



## LINCOLN COUNTY DEFENSE BOARD

North Lincoln Fire & Rescue  
Depoe Bay Fire District  
Newport Fire Department  
Toledo Fire Department  
Siletz Valley Fire District  
Seal Rock Fire District  
Central Oregon Coast Fire & Rescue District  
Yachats RFPD  
Oregon Dept. of Forestry

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To: All Media

Date: Thursday, September 03, 2020

### For Immediate Release Lincoln County Complete Burn Ban Notification

The Lincoln County Fire Defense Board, and the nine fire protection agencies are announcing the closing of all burning effective this Friday, September 4, 2020, at 08:00am. The fire ban applies to wood, charcoal, and other flame sources that cannot be turned off with a valve. Liquid fuel stoves or cooking devices that CAN be turned off with a valve are permitted but cannot be left unattended. This ban includes fires in campgrounds and on the beaches.

Fire danger is at an extreme high. Lower than normal fuel moisture levels along with forecasted hotter/drier weather compound the danger. Local fire agencies have limited resources to respond to a wildland fire.

This burn ban will remain in effect until conditions moderate and notification provided by the Lincoln County Fire Defense Board. Please contact your local fire agency if you have any questions.

Below is contact information for all Lincoln County Fire Agencies:

**North Lincoln Fire & Rescue**  
541-996-2233

**Depoe Bay Fire District**  
541-764-2202

**Newport Fire Dept./N.R.F.P.D**  
541-265-9461

**Seal Rock Fire District**  
541-563-4441

**Central OR Coast Fire Dist.**  
541-563-3121

**Yachats Rural Fire Prot. Dist.**  
541-547-3266

**Siletz Valley Fire District**  
541-444-2043

**Toledo Fire Dept./E.L.C.R.F.P.D**  
541-336-3311

**Oregon Dept. of Forestry (Toledo Unit)**  
541-336-2273

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Lincoln County Sheriffs' Office – Emergency Management  
**When to Call 911**



	Emergency Call 911 (Dispatch)	Non-Emergency Call Non-Emergency #	Other Agency Resources
<b>Examples</b>	<b>Any immediate danger to life, limb or property</b>	<b>Non-Emergency Events</b>	<b>No Crime or Emergency Involved</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• House or building fires</li> <li>• Medical emergencies, i.e., chest pains, trauma injuries</li> <li>• Someone is threatening or attacking you</li> <li>• Crime in progress</li> <li>• Aggressive dog attack</li> <li>• You have heard gun shots in your area</li> <li>• Vehicle accidents</li> <li>• Impaired/unsafe driver</li> </ul>	<p>Concerns or to report:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Unpermitted neighborhood burning – yard debris, etc.</li> <li>• Lost or loose animals in your neighborhood</li> <li>• Noise disturbances</li> <li>• Vehicle break ins</li> </ul> <p><i>*See the Non-Emergency Phone Numbers for Dispatch Centers serving Lincoln County Communities</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Non-emergency ambulance transfers</li> <li>• Copies of police/fire reports</li> <li>• Power outages</li> <li>• Driving directions or road closures (tripcheck.com)</li> </ul> <p><i>*See the Lincoln Co. Public Safety Info Sheet for additional contact numbers</i></p>
<b>When calling from landline or cell phone</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Speak clearly, be calm – when a caller is upset, it is hard to understand what they are saying or to get vital information quickly</li> <li>• State which emergency service is needed and why (e.g. Fire, Police, Ambulance)</li> <li>• State your exact <i>physical</i> address (where you are at the time of the emergency)               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <i>Mobile (cell) Phone Calls:</i> If you do not know the exact address look for landmarks, i.e., mile markers, addresses on mailboxes, street signs, highway signs, nearby parks, businesses, etc.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Stay on the line until your Call Taker tells you to disconnect</li> </ul> <p><i>If calling from mobile (cell) phone and you are driving, pull to the side of the road and stop before calling</i></p>		
<b>If you can't speak or hear when calling 911</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• After dialing, leave the phone off the hook and make noise to let the Call Taker (Dispatcher) know you have an emergency</li> <li>• Calling from a landline (hard wired phone): Your address will appear on the call taker's screen</li> <li>• Calling from a mobile (cell) phone: The Call Taker may get latitude/longitude <i>close</i> to your location</li> <li>• Text-to- 911: Give clear identifiers to where you are located and what your emergency is</li> </ul>		
<b>Public Safety Tips</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Make sure your address is:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Visible on the outside of your house or at roadway, especially at night</li> <li>○ Posted in your home for guests or babysitters to use if they are calling from a mobile phone</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Teach children when to call 911, when not to and their home address; be sure a phone is within reach and they know where to find it</li> <li>• Keep mobile phones secure so they don't accidentally call 911; but if that happens do not hang up, stay on the line and explain the situation to the Call Taker</li> </ul>		
<b>Other Information</b>	<p><b>Non-Emergency Dispatch Center Phone Numbers (Lincoln County)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Located on the next page</li> </ul> <p><b>State Highway Information - ODOT:</b> <a href="http://www.tripcheck.com">www.tripcheck.com</a> or "511" on your mobile or landline phone</p>		

