



VILLAGE OF BELCARRA
Sasamat Fire Department
UPDATE to HIGH Fire Danger Rating



Effective at 12:01 am Friday August 1, 2025

This order applies to all work that is either in or adjacent to forested areas. It does not apply to construction sites where the land has already been cleared.

Order:

**Cease activity between 1:00 PM and sunset each day.
Maintain a two-hour fire watch**

Exceptions can be made with an approved Fire Safety Plan in place.

Restrictions on High-Risk Activities (Machinery & Commercial Operations)

High-risk activities include but are not limited to any of the following activities carried out in a wooded or near area:

- operating a power saw, electric or gas
- mechanical tree felling, woody debris piling or tree processing, including delimbing
- welding
- portable wood chipping, milling, processing or manufacturing
- skidding logs
- use of heavy machinery

Other high-risk activities listed include:

- mechanical brushing
- disk trenching
- use of explosives
- using spark or fire producing tools
- fireworks
- grinding,
- mechanical land clearing and maintaining right of ways (including grass mowing)

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