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FIRE PREVENTION ORDER - UTG002-14-001

Due to extremely dry conditions and pursuant to regulations of the Department of Interior, 43 CFR 9212.1(h), the following acts are prohibited on federal lands, roads, trails and waterways, described below by the Bureau of Land Management-Green River Fire Zone. This order is effective 12:00 a.m., on the 10 day of July, 2014 and will remain in effect until rescinded by the Bureau of Land Management-Green River District Manager.

- No campfires, except in permanently constructed cement or metal fire pits provided in developed campgrounds and picnic areas.
- The use/discharge of any kind of fireworks, explosives, incendiary or chemical devices, pyrotechnic devices, exploding targets or the use of steel core/jacketed ammunition.
- Operating or using any internal or external combustion engine without a spark arresting device properly installed, maintained and in effective working order.
- Cutting, welding or grinding metal in areas of vegetation.

Permissible acts

- Devices fueled by petroleum or liquid propane gas (LPG) products with a shut-off valve are allowed in areas clear of flammable vegetation (10ft X 10ft).
- Charcoal burning is allowed in developed campgrounds or picnic grounds within permanent fire rings or grills constructed of metal or concrete. In undeveloped camping locations charcoal must be set in metal pans in areas clear of flammable vegetation (10ft X 10ft). Extinguish with water when unattended.
- Smoking is allowed in areas clear of flammable vegetation (10ft X 10ft). Cigarettes and matches must be properly extinguished before disposed of.

The following persons are exempt from the order

All exemptions to the restrictions will be handled through local "permits" issued by the authorized officer for activities that will not conflict with the purpose of the order (43 CFR 9212.3).

Area description

All Bureau of Land Management Green River District Fire Zone lands located in Northeastern Utah in Uintah, Grand, Dagget, and Duchesne Counties. (See attached map)

The BLM manages more than 245 million acres of public land, the most of any Federal agency. This land, known as the National System of Public Lands, is primarily located in 12 Western states, including Alaska. The BLM also administers 700 million acres of sub-surface mineral estate throughout the nation. The BLM's mission is to manage and conserve the public lands for the use and enjoyment of present and future generations under our mandate of multiple-use and sustained yield. In Fiscal Year 2013, the BLM generated \$4.7 billion in receipts from public lands.

Penalties

Individuals violating this order can be subject to a \$1000 fine and associated fire suppression and rehabilitation costs (43 CFR 9212.4).

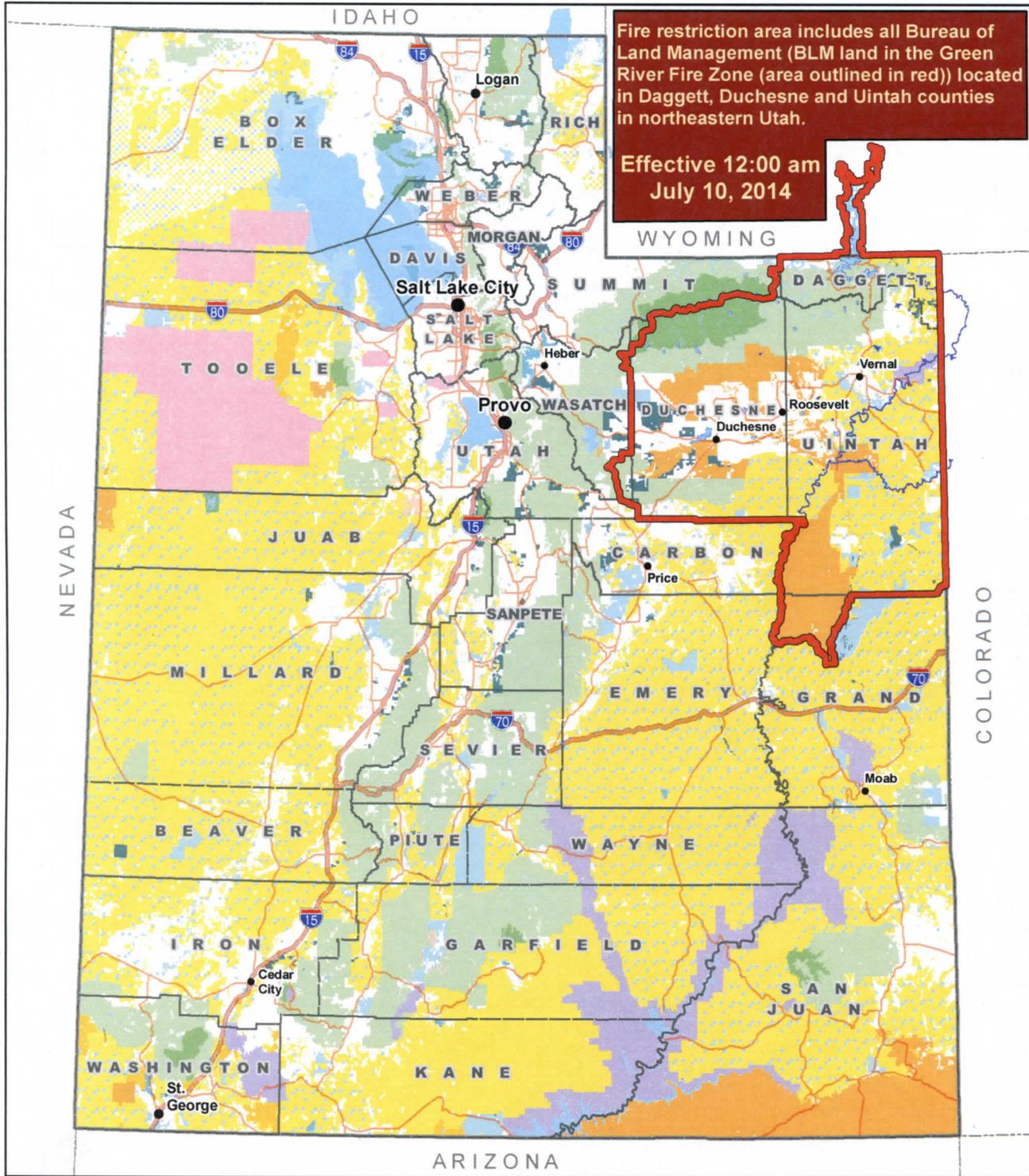
Fire prevention order information may be obtained at www.UtahFireInfo.gov or by contacting the BLM Green River Fire Zone Fire Management Specialist at 435-781-4444.

Signed: 

Howard Cleavinger
Associate District Manager

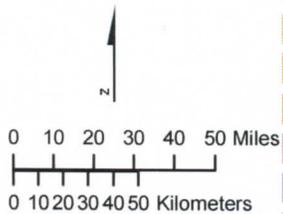
Green River Fire Zone - 2014 Fire Restriction Map

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| Bureau of Land Management | State |
| BLM Wilderness Area | State Parks and Recreation |
| Indian Trust Land | State Wildlife Reserve/Management Area |
| Military Reservation | U. S. Fish & Wildlife Service |
| National Park Service | U. S. Forest Service |
| Private | U. S. Forest Service Wilderness Area |



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