

FIRE BAN IN EFFECT



Algonquin Provincial Park has issued a **TOTAL FIRE BAN** that prohibits all open fires.

This fire ban applies to all land within Algonquin Provincial Park, including:

- All developed campgrounds;
- All interior/backcountry camping - canoe tripping and backpacking;
- All picnic and day-use areas;
- All trails; and
- All cottages, private and commercial leases within Algonquin.

During a fire ban:

- Campfires are **not** permitted at any time;
- Charcoal barbeques or biomass units using natural burning fuels (i.e. sticks, twigs, pinecones, etc.) are **not** permitted;
- Candles of any type are **not** permitted;
- Portable outdoor living gas or propane fire pits or fire bowls manufactured for the intended purpose of outdoor ambience and recreational enjoyment that produce a flame are **not** permitted; and
- Portable gas/propane/naphtha stoves or barbeques that have a fuel source with a control valve may still be used.

Enforcement staff will be patrolling the park by boat, aircraft and vehicle to ensure compliance.

The fire ban will remain in place until further notice and will be lifted as soon as conditions allow.

To report a forest fire call 310-FIRE (3473)

Park Superintendent
Algonquin Provincial Park