



# United States Department of the Interior



## BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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9212 (UTW002)

### **RESCISSION of RESTRICTIONS IN FIRE PREVENTION ORDER ORDER NUMBER UTW002-2024-02**

Under authority of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (Title 43, United States Code, Section 1701, et. seq.) and pursuant to Title 43, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) § 9212.2(a), the following restrictions are **RESCINDED** for lands managed by the BLM West Desert District– Fillmore Field Office and Salt Lake Field Office within the counties of: Box Elder, Cache, Davis, Juab, Millard, Morgan, Rich, Salt Lake, Summit, Tooele, Utah, Wasatch, and Weber.

#### **Fire Prevention Order #UTW002-2024-02 had restricted the following prohibited acts:**

1. Trash or refuse fires between the hours of 6:00 am and 8:00 pm, except inside containers provided with spark arresters and located within a cleared area ten feet in radius.
2. Building or using any open fire or campfire, except within agency provided fire grates at developed campgrounds, or within fully enclosed stoves, grills, or in stoves using pressurized liquid or gas.
3. Use of acetylene cutting torches or electric arc welders, except in cleared areas ten feet in radius.
4. Smoking cigarettes, except within an enclosed vehicle, building, developed recreation site or while stopped in a cleared area of at least three feet in diameter that is barren and cleared of all flammable material.
5. Operating a chainsaw without a properly installed USDA or SAE approved spark arresting device, a five-pound fire extinguisher and a shovel.
6. Using explosives requiring fuses or electric blasting caps.

#### **The following restrictions will remain in effect UNTIL RESCINDED under Order #UTW002-2024-01:**

1. Use of any steel component ammunition of any caliber.
2. Use of any steel component target.
3. Use of any Sky Lanterns, Chinese Lanterns, Fire Balloons, Acetylene Balloons or similar device.
4. Use of any Off-Highway Vehicle (OHV) that is **not** equipped with a properly installed and maintained spark arrestor. Spark arresters shall meet the 80 percent efficiency level standard when determined by the appropriate Society of Automotive Engineers (SAE) recommended practices J335 and J350. Refer to Title 43 CFR §8343.1.

#### **The following restrictions will remain in effect YEAR-ROUND under Order No. UT 910-23-001 and CFR § 9212.1(b):**

1. The non-commercial use/discharge of explosives of any kind, incendiary or chemical devices, pyrotechnic devices, exploding targets, pressurized containers or canisters, and binary explosives.
2. The use/discharge of any kind of fireworks as defined by this order.

**This action shall go into effect at 12:01 a.m. on September 12, 2024, by order of the West Desert District Manager.**

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