



LOCAL PERMIT GUIDELINES FOR THE 2023/24 FIRE DANGER SEASON

The Bushfire Danger Season for the Kimba District is from the 1st November 2023 to the 15th April 2024.

PERMIT GUIDELINES

- Permits will be issued from the 1st Monday in February 2024 and burning will not be undertaken with a Fire Behaviour Index of 25 or greater, except for the following:-
 - Permits required for CFS Training
 - Other at discretion of Fire Prevention Officer.
- Length of permits will be issued at the discretion of the authorised officer (to a maximum four (4) weeks as per the above).
- Burning is not to be commenced until a physical copy has been received.
- The time for lighting of fires for **burning off** be no earlier than **10am** or later than **9pm**, day light saving time or at the discretion of the authorised officer. **N.B:** Time restrictions for narrow stubble row burning will not be enforced as landowners need to manage this type of burn at the appropriate time with the appropriate weather conditions.
- That these permits are issued only for burning grasses, stubble and heaps of grass type litter.
- Burning is prohibited on Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays during Fire Danger Season.**
- The issue of permits for grain dryers exempt the condition of the Fire & Emergency Services Regulations 2005 Section 33(5)(a)(c)(d).
- The users of Allora Field Bin Dryers may be exempt of Section 33(5)(a)(c)(d) of the Fire & Emergency Services Regulations 2005, by the endorsement on their permit by the Fire Prevention Officer providing that a minimum of 400 Litres of water connected to an engine driven pump on a mobile unit is at hand and the operator on site.
- That a minimum of 400 Litres of water connected to an engine driven pump on a mobile unit is at hand and the operators on site and a further 1,000 Litres of water be available in the paddock area where burning is to occur. Minimum of two (2) able bodied persons available onsite during the burn.
- All other permit conditions applied to **Permits** must be adhered to.

PERMIT NOTIFICATION

The following must be notified of the intention to light a fire. The notification must include the name of the permit holder, the permit number, the location (i.e. Section and Hundred) and time of lighting.

- The District Council of Kimba Administration Office – 8627 2026 **each and every day**, at least two hours prior to lighting a fire **for the burning of grass, stubble or heaps of material**. Administration staff will then notify Region 6 of the burn off.
- Department of Environment and Water if burning within one kilometre of a national park (phone 0477 241 775 and leave a message if office unattended)
- Your neighbours

NOTE: Any Permit issued may be revoked at any time by an Authorised Officer if conditions are considered too dangerous for burning off operations. SA Police will be notified of any breaches to permit conditions or burning without an appropriate permit.

Authorised Permit Officers:

Alex Cant: 0407 088 084	Brian Cant: 0427 275 012
Brad Woolford: 0428 766 665	Brett Zibell: 0427 274 096