**Disclaimer:** This list is not all inclusive and should be seen only as a representation of call types/circumstances.

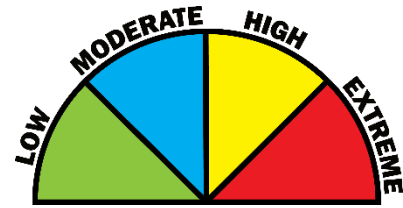
**Source:** Willamette Valley Communications Center and Lincoln County Sheriff's Office

## Non-Emergency Phone Numbers for Dispatch Centers Serving Lincoln County, Oregon Communities

Community Areas	Non-Emergency Number to Dispatch	Business Number
<b>Depoe Bay, Gleneden Beach, Lincoln Beach</b>		
<b>Police:</b> Lincoln County Sheriff's Office	541-265-0777	541-265-4277
<b>Fire:</b> Depoe Bay Rural Fire Protection District	541-574-5809	541-764-2202
<b>East Lincoln County (Elk City, Harlan, Burnt Woods, Eddyville, Chitwood, Nashville)</b>		
<b>Police:</b> Lincoln County Sheriff's Office	541-265-0777	541-265-4277
<b>Fire:</b> OR Dept. of Forestry	541-929-9154	541-336-2273
<b>Fire:</b> Toledo Rural Fire Protection Dist.	541-336-5555	541-336-3311
<b>Lincoln City (City)</b>		
<b>Police:</b> Lincoln City Police	541-994-3636	541-994-3636
<b>Fire:</b> North Lincoln Fire and Rescue District 1	541-994-3636	541-994-3100
<b>Newport (City and North/South)</b>		
<b>Police:</b> Newport City Police Dept.	541-574-5807	541-574-3348
<b>Fire:</b> Newport City Fire Dept.	541-574-5808	541-265-9461
<b>Fire:</b> Newport Rural Fire Protection Dist.	541-574-5808	541-265-9461
<b>North Lincoln County (Otis, Rose Lodge, Kernville)</b>		
<b>Police:</b> Lincoln County Sheriff's Office	541-265-0777	541-265-4277
<b>Fire:</b> North Lincoln Fire and Rescue District 1	541-994-3636	541-994-3100
<b>Seal Rock</b>		
<b>Police:</b> Lincoln County Sheriff's Office	541-265-0777	541-265-4277
<b>Fire:</b> Seal Rock Rural Fire Protection District	541-574-5811	541-563-4441
<b>Siletz (City and Unincorporated Areas)</b>		
<b>Police:</b> Lincoln County Sheriff's Office	541-265-0777	541-265-4277
<b>Fire:</b> Siletz Valley Rural Fire Protection District	541-574-5812	541-444-2043
<b>Toledo (City)</b>		
<b>Dispatch:</b> Toledo City Dispatch	541-336-5555	541-336-5555
<b>Police:</b> Toledo City Police	541-336-5555	541-336-5555
<b>Fire:</b> Toledo City Fire	541-336-5555	541-336-3311
<b>Waldport (City and Unincorporated Areas)</b>		
<b>Police:</b> Lincoln County Sheriff's Office	541-265-0777	541-265-4277
<b>Fire:</b> Central Oregon Coast Fire and Rescue	541-574-5810	541-563-3121
<b>Yachats (City and Unincorporated Areas)</b>		
<b>Police:</b> Lincoln County Sheriff's Office	541-265-0777	541-265-4277
<b>Fire:</b> Yachats Rural Fire Protection District/So. Lincoln Ambulance	541-547-3266	541-547-3266
<b>Other and State Agencies</b>		
<b>Oregon Department of Forestry (Toledo District)</b>	541-265-4231	541-336-2273
<b>Oregon Department of Transportation (Lincoln Co Highways)</b>	503-362-0457	541-757-4211
<b>Oregon State Police Dispatch and Newport Office</b>	503-375-3555	541-265-5353
<b>Pacific West Ambulance (ASA Zone 1, 2, 3 &amp; 4)</b>	541-574-5814	541-994-6690
<b>South Lincoln Ambulance (ASA Zone 5)</b>	541-547-3266	541-547-3266

