

State of Utah DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES BRIAN C. STEED Executive Director Division of Forestry, Fire and State Lands BRIAN L. COTTAM Division Director / State Forester

Fire Restriction Order

Due to current and forecasted weather conditions coupled with the extremely dry fuel conditions in Utah County, the State Forester, in consultation with the county sheriff, has determined that measures must be taken to prevent the ignition of wildfires. Therefore, pursuant to Utah State Law, Section 65A-8-212, the following acts are prohibited in the areas described below until rescinded by the Utah State Forester:

- 1. Use of any steel core, jacketed, or tipped ammunition of any caliber
- 2. Use of any tracer or incendiary ammunition of any caliber.
- 3. Possession or use of any kind of explosives, incendiary or chemical devices, or exploding targets

Area Description: All unincorporated private and all state lands within the following area (see attached map):

- Directly west of Utah Lake including Lake Mountain
 - Except for a portion of the designated Soldier Pass Public Shooting Range. (The south lane will be open June 27, and the rest of the range remains closed for finish work)
- On West Mountain above 4,500 ft elevation

This order will be in place for 14 days, after which it will be reviewed by the signatories and either be renewed or rescinded depending on fire danger.

Any of the above acts is a violation of state law and is punishable by up to 6 months in jail and a fine of up to \$1,000. These restrictions will be enforced by county law enforcement.

Effective Date: 12:01 a.m., 23rd day of June, 2020

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Mike Smith, Utah County Sheriff <u>Brett Ostler</u> Brett Ostler (Jun 24, 2020 09:31 MDT)

Brett Ostler State Fire Management Officer *Brian L Cottam* Brian L Cottam (Jun 24, 2020 10:32 MDT)

Brian Cottam State Forester

