

High Fire Danger Today

Ingredients are in place for possible fires:

1.) Warm temperatures 2.) Very low humidity 3.) Existing dead, very dry vegetation

FULL GREEN-UP HAS NOT OCCURRED

Ways to Prevent Wildfires:

- Contact your local fire agency for local regulations. Burning requires a permit when the ground is not snow covered. Most areas do not allow burning in specific environments.
- All burn barrels must have weighted, metal covers with holes no larger than $\frac{3}{4}$ of an inch.
- Do not throw any smoking materials out of a moving vehicle.
- Properly extinguish all fires and charcoal by dousing with plenty of water. Stir ash/embers with water and submerge charcoal until all has cooled to the touch.
- Never leave any fire unattended, no matter how small it is.
- If you must use fireworks, stay away from combustibles and keep a hose nearby.

Useful Links

[Michigan Department of Natural Resources](#)

[Burn Permits and Restrictions](#)

[Michigan State University Firewise Program](#)



Don't be a burn bunny!



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