

CUBA FIRE RESCUE

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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

The Village of Cuba Fire Department has stopped issuing burn permits for the incorporated areas of the Village of Cuba, and response areas in Sandoval County.

In recent days, the county fire department has responded to several wild land fires. In addition, several county residents who are accustomed to performing agricultural burns have reported their fires getting out of control.

As a result, all open flame sources such as campfires and agricultural burns will be banned until further notice.

I strongly encourage everyone to be vigilant about fire prevention, so a catastrophic fire does not occur.

In addition to the ban on open burning, the use of fireworks is prohibited in any wild land area in Sandoval County. The use propane grills is still allowed, though smoking outdoor is discouraged.

The fire ban and fireworks restrictions will be enforced by the Village of Cuba Fire Marshal and the Cuba Police Department and County Sheriff's Office. Anyone found to be conducting an open burn or using illegal fireworks will be subject to arrest and or fine. Residents should report illegal burning or fireworks to 505-891-7226.

Rick Romero, Chief