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Fuel Wood Permits Now On Sale

Springerville, AZ; July 17, 2014—The Apache-Sitgreaves National Forests are selling personal and commercial fuel wood permits for various types of dead/down and dead standing trees. Permits can be purchased at all five local Forest Service Ranger Stations. There is a limit of 10 cords of personal use fuel wood per year. The number of cords purchased on the spring permit is counted towards your total fuel wood purchase when the fall permits become available. Diameter at Breast Height (DBH): 4-1/2 feet from the base of the tree at ground level.

Visit www.fs.usda.gov/asnf for more information on permits.

Lakeside Ranger District

Area/Species	Price/Limit	Valid For/Until	Phone
WEST SIDE HARDWOOD PERMITS: Dead & Down – Any size for all species. Dead standing Oak: 12" DBH maximum. Dead standing Alligator Juniper – 16" DBH maximum. Dead standing Ponderosa Pine – 12" DBH maximum. Dead standing Shaggy Bark juniper – any size	Minimum purchase is 2 cords for \$30	60 Days	928-368-2100
EAST SIDE HARDWOOD PERMITS: Dead & Down – Any size for all species. Dead standing Oak: 12" DBH maximum. Dead standing Alligator Juniper – 16" DBH maximum. Dead standing Shaggy Bark juniper – any size	Minimum purchase is 2 cords for \$30	60 days	
SOFTWOOD PERMITS: Dead & Down – Any size for all species. Dead standing: Spruce, Ponderosa Pine, Fir, Pinyon Pine, Aspen: 12 DBH maximum. Dead Standing Shaggy Bark Juniper – any size.	Minimum purchase is 2 cords for \$20	60 days	

Clifton Ranger District

Area/Species	Price/Limit	Valid For/Until	Phone
District Wide – all areas except Blue Primitive Area, along Eagle Creek and within campgrounds. Cut only Dead & Down trees.	\$20 per cord 2 or more \$15 per cord	30 Days	928-687-8600

Black Mesa Ranger District

Area/Species	Price/Limit	Valid For/Until	Phone
Any Species - Dead and Down, Dead Standing	Minimum purchase is 2 cords for \$30	From date of purchase: 4 weeks per cord x # cords = expiration date	928-535-7300
Limited Species - Pinyon, Ponderosa, Shaggy Bark Juniper and Fir - Dead and Down, Dead Standing	Minimum purchase is 2 cords for \$30	From date of purchase: 4 weeks per cord x # cords = expiration date	
No Charge - Dead, Down and Dead Standing Pinyon Pine and Ponderosa Pine only	No Charge /1 cord minimum issue Cutting limited to the area south of SR	From date of issuance: 4 weeks per cord x # cords = expiration date	

	260 affected by the 2002 Rodeo-Chediski Fire		
Commercial Alligator and Oak	\$25/cord with 2 cord minimum 2 days per cord to cut	From date of purchase: 2 days per cord x # cords = expiration date	
Commercial Pinyon, Ponderosa, Shaggy Bark Juniper and Fir	\$10 per cord with 5 cord minimum 2 days per cord to cut	From date of purchase: 2 days per cord x # cords = expiration date	
Alpine Ranger District			
Area/Species	Price/Limit	Valid For/Until	Phone
Dead & Down - Alligator Juniper and Oak Cutting area is within the Alpine Ranger District. No cutting allowed in areas or along roads closed to the public, or other prohibited locations. Wallow Burn Area Dead & Down and Dead standing -You may cut dead wood lying on the ground except ; 1) trees or logs that have paint on them, or 2) any species prohibited in "Other Conditions", or 3) in prohibited areas. You may cut dead standing trees less than 16 inch DBH <u>Dead standing Aspen may not be cut unless there is no bark on the bole of the tree.</u> No Alligator Juniper or Oak on this permit.	\$20.00 per cord (2 cord minimum) / \$5.00 a cord with a \$20.00 (4 cord minimum)	30 Days December 31, 2014	928-339-5000
Springerville Ranger District			
Area/Species	Price/Limit	Valid For/Until	Phone
Wallow Burn Area Dead & Down and Dead standing -You may cut dead wood lying on the ground except ; 1) trees or logs that have paint on them, or 2) any species prohibited in "Other Conditions", or 3) in prohibited areas. You may cut dead standing trees less than 16 inch DBH (Diameter Breast Height) <u>Dead standing Aspen may not be cut unless there is no bark on the bole of the tree.</u> No Alligator Juniper or Oak on this permit. Springerville Unburned fuelwood area. You may cut dead wood lying on the ground except ; 1) trees or logs that have paint on them, or 2) any species prohibited in "Other Conditions", or 3) in prohibited areas. You may cut dead standing trees less than 12 inch DBH. <u>Dead standing Aspen may not be cut after October 15.</u>	\$5.00 a cord with a \$20.00 (4 cord minimum) \$10 a cord with a \$20.00 or two cord minimum	December 31, 2014 December 31, 2014	928-333-6200

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