

Resolution Closing Platte County Due to Fire Danger

Effective as of 9:15 a.m. July 17, 2018

Due to the fire danger conditions, Platte County is currently under, all unincorporated areas with the boundaries of Platte County are subject to a partial closure and all outdoor fires and the discharge of all fireworks, including but not limited to Class A, B & C fireworks, are prohibited except as follows:

- **The Wyoming Military Department land within Platte County for National Guard activities with the following disclaimer:
*The lands under the Wyoming Military Department including Camp Guernsey are excluded for military related operations and/or training, including controlled burns, when approved by appropriate Wyoming National Guard Range Officials.
Any costs and services associated with the extinguishing of out-of-control manmade burns caused by this exception will be provided and paid for by the Wyoming Military Department.***
- **Frontier Astronautics LLC is excluded for the purpose of testing rocket engines, flight vehicles, and their associated hardware at their testing facility located at 609 Windmill Road. All fire suppression costs associated with this exemption will be paid by Frontier Astronautics.**
- **Attended trash or refuse fire between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 a.m., inside containers provided with spark arresters and located within a cleared area ten (10) feet in radius, are permitted.**
- **Attended campfires contained within an established fire ring on private property with fire suppression available.**
- **Attended charcoal fire and propane fires with enclosed grills within arms reach of operator are permitted.**
- **Use of acetylene cutting torches or electric arc welders in cleared areas ten (10) feet in radius are permitted.**
- **Propane or open fire branding activities in cleared areas ten (10) feet in radius is permitted.**
- **Wildland firefighters are excluded from this resolution while using firing practices in the scope of their duties during an ongoing fire or training.**
- **The Town of Wheatland is excluded to burn their wood refuse pile. All fire suppression costs associated with this exemption will be paid for by the Town of Wheatland.**

PENALTIES: PURSUANT TO W.S. §35-9-304, A \$100.00 FINE, THIRTY (30) DAYS IN THE PLATTE COUNTY JAIL OR BOTH MAY BE IMPOSED FOR VIOLATION.

If there is a change in the fire danger condition, upon notification from the Platte County Commissioners, the closing may be modified.