

SAN BERNARDINO NATIONAL FOREST  
Forest Order No. 05-12-00-16-01  
Fire Restrictions

Pursuant to 16 USC 551 and 36 CFR 261.50(a) and (b), and to provide for public safety and to protect natural resources, the following acts are prohibited within the San Bernardino National Forest. This Order is effective from June 30, 2016 through the end of the official 2016 fire season.

1. Building, maintaining, attending or using a fire, campfire, or stove fire except within the areas listed in Exhibits A, B, and C. 36 CFR 261.52(a).
2. Smoking, except within an enclosed vehicle or building, or in the areas listed in Exhibits A, B and C. 36 CFR 261.52(d).
3. Welding, or operating acetylene or other torch with open flame. 36 CFR 261.52(i).
4. Discharging a firearm, air rifle, or gas gun, except in the public shooting ranges that are operated under special use permit issued by the Forest Service. Persons engaged in lawful hunting are exempt from this prohibition. 36 CFR 261.58(m).

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this Order:

1. Any Federal, State or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.
2. Persons with a permit from the Forest Service specifically authorizing the prohibited act or omission.
3. Persons with a valid California Campfire Permit are not exempt from the prohibitions listed above. However, persons with a valid California Campfire Permit may use a portable lantern or stove using gas, jellied petroleum, or pressurized liquid fuel.

These prohibitions are in addition to the general prohibitions in 36 CFR Part 261, Subpart A.

A violation of these prohibitions is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5000 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than six months or both 16 USC 551, and 18 USC 3559, 3571, and 3581.

Executed in San Bernardino, California, this 29<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2016.

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