

Sedona Fire District Press Release



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Sedona Fire District Lifts Fire Restrictions

SEDONA – (September 4, 2025) – Sedona Fire District (SFD) will lift all fire restrictions previously in effect for all portions of the fire district effective Friday, September 5, 2025, at 08:00 am. This move is in coordination with the Coconino National Forest and Yavapai County.

Recent rains, along with higher humidity, increased fuel moisture, and the forecast for continuing monsoon activity, have lowered but not eliminated fire danger in the fire district. SFD encourages everyone to be responsible when working with or around fire.

It is a great time to develop and work on making your home Firewise. Here are some steps you can take to protect your home from potential wildfire:

- Reduce flammable vegetation, trees, and brush from around your home.
- Remove dead trees and prune low-hanging branches.
- Cut grass and weeds regularly.
- Relocate wood piles and leftover building materials away from the structures.
- Keep your roof and yard clean of pine needles, leaves, and debris.

The fall burn season will begin September 5, 2025, and end November 30, 2025. Burn permits are free of charge and available online at <https://vvburnpermits.org/>.

For more information on protecting your home or scheduling a free wildfire assessment, please call the Sedona Fire District at (928) 204-8926.

Additional information can be found at

<https://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/coconino/home/?cid=stelprdb5423784#stage1>

Residents are encouraged to exercise caution and good judgment.

Sedona Fire District may establish additional requirements, up to and including the extinguishment of any fire, the revocation of any permit, and a ban on chainsaws or other equipment on a case-by-case basis to ensure the public health, safety and welfare.

Please contact the Fire Marshal at 928-204-8926 if you have any questions.

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