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FIRE MANAGEMENT

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MEMORANDUM

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SUBJECT: 2021 FIRE SEASON UPDATE

At 2400 on September 16, 2021, the Warm Springs Indian Reservation will update fire season restrictions. All regulations governing any timber industry or other outside activities will be enforced. As our current fire danger and risk is evaluated due to changes in ERC's and Fuel Moistures, new regulations will be implemented.

As the fire danger changes during the declared season the restrictions will follow the regulations covered by the National Fire Danger Rating System, Industrial Fire Precaution Levels and Warm Springs Mobilization and Dispatch plan.

As of 2400 hours on September 16, 2021, the Warm Springs Reservation will go into the following Industrial Fire Precautions:

Zone 1 – IFPL Level 2 – Fire Danger High
Zone 2 – IFPL Level 3 – Fire Danger High
Zone 3 – IFPL Level 3 – Fire Danger High

Currently Warm Springs fire danger level is high. ERC's have reduced in the last week and look to drop with another storm coming in this weekend. It appears that ERC's and Fuel moistures will change enough to drop the IFPL's and Danger Level.

In addition, the current Burn Ban is rescinded. It is advised to continue to take precautions to help protect the people, property and resources of the Warm Springs Reservation. Community members may go to Fire Management Dispatch to get a burn permit and follow burn regulations.