

State of Louisiana



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

PROCLAMATION 06-2024

Parish Wide Burn Ban

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Homeland Security and Emergency Assistance Disaster Act, R.S. 29:721, et seq, confers upon the Parish President the authority to deal with emergencies and disasters in order to ensure that preparations of this parish will be adequate to deal with such emergencies or disasters and to preserve the lives and property of the people of the Parish of Grant; and

WHEREAS, when the Parish President determines that a disaster or emergency has occurred, or the threat thereof is imminent, R.S. 29:727 empowers the Parish President to declare a state of emergency by executive order, proclamation, or both; and

WHEREAS, the Parish of Grant is 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 burning until further notice.

BE IT DECLARED that this Parish Wide Burn Ban is hereby issued this day, the 23rd of October 2024 at 9:00 am, is effective immediately upon issuance.

Mark Ball
President
Grant Parish Police Jury

Steven McCain
Director
Grant Parish OHSEP

STATE OF LOUISIANA
PARISH OF GRANT

GIVEN UNDER MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE and Seal of Office on this the 23rd day of October, 2024.

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 an order issued October 23, 2024.

Jessie Pace
Parish Manager
Grant Parish Police Jury