

FIRE BAN IN EFFECT



EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2023:

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;
- All cottages, private and commercial leases within Algonquin.

During a fire ban:

- Campfires are not permitted at any time;
- Charcoal or wood burning barbeques may not be used;
- Portable gas/propane/naphtha stoves or barbecues that have a fuel source with a control valve may still be used;
- Backcountry users must have a portable stove with a fuel shut-off valve. Biolite or other wood/charcoal burning stoves are not permitted.

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.

For updates related to this ban, please visit www.ontarioparks.com/park/algonquin/alerts

To report a forest fire call 310-FIRE (3473) or 911.

Park Superintendent Algonquin Provincial Park

Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks

