
RED FLAG WARNING

RED FLAG PROTOCOLS: Red Flag, a short term, temporary warning indicating the presence of dangerous combinations of temperature, wind, relative humidity, fuel or drought conditions which can contribute to new fires or rapid spread of existing fires.

The East Mountain Interagency Fire Protection Association composed of all jurisdictional agencies that respond to fire and emergencies in the mountain communities requests the help and cooperation of our visitors and community.

Fire response agencies have certain protocols within their agencies when a Red Flag is announced by NOAA. The Dispatch communication groups (within all jurisdictional fire response groups) are immediately informed of the Red Flag warning. They in-turn pass this information through their communication channels to all response personnel and crews in the field. Agencies then heighten their response by getting ready in case a fire does break out in our area.

For the safety of life and property we are requesting that our communities and visitors help firefighters by also following these community protocols during red flag events.

NO CAMPFIRES

NO SMOKING OUTSIDE

NO WELDING

Until the Red Flag Warning is lifted by NOAA

ON BEHALF OF ALL EMERGENCY RESPONDERS WE THANK YOU IN ADVANCE

FOR SUPPORTING EMIFPA IN FIRE PREVENTION

