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COUNTY WIDE BURN BAN FOR FRANKLIN COUNTY

Pursuant to s. 252.38, Florida Statutes, Franklin County Board of County Commissioners has issued an order imposing a County Wide Burn Ban for unincorporated Franklin County.

Due to lack of any significant amount of rain fall for the county and drought conditions existing across the state.

1. Open fires and the use of outdoor burning devices are prohibited, **except for above ground self-contained cooking grills that are attended to and monitored by responsible adults.**
2. The use of **charcoal briquettes is allowed** as long as the briquettes are thoroughly extinguished with water after use.
3. All burning of yard debris is prohibited.

If you have any questions, please feel free to visit our website at www.franklinemergencymanagement.com. Be sure to LIKE our Facebook page for update. You are also welcome to contact us at 850-653-8977.

Sincerely,

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