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NEWS RELEASE

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SPLATSIN EXTENDS CAMPFIRE BAN UNTIL SEPTEMBER 9, 2022

Enderby, BC – While the Kamloops Fire Centre has lifted its campfire ban, Splatsin has evaluated local conditions and decided to keep a local campfire ban in place until noon on September 9, 2022.

This decision aligns with the City of Enderby and the Shuswap River Fire Protection District decision to also extend the ban to September 9 at noon.

“Our area continues to experience hot and dry conditions and, as such, high fire danger is still of significant concern. Reports show that cooler weather conditions are expected by September 9, which will reduce the risks of fire spreading. As such, we feel that this is a more suitable time to lift the campfire ban,” said **Splatsin Kukpi7 Doug Thomas**.



The campfire ban also includes fireworks, sky lanterns, burn barrels, and burn cages.

Category 2 and Category 3 open burning remain prohibited until further notice.

Enderby and District Fire Chief Cliff Vetter also stated, “This measure will help prevent human-caused wildfires and protect public safety until the conditions improve.”

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