# ODF West Oregon District- Public Use Restrictions

Updated: June 23, 2020



FIRE DANGER LEVEL

**West Oregon District Closure Line (541) 929-6300**

[Facebook: West Oregon District](#)

	Low	Moderate	High	Extreme
<b>Debris Burning is Prohibited.</b> Debris burning is not allowed during fire season.	Prohibited	Prohibited	Prohibited	Prohibited
<b>Smoking is Prohibited.</b> Smoking is prohibited at all times in forestlands, <u>except</u> inside vehicles on improved roads, in boats on the water, and other designated areas.	Prohibited	Prohibited	Prohibited	Prohibited
<b>Use of Fireworks is Prohibited.</b>	Prohibited	Prohibited	Prohibited	Prohibited
<b>Sky Lanterns and Target Practice with tracer rounds or exploding targets are Prohibited.</b>	Prohibited	Prohibited	Prohibited	Prohibited
<b><u>The Following Activities Have Various Restrictions</u></b>				
<b>Campfires, including charcoal fires, cooking fires, and warming fires are Restricted.</b> When allowed, a shovel and water source or 2 ½ pound or larger fire extinguisher must be readily available. Portable cooking stoves using liquefied or bottled fuels are allowed at all times.	Allowed With Landowner Approval	Allowed at Designated Locations	Allowed at Designated Locations	Not Allowed
<b>Chainsaw use is Restricted.</b> When allowed, each saw being used must have one shovel and one fire extinguisher of at least 8 ounce capacity. A firewatch of at least one hour is required following saw use.	Allowed All Day	Allowed Before 1pm and after 8pm	Allowed Before 10am and after 8pm	Not Allowed
<b>Cutting, Grinding, and Welding of Metal is Restricted.</b> When allowed, the work area must be cleared of flammable materials and have either a charged hose or 2 ½ pound or larger fire extinguisher available.	Allowed All Day	Allowed Before 1pm and after 8pm	Allowed Before 10am and after 8pm	Not Allowed
<b>Mowing/Cutting of Dried, Cured Grass is Restricted.</b> The cultivation and harvest of agricultural crops is exempt from this requirement.	Allowed All Day	Allowed Before 1pm and after 8pm	Allowed Before 10am and after 8pm	Not Allowed
<b>Off-road Motorized Vehicle use is Restricted.</b> All vehicles, including motorcycles and all-terrain vehicles, operating on unimproved roads and areas that contain flammable vegetation are restricted to the listed times. Motorized Vehicle use on <u>improved</u> roads, free of flammable vegetation, is allowed at all times.	Allowed All Day	Allowed Before 1pm and after 8pm	Allowed Before 10am and after 8pm	Not Allowed
<b>Any other spark-emitting internal combustion engine is Restricted.</b> When allowed, area must be cleared of flammable materials and have either a charged hose or 2 ½ pound or larger fire extinguisher available.	Allowed All Day	Allowed Before 1pm and after 8pm	Allowed Before 10am and after 8pm	Not Allowed

For more information on ODF West Oregon District:  
<https://www.oregon.gov/ODF/Fire/Pages/Restrictions.aspx>  
 Philomath Office: 24533 Alsea Hwy, (541) 929-3266  
 Dallas Office: 825 Oak Villa Road, (503) 934-8146  
 Toledo Office: 763 NW Forestry Rd, (541) 336-2273

