



Fire Advisory – For Immediate Release Wednesday, August 8, 2018

County of Grande Prairie Issues Fire Advisory

Effective at 12 p.m. Wednesday, August 8, the County of Grande Prairie Regional Fire Service has issued a fire advisory for the entire County, along with the towns of Beaverlodge, Sexsmith and Wembley and the Village of Hythe.

The fire advisory is in effect due to extreme heat and heavy smoke from nearby wildfires. Residents who have existing permits are advised not to burn outside of the conditions of their permit as the hot weather increases the fire hazards in the region. No new permits for heavy or non-essential burning will be issued until further notice. Burning is not permitted when winds reach 12 km per hour or higher.

For safe burning practices, visit www.countygp.ab.ca/fire or contact Regional Fire Service at 780-532-9727.

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