

Bainbridge Fire Press Release

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## Bainbridge Island, WA –

## County Wide Burn Ban Effective 6-22-2015

Effective 8:00 a.m. on Monday, 22 June 2015, all burning permits are rescinded throughout Bainbridge Island and unincorporated Kitsap County. Recreational fires that are less than three feet in diameter and at least 25 feet from buildings and combustibles are allowed at this time as well as fires in outdoor fireplaces and campfires in approved locations in campgrounds.

Current fire conditions are usually not experienced until late July, and the warm, dry weather is predicted to continue.

If you have a recreational fire, be sure and follow these basic safety rules. Always clear dry grass and other combustibles away from the fire area, always have a garden hose or other means of extinguishing the fire readily available and never leave a fire unattended.