



# ***FIRE RESTRICTION***

***Effective July 19th, 2024, at 1630 hours, the Village of Bittern Lake is enacting a Fire Restriction.***

*This Fire Restriction:*

- 1) **Suspends** all existing FIRE PERMITS and prohibits the issuance of any new permits. All existing open burns must be extinguished.
- 2) **Prohibits** the discharge of FIRE WORKS.

*The following are **PERMITTED** during this Fire Restriction:*

- *Burning barrels equipped with a metal mesh screen*
- *Safe wood campfires in approved fire pits on private lands and in campgrounds*
- *Portable fire pits and patio heaters fueled by natural gas or propane*
- *Cooking Appliances (Barbeques, Coleman Stoves) which are fueled by liquid propane or natural gas, including Charcoal (Briquette)*
- *Pellet style electric smokers*
- *Catalytic or Infrared style heaters*

*Off-Highway Vehicles can start wildfires – check frequently to ensure hotspots are free of debris, and make sure mufflers and spark arrestors are working properly.*

*Never leave any fire unattended. Soak it, stir it and soak it again until cool to the touch to ensure it is extinguished.*

***This Fire Restriction will remain in effect until further notice.***

Thank you for your continued efforts in helping keep Village of Bittern Lake residents and communities safe!