Resolution No. 2024-09

Establishment of Burn Ban

WHEREAS the Sheridan County Commissioners have the authority to establish fire seasons during which no person may ignite or set any slash-burning fire, land-clearing fire, debris-burning fire or open fire within the county protection areas or any range or croplands without an official written permit; and

WHEREAS the Board of Commissioners has determined that the fire risk conditions are high in Sheridan County; and

WHEREAS Sheridan County is in a moderate drought area:

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SHERIDAN COUNTY, MONTANA:

- 1. That from 12:00 p.m., August 14th, 2024, until further notice, Sheridan County, Montana, shall have a burn ban in which no burning or open fires as set forth in Section 7-33-2205 MCA 2023, shall be allowed without permit;
- 2. That it is the recommendation of the Board of Commissioners that no burning permits be issued from 12:00 p.m., August 14th, 2024, until further notice;
- 3. That it is the recommendation of the Board of Commissioners that any party seeking information on burning permits and/or burning restrictions is encouraged to first contact their local fire chief for said information.

DATED this 14th day of August, 2024.

OFFICIAL * ENEMON COUNTY.

Chris Westergard, Chairman

SHERIDAN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

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