TOWN OF STOCKTON

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Fire Restriction Order

Due to current and forecasted weather conditions coupled with the extremely dry conditions in Stockton, Utah, the Fire Chief, in consultation with the Mayor of Stockton, has determined that measures must be taken to prevent the ignition of forest and rangeland fires. Therefore, pursuant to Utah State Law, Section 65A-8-212, the following acts are prohibited in the areas described below until rescinded by the Town of Stockton Fire Chief:

1. Setting, building, maintaining, attending or using open fires of any kind, except within the facilities designated for them in improved campgrounds, picnic areas or home sites where running water is present.

2. Smoking, except within an enclosed vehicle, trailer or building, a developed recreation site or while stopped in an area that is paved or free from dry vegetation.

3. Discharging or using any kind of fireworks, tracer ammunition or other pyrotechnic devices including exploding targets.

4. Cutting, welding or grinding metal in areas of dry vegetation.

5. Operating a motorcycle, chainsaw, ATV, or other small internal combustion engine without an approved and working spark arrestor.

Any of the above acts is a violation of state law and punishable by up to six months in jail and a fine of up to $1,000.
The following persons are exempted from the above prohibitions:

1. Persons with a permit or waiver specifically authorizing a specified act at a specific location.
2. Any on-duty firefighter in the performance of an official duty.

Area Description:

All private and all public lands within Stockton, UT.

This order supersedes all previous orders.

Effective Date: 12:01 a.m., Friday, the 13th day of July, 2018

Justin Huffman Town of Stockton Fire Chief

Thomas Karjola Town of Stockton Mayor