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Modoc National Forest lifts fire restrictions

ALTURAS, California, October 4, 2016 – With cooler, wetter weather expected as autumn arrives, fire restrictions will be cancelled at 12:01 a.m. on Friday, Oct. 7, 2016 in the Modoc National Forest.

This means Forest visitors may once again have campfires outside of developed campgrounds and recreation sites, although California campfire permits are still required.

“Though fire restrictions are being lifted, forest conditions remain dry and visitors should continue to be vigilant and pay attention to fire safety while recreating on the Forest,” said Deputy Fire Management Officer, Tyler Otterson.

Forest visitors are asked to attend their campfires at all times and to be sure all fires are completely out and cold to the touch before leaving camp.

A statewide ban on debris burning remains in effect, according to CALFIRE officials.

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