



FIRE SAFETY GUIDELINES

For your safety and the safety of others, Leadville/Lake County Fire Rescue asks all campers to follow the fire guidelines to keep our forests free from wildland fires. Due to weather conditions and Covid-19 the danger is high for losing control of a campfire, and resources are in short supply. Campfires are prohibited through at least May 31 on all US Forest Service and BLM land

PLEASE DO YOUR PART and be sure campfires are out.

- ✚ All fires producing embers are prohibited on all US Forest Service and BLM land currently.
- ✚ Propane camp stoves may be used on all US Forest Service and BLM land.

HOWEVER

- ✚ If you see an unattended fire anywhere in the forest call 911 immediately and report the location of the fire.
- ✚ If the fire is small for you to safely throw dirt on it, do so. **DO NOT TAKE RISKS.**
- ✚ Help other campers maintain fire safety by encouraging them to put their fire out when leaving their camp location for any reason. A gentle reminder is best.
- ✚ Even a small ember can ignite a new fire.



The US Forest Service: **Order #:** R2-2020-02 is in effect until May 31, 2020 with the following restrictions. **PROHIBITIONS:** This Order prohibits the following acts (*list includes Arapaho & Roosevelt, Pike & San Isabel NF and BLM land*)

1. Igniting, building, maintaining, attending or using a fire, including charcoal grills and barbecues, coal and wood burning stoves, and sheepherder's stoves. 36 CFR §261.52(a).
2. Smoking, except within an enclosed vehicle, trailer, or building. 36 CFR § 261.52(c).