

## LEVELS OF BURNING RESTRICTIONS

### LEVEL 1 NO BURNING RESTRICTIONS (Condition Green)

### LEVEL 2 RESTRICTIONS REQUIRED DUE TO SEVERE DRY CONDITIONS (Condition Yellow)

The following acts are prohibited in unincorporated Morgan County until further notice:

1. Building, maintaining, attending, or using any fire or campfire, except a fire within a permanent constructed fire grate in a developed campground.

#### EXEMPTIONS:

- A. Persons with a valid written permit from the Morgan County Sheriff that specifically authorizes the otherwise prohibited act.
- B. Any federal, state, or local officer or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.
- C. Any fires contained within a liquid fuel or gas stove, fireplaces within buildings, charcoal or propane grill fires at private residences.
- D. Burning of irrigation ditches located within and completely surrounded by irrigated farmlands, where such burning is necessary for crop survival.
- E. Campfires or bonfires required on religious ceremonies, and for which a valid written permit has been granted in advance by the Morgan County Sheriff.
- F. The burning of household or other trash except when contained within a fireproof container sufficiently maintained to prevent escaping flame or burning material from the bottom or sides and screened sufficiently on top to prevent the release of burning material and located in the center of an area at least ten feet (10 ) in diameter from which all flammable material has been removed.

### LEVEL 3 EXTREME CONDITIONS, NO OPEN BURNING ALLOWED (Condition Red)

The following acts are prohibited in unincorporated Morgan County until further notice:

1. Building, maintaining, attending, or using any fire or campfire, except a fire within a permanent constructed fire grate in a developed campground.
2. Disposing of burning material such as cigarette or cigar butts, live coals, or any other material hot enough to ignite weeds or grass.
3. Use of fireworks of any type.
4. The burning of household or other trash except when contained within a fireproof container sufficiently maintained to prevent escaping flame or burning material from the bottom or sides and screened sufficiently on top to prevent the release of burning material and located in the center of an area at least ten feet (10 ) in diameter from which all flammable material has been removed. clear of all flammable material within a radius of ten feet (10 ).