



Limington Fire/EMS

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Emergency Declaration

Outdoor Burning Ban

WHEREAS, the Town of Limington is experiencing extended periods of dry weather, elevated temperatures, and other conditions that have created a significant risk of wildfires; and

WHEREAS, the Maine Forest Service has identified elevated fire danger levels in York County and surrounding regions; and

WHEREAS, outdoor burning during these conditions presents an immediate threat to life, property, and the environment; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Limington has the responsibility to protect the health, safety, and welfare of