDED

SUMMERLAND - Effective at noon on Friday, September 2, 2022 the current campfire ban within the District of Summerland has been rescinded.

The current prohibition against any Category 2 and Category 3 open fires remains in effect throughout the region.

The following equipment and activities remain prohibited throughout the region:

- Category 2 open fire as defined in the Wildfire Regulation;
- Category 3 open fire as defined in the Wildfire Regulation;
- Fireworks;
- Sky Lanterns;
- Burn Barrels or Burn Cages of any size or description, except when used for a campfire as defined by the Wildfire Regulation; and,
- Binary Exploding Targets.

Anyone found in contravention of an open burning prohibition may be issued a ticket up to \$2,000. In addition, if the contravention causes or contributes to a wildfire, the person responsible may be responsible for all firefighting and associated costs.

The Summerland Fire Department thanks the public for their co-operation.

For more information, visit KFC Campfire Prohibition.

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