



# OLYMPIC VALLEY

## FIRE DEPARTMENT








### Seasonal Burn Ban in Effect as of 6/26/23

The Olympic Valley Fire Department has instituted the Seasonal Burn Ban for our District. The Burn Ban goes into effect on 6/26/23. The Burn Ban usually stays in effect until the severe threat of wildfire has dissipated or decreased to a point where the reduction in fire hazards favor lifting such ban. (Typically, sometime in the month of November.)






If you are a Short-Term Rental owner, your renters are banned from performing any of the below “banned” items 365 days of the year – regardless of the Burn Ban implementation.

When the Burn Ban is in effect, here is what is allowed and not allowed:


#### WHAT IS ALLOWED

-  Outdoor gas appliances
-  Gas portable fire pits
-  Gas BBQs
-  Pellet burning devices
-  Wood pellet fuel-based BBQs and smokers

#### WHAT IS BANNED

-  Residential campfires/bonfires that burn anything other than gas
-  BBQs that burn charcoal, wood, or lump charcoal
-  Ceramic charcoal grills ( i.e., Big Green Egg)
-  Briquette fuel-based smokers
-  Wood shavings added for flavor

#### WHAT IS EXEMPT

-  Outdoor special event commercial cooking with a valid permit

# 2023 FIRE SEASON RESTRICTIONS

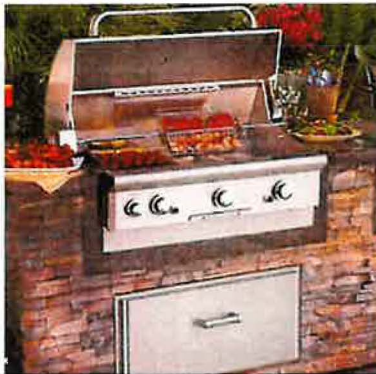


*\*TYPICALLY MAY - NOVEMBER*

## **FIRE RESTRICTIONS** **GAS FIRE PITS ALLOWED**



**LPG OR NATURAL GAS FIREPITS, PORTABLE OR BUILT-IN**  
**GAS/LPG BARBECUES ALLOWED**



**PELLET**

**PROPANE**

**NATURAL GAS**

## **WOOD & CHARCOAL BURNING BANNED**



**WOOD BURNING FIRE PITS, CHIMINEAS AND CHARCOAL BBQS ARE BANNED**

**ALL FORMS OF OPEN FLAME ARE PROHIBITED DURING  
RED FLAG/CRITICAL FIRE WEATHER CONDITIONS.**

A red flag warning is the highest alert and is issued for weather events  
which may result in **extreme fire behavior**.

**2023 FIRE RESTRICTIONS EFFECTIVE UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**  
**FIRE RESTRICTIONS MAY DIFFER ON FEDERAL LAND**