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Order Modifying the 28 June 2021 Burn Ban in the City of Forks (Modification No. 2) Temporary Ban on Recreational Fires

WHEREAS, our weather conditions have continued to be warmer and drier than usual for our area;

WHEREAS, the concerns about the potential for quick spreading fires have increased;

WHEREAS, even recreational fires can become a means of a sudden flare up requiring significant response by emergency responders;

THEREFORE, as the City's Fire Inspector as designated by the Mayor, I hereby revoke the earlier modification that allowed for recreational fires. In doing so, I am adding to the existing burn ban all outdoor recreational fires other than those created in the use of briquette or propane barbeques, as well as self-contained wood fired smokers. This temporary ban on outdoor, open pit, or similar types of recreational fires takes place immediately.

No other aspects of the earlier order referenced above is changed or modified. Additional modifications may be made to ensure the public's safety. The original ban of 28 June 2021 on the use of fire shall remain in effect until such time as the Clallam County Fire Marshall, or their designee, removes the concurrent Clallam County Fire Ban.

Signed this 12th of August, 2021

Bill Paul
Fire Chief
Clallam County Fire District No. 1
(including the City of Forks)

Tim Fletcher
Mayor
Affirming & Concurring