



Fire Restriction Order

Due to current and forecasted weather conditions couple with the extremely dry conditions fire restrictions are in place in Washington, Kane, Garfield, and Beaver Counties, it has been determined that measures must be taken to prevent the ignition of forest and rangeland fires. Therefore, the State of Utah has prohibited the following acts in the areas describe:

- * Setting, building, maintaining, attending or using open fires of any kind, except within the facilities designated for them in improved campgrounds, picnic areas or home sites where running water is present.
- * Smoking, except within an enclosed vehicle, camp trailer, or building, a developed recreation site, or while stopped in an area that is paved or free from dry vegetation.
- * Discharging or using any kind of fireworks, tracer ammunition or other pyrotechnic devices including exploding targets.
- * Cutting, welding or grinding metal in areas of dry vegetation.
- * Operating a motorcycle, chainsaw, ATV, or other small internal combustion engine without an approved and working spark arrestor.

The following persons are exempted from the above prohibitions:

1. Persons with a permit or waiver specifically authorizing a specified act at a specific location.
2. Any on-duty firefighter in the performance of an official duty.

In consultation with Fire Chief Ron Harris, Mayor Brinkerhoff and Tropic Town Council have determined that State Fire Restriction Order be expanded. Therefore, by order of
Mayor Brinkerhoff and Tropic Town Council

The State of Utah Fire Restriction Order is in affect within Tropic Town Boundaries and the following act is **PROHIBITED**:

ALL FIREWORKS within Tropic Town boundaries.

Any of the above acts is a violation of state law and is punishable by up to six month in jail and a fine of up to \$1,000. These restrictions will be enforced by County law enforcement