

Resolution 14-22
Bourbon County, Kansas

BURNING BAN

NATURE OF THE IMMINENT THREAT OF DISASTER:

Due to the extreme heat and little rain since the month of June, fire-hazard conditions in Bourbon County are very high. Because of the limitations of water usage by rural fire districts, there is concern for the capabilities of those fire districts to address any fire. Once started, with the present weather conditions, a fire will be difficult to control by fire departments. Water usage is of great concern to all fire departments, and the availability of enough water to contain a fire.

The dry conditions, above-normal temperatures and fire danger will continue unabated until sufficient rainfall occurs across the area.

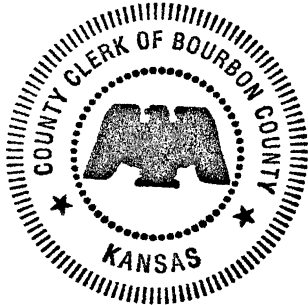
It is hereby proclaimed, directed, and ordered by the Bourbon County Commissioners, in accordance with K.S.A. 48-932, that the following acts are prohibited within the boundaries of this County by all citizens and visitors:

1. All outside burning, unless specifically approved in writing by the Fire Chief, with the exception of covered barbeque grills.

The knowing and willful violation of this order shall constitute a Class A misdemeanor and any person convicted of such violation shall be punished as provided by law. [K.S.A. 48-939]

This Proclamation shall be in full force and effect until lifted.

Passed in open session by the Board of County Commissioners of Bourbon County, Kansas, this 27th day of September 2022.



ATTEST:

Ashley Shelton
Ashley Shelton, County Clerk

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF BOURBON COUNTY, KANSAS

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