



## Kearny County Fire & Rescue

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### RE: AGRIGULTURAL ONLY BURN BAN

Due to unseasonably dry and warm conditions, Kearny County fire chief will be enforcing an agricultural only burn ban. This ban will remain in force on a day-to- day basis depending on weather or until the county receives adequate moisture.

The ban allows burning of CRP and crop land **ONLY!**

NO trash, brush, open pit, campfires, or building material burning will be allowed.

NO burning of any kind will be allowed on any property not designated for agricultural use.

Violation of the burn ban may incur a fine.

Kearny County Fire would like to encourage everyone to help us keep Kearny County safe from fires.

Call Ron Jones, County fire chief or Don Robertson, emergency manager @ 620-355-6192 with any questions concerning the fire ban.

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### MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

1. Call sheriff's office prior to burning. Provide location and acreage involved in the burn.
2. Provide a safe zone. Back burn, mow, or disk an area no less than 50 yards between property being burned and adjacent property.
3. NO burning if wind is or may reach speeds in excess of 15 mph.
4. NO burning if humidity is or may be under 20%.
5. Provide constant supervision during burning. Have a tractor and disk and water supply whenever possible.
6. Make sure fire is out along with any hot spots before leaving location.
7. If location of burn has the possibility of smoke interfering with traffic on any roadway, arrangements must be made with Kearny County Sheriff's Office before any burning will be allowed.
8. 8. Any unreported burning will be extinguished by the fire department. NO exceptions.

Thank you for helping keep Kearny County safe from fire. We appreciate your cooperation.

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