Woodcutter Fire Requirements

Before leaving home to cut firewood, you must know and comply with the current Industrial Fire Precaution Level (IFPL) for the area you plan to cut in.

To find out what the IFPL is in the area you plan to cut in….

CALL: 503-668-1650
Check Website: www.fs.usda.gov/mthood

There are four different IFPL units on the Mt. Hood National Forest. Each unit may have a different IFPL restriction.

IFPL RESTRICTIONS:

**Level I**
Carry equipment listed below AND stay in the area for one hour after power equipment has been shut off to watch for fire starts.

**Level II**
Carry equipment listed below AND shut down all power equipment at 1:00 PM, AND stay in the area for one hour after power equipment has been shut off to watch for fire starts.

**Level III and IV**
All woodcutting activity is prohibited.

To Report Wildfire Call:
911
or
Columbia Dispatch
(360) 891-5140

All Precaution Levels Require:

- **Spark arrester** 0.023” or less on chain saw
- **Shovel**-long handled, round point, with 8” blade (size 0)
- **Fire extinguisher** with a pressurized chemical of no less than 8 oz. capacity by weight.