

VILLAGE OF BELCARRA

High Fire Danger Rating August 18, 2023



Due to the extended periods of dry hot weather, restrictions have been put into effect for tree falling, land clearing, and brush pile clean-up. These conditions are effective immediately.

A fire safety plan needs to be submitted and approved prior to any activity. Fire Safety Plan to include provisions for fire watch and fire suppression capabilities, (extinguishers and/or water hoses).

Fire Chief Jay Sharpe advises:

"With the cooler weather on Friday, the FDR will stay at High over the weekend. However, because we have been in High for an extended period of time, we will ask that all tree falling, brush pile cleanup and land clearing activities stop by 1:00 pm each day; and that a 2 hour fire watch be posted after activities stop for the day. An approved Fire Safety Plan must also be in place."

Anyone who wishes to undertake any of the above listed activities may send their fire safety plan to:

Jay Sharpe - Fire Chief, Sasamat Fire Department

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Please send a copy to: snovak@belcarra.ca and prichardson@belcarra.ca