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IMMEDIATE RELEASE CAL FIRE Burn Permit Requirement Lifted in Shasta and Eastern Trinity Counties

Redding / Weaverville, CA – With recent rainfall events and cooler weather, the current Burn Permit Requirement will be lifted effective **Friday November 7, 2025**.

CAL FIRE Shasta-Trinity Unit Chief, Sean O'Hara formally advises that **residents can now resume burning on permissive burn days** within the State Responsibility Areas of Shasta and Eastern Trinity Counties.

While there remains a threat of wildfires, as we are still in declared fire season, current weather and vegetation conditions are conducive to safely utilizing burning to reduce vegetation and create greater resilience to wildfires within communities and rural areas. CAL FIRE facilities will continue to be fully staffed while also prioritizing the ongoing efforts of fuel reduction initiatives. A Burn Permit Suspension may be re-issued in the event adverse fire weather conditions return.

<u>Residents MUST</u> verify it is a permissive burn day prior to burning by calling their local Air Quality Management District. In the event of any forecasted wind events, you must ensure your doorvard burn pile has been extinguished and secured or you will be held liable.

<u>In Shasta County</u>, you must call the Shasta County AQMD – 530-224-8777 or 1-800-411-8728 after 9:00 a.m. or online at: https://www.shastacounty.gov/air-quality/page/burn-day-information

<u>In Eastern Trinity County</u>, North Coast Unified Air Quality Management District (NCUAQMD) requires that all burn operations, including residential/dooryard and agriculture/hazard reduction, must obtain an **AQMD Burn Permit year-round prior to burning**. AQMD burn permits may be obtained by calling (707) 443-3093 or online at the link below. For burn day status, call (NCUAQMD) at (707) 443-7665 or (866) 287-6329.

Standard Burn Permits - North Coast Unified Air Quality Management District

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