



County of Forty Mile FIRE CONTROL SYSTEM

Activity	Normal Fire Precautions	Fire Advisory	Fire Restriction	Fire Ban
Fire Permits are in effect in all conditions	Available online at www.40mile.ca/fire-permit or Forty Mile County Mobile App	Permits are still issued but may be restricted.	Permits are restricted but may be issued	No permits issued
Burn Barrel, open pits (dug out) or outdoor fire	Yes	Yes	yes	No
Approved Fire Pit ¹ , Approved Fireplace ² , or Approved Campground Fire ³	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Approved Incinerators (prohibited debris restricted)	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Wood Pellet Smokers	Permit is not required	Permit is not required	Permit is not required	Permit is not required
Barbeque - Charcoal Briquette	Yes	Yes	No	No
Propane / Natural Gas-Powered Appliances	Permit is not required	Permit is not required	Permit is not required	Permit is not required
Open Flame Oil Devices ⁴	Yes	Yes	No	No
Fireworks	Yes, a fireworks permit must be obtained	Yes, a fireworks permit must be obtained	No	No
Exploding Targets	Yes	Yes	No	No

- 1) Approved Fire Pit - must be within a non-combustible enclosure no larger than 1 meter in diameter. Required to be set upon or built into the bare ground or on a non-combustible material such as brick, stone or concrete with a minimum 3 meters clearance from buildings, property lines, or combustible material.
- 2) Approved Fireplace - must be constructed of a non-combustible material such as brick, stone or concrete with a minimum 1-meter clearance from buildings, property lines, or combustible material. Chimney must be equipped with a regulation screen designed to reduce the hazard of airborne sparks.
- 3) Campground Fire - subject to an inspection, must be within a non-combustible enclosure no larger than 1 meter in diameter. Required to be set upon or built into the bare ground or on a non-combustible material such as brick, stone or concrete with a minimum 1-meter clearance from buildings, property lines, or combustible material.
- 4) Open Flame Oil Devices - all devices (such as turkey deep fryers) must be used as per manufacturer standards.

Refer to By-Law No. 7/2021 for further definition of burnable materials permitted.

Note: Users are still responsible for care and attendance of all devices and should reduce their use during fire restrictions and bans. Approved activities or devices will not prevent potential prosecution or litigation if the user or device starts a fire.

Learn before you burn. Visit: <https://www.albertafirebans.ca/>

January 6, 2022