



Public Service Announcement

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Fire department imposing county wide burn ban

GLYNN COUNTY, Ga.- Due to current drought conditions, the Glynn County Board of Commissioners and the Glynn County Fire Department are imposing a county wide burn ban effective May 12, 2017. It will remain in effect until the drought index drops to normal conditions. Glynn County is currently experiencing severe drought conditions with no significant amount of rainfall expected in the near future.

The burn ban covers the following types of outdoor burning:

- Burning of yard debris (leaves, limbs and grass clippings)
- Campfires
- Warming fires
- Pit cooking fires
- Burning of any type of land clearing debris

This burn ban includes the discharge of personal fireworks by individuals.

The burn ban does not include the following outdoor activities involving fire:

- Cooking on charcoal, gas fired grills or smokers (The Glynn County Fire Department asks that all ash be left in the grill or cooker until the ash has cooled down or is extinguished with water in the grill or cooker, and then disposed of properly.)
- Civil culture or prescribed burning authorized by the Georgia Forestry Commission Unit
- Fireworks displays/shows permitted by the Glynn County Probate Court and conducted by a Georgia Licensed Fireworks Company

Anyone found violating this burn ban will be issued a citation under Section 2-7-9 of the Glynn County Ordinance.

For more information on the burn ban, please contact the Glynn County Fire Marshall at 912-554-7537.

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