

State of Louisiana



Parish of Grant In the Name and By the Authority of The Police Jury of Grant Parish

Motion by Mr. Cephas Bowie Jr., seconded by Mr. Johnny Jamison and carried to adopt the following Resolution:

RESOLUTION 28-2023

Revised Parish Wide Burn Ban

WHEREAS, due to Grant Parish presently facing drought conditions with no significant relief predicted soon; and

WHEREAS, weather factors combined with very dry, dead vegetation and dry soils increase the opportunity and possibility for wildfires; and

WHEREAS, there is a very definite threat to life and property of the citizens of the parish; and

WHEREAS, immediate emergency actions and preparedness are required and prohibit all non-commercial open air burning of any trash, garbage, leaves, limbs, or debris of any type to include shooting any fireworks; and

THEREFORE; a Parish Wide Burn Ban is immediately in effect throughout all of Grant Parish preventing all private, open air burning, with the exception of outdoor cooking within contained cooking equipment that is designed for cooking purposes like grills and smokers with a water source or fire extinguisher nearby. The fuel source for the equipment (propane, charcoal, pellets, etc.) is not a factor in its acceptable use. The use of open flames in fire pits, campfires, barrels, bonfires, etc. remains prohibited at this time.

BE IT DECLARED that this Parish Wide Burn Ban is hereby issued this day, the 5th of October 2023 is effective immediately upon issuance. The Jury agrees that this Parish Wide Burn Ban shall be terminated by giving authority to Mark Ball, Police Jury President, once conditions improve.

The Grant Parish Police Jury adopted the above Resolution during special session convened on Thursday, October 5, 2023.

CERTIFICATION

I, Jessie Pace, Parish Manager of the Grant Parish Police Jury, State of Louisiana, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and exact copy of a RESOLUTION adopted by the Police Jury Recreation Committee of the Parish of Grant, State of Louisiana, in special session convened on October 5, 2023 at which a quorum was present.

Jessie Pace
Secretary/Treasurer/Parish Manager
Grant Parish Police Jury

Mark Ball
President
Grant Parish Police Jury

STATE OF LOUISIANA
PARISH OF GRANT

GIVEN UNDER MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE and Seal of Office on this the 5th day of October, 2023.

Jessie Pace
Grant Parish Police Jury

