

Fremont County Fire Restrictions	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Red Flag Days⁵
Campfires ¹ and Fireworks ¹	No	No	No	No
Campfire in developed areas ^{1, 2} (designated fire rings)	Yes*	No	No	No
Trash Barrel ¹	No	No	No	No
Open Fire in undeveloped area	No	No	No	No
Open fire in developed area ^{1, 2}	Yes	No	No	No
Slash Burn ³	No	No	No	No
Agricultural Burning ⁴	No	No	No	No
Indoor stoves (wood, coal, pellet) with NFPA approved spark arrestor	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Welding, grinding, use of torches without water supply/fire extinguisher, and a spotter.	No	No	No	No
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Charcoal Grill	No	No	No	No
Propane grill/fire and pellet grill in developed area with water	Yes**	Yes**	Yes**	Yes**
Smoking inside a vehicle, building, or outside on a hard-surfaced area free of flammables	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Smoking outside of a vehicle, building, or off of a hard-surfaced area free of flammables	No	No	No	No
Operating any outdoor equipment or machinery with an internal combustion engine (ATVs, UTVs, Chainsaws, etc.) in undeveloped areas UNLESS equipment has a working spark arrestor.	No	No	No	No

***Allowed, but not advised.**

1. Open Fire — Any outdoor fire, including, but not limited to, bonfires, campfires, warning fires, charcoal grill fires, fires in wood-burning stoves, the use of explosives, outdoor welding, or operating acetylene or other torch with open flame other than in an area cleared of flammable materials, fireworks, of all kinds/brands, burn barrels, the outdoor burning of trash or debris. No permit is required for open fires of these types.

2. Developed Area — a camping location (site) with a designated fixed/permanent structure such as a metal fire ring with grate for campfires and cooking or totally contained within a fireproof container. Also a maintained cleared space around it away from tents vehicles and parking areas.

****Use with EXTREME CAUTION**

3. Open Burning — The intentional ignition of unwanted fuels, in place or collected, for the purpose of eliminating those fuels based on methods defined in the Open Burn Plan and permit process. Please check with your local fire district for their regulations and permitting process.

4. Agricultural Burning — The burning of cover vegetation for the purpose of preparing the soil for crop production, weed control, maintenance of water conveyance structures related to agricultural operations, and other agricultural cultivation purposes. The open burning of animal parts or carcasses is NOT agricultural open burning, nor is the open burning of household trash, yard debris on agricultural land.

5. Red Flag — No person shall initiate or continue an open fire in all areas of Fremont County on a day identified by the National Weather Service as a "Red Flag Warning" period. Stage II Restrictions shall be in place during Red Flag Periods.

*****Rules and Regulations in the [San Isabel National Forest](#), or on [Bureau of Land Management lands](#) may differ. *****

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