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**Order Declaring Fire Danger and Imposing Burn Ban in the City of Forks**

The City of Forks is experiencing exceptionally high temperatures coupled with occasional winds and wind gusts. These conditions could allow open flame fires to suddenly spread out of control.


Based upon these increasingly drying conditions, it is hereby declared that there is unusual fire danger in the City of Forks pursuant to the Forks Municipal Code Chapter 2.35. In accordance with this code, a burn ban is imposed throughout the City of Forks. This ban includes open flame recreational fires such as open fire pit, fire rings, and chimney style fire pits. As part of this ban, these cannot be used for the cooking of food. The ban also includes the use of fire torches for treatment of yards, driveways, etc.

Gas and briquette barbecues/smokers, and similarly contained means of cooking food outdoors, are permitted for use during this ban.

This ban on the use of fires shall remain in effect until rescinded.

Signed this 3<sup>rd</sup> of August 2017

Bill Paul   
Fire Chief  
Clallam County Fire District #1

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Mayor