

# HUERFANO COUNTY

## FIRE RESTRICTIONS & EMERGENCY CLOSURES

### **STAGE II Fire Restrictions Are Now In Effect (As Of June 1, 2018 10:00 AM)**

**STAGE II: The following acts are prohibited on public and private lands, roads, and trails, as described herein, until further notice:**

- Building, maintaining, attending, or using any fire or campfire. EXCEPTION:
  - (1) Propane grills are allowed if the grill can be turned off with a knob or the flip of a switch.
  - (2) If fire is a requirement to do business (e.g. a barbecue restaurant), shall be requested to meet mitigation guidelines commensurate with the size and location of fire and the level of fire restriction enacted.
  
- Trash/refuse burning of any kind, even in burn barrels with approved screening.
  
- Smoking, except within an enclosed vehicle or building, a barren, developed recreation site, or on a paved surface at least 3 feet in diameter.
  
- Sales, possessing, discharging or using any type of fireworks or other pyrotechnic device to include sparklers. This order does not differentiate between lawful use, and careless/negligent use of fireworks, but prohibits all fireworks activity and use on public and private lands.
  
- Operating a chainsaw or motorized equipment for any purpose other than fire mitigation work. Must have mitigation equipment on hand. For example: chemical fire extinguisher, shovels, spark arrester, for each person operating such equipment.
  - It shall be required to call Huerfano County Dispatch at 738-1044 with start time, end time, and location of activity.
  
- Blasting, welding, or other activities which generate flame or flammable material. Must have mitigation equipment on hand, for each person operating such equipment.
  - It shall be required to call Huerfano County Dispatch at 738-1044 with start time, end time, and location of activity.