

# LINCOLN COUNTY NOTIFICATION

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**Issued By:** Lincoln County Fire Defense Board

**Notice:** Lincoln County, Complete Burn Ban Notification

**Effective Date:** Friday, August 13, 2021, at 8 am – until further notice

**Distribution to:** Media, Lincoln Alerts, Local Public Safety/Government Officials, State Liaisons



The Lincoln County Fire Defense Board, and the nine fire protection agencies are announcing the closing of all burning effective Friday, August 13, 2021, at 8:00 a.m. Fire danger is at an extreme high; lower than normal fuel moisture levels along with forecasted hotter/dryer weather compound the danger. Local fire agencies are continuing to assist other areas in Oregon for active fires limiting resources to respond to a wildland fire.

This burn ban will remain in effect until conditions moderate and notification is provided by the Lincoln County Fire Defense Board. Please contact your local fire agency if you have any questions.

<b>Burning Restrictions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>County-wide Complete Burn Ban, effective 08/13/21, 08:00am until further notice. Ban applies to:</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Wood, charcoal, and other flame sources that cannot be turned off with a valve. Liquid fuel stoves or cooking devices that CAN be turned off with a valve are permitted but cannot be left unattended.</li><li>○ Includes fires on the beaches and <a href="#">day use park areas</a>, commercial, private and county campgrounds.</li></ul></li><li>• Additional Information:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ <a href="#">Know When to Call 911</a></li><li>○ <a href="#">Local Fire Department/District Contact Info</a></li></ul></li></ul>
<b>Evacuation Levels</b>	<p><a href="#">Know Your Fire Evacuation Levels:</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Level 1 – Be Ready</li><li>• Level 2 – Be Set</li><li>• Level 3 – Go Now</li></ul> <p><a href="#">Lincoln County Active Wildfires webpage</a></p>
<b>Public Safety Power Shut-Off's (PSPS)</b>	<p>A <a href="#">Public Safety Power Shutoff</a>, also called a PSPS, may occur in response to severe fire weather conditions. Utility providers may shut off power to help prevent wildfire situations. Multiple factors are at play when deciding to shut off power to communities – the priority is community safety. There may be some warning or no notice when power is shut off in response to wildfire risk conditions.</p>
<b>Air Quality Considerations</b>	<p>Air quality over the next several months may be affected by fires here locally and/or away from our area; regionally or another State.</p> <p>Review in advance how you can prepare your home to <a href="#">minimize impact to wildfire smoke</a> to you and your household and <a href="#">when to call 911</a>.</p>

## **Fire Districts/Departments of Lincoln County and Oregon Department of Forestry:**

- [Central Oregon Coast Fire and Rescue](#)
- [Depoe Bay Rural Fire Protection Dist.](#)
- [Newport Fire Dept. & Rural Fire Protection Dist.](#)
- [North Lincoln Fire & Rescue Dist. #1](#)
- [Oregon Department of Forestry](#)
- [Seal Rock Rural Fire Protection Dist.](#)
- [Siletz Valley Rural Fire Protection Dist.](#)
- [Toledo Fire Dept. & Rural Fire Protection Dist.](#)
- [Yachats Rural Fire Protection Dist.](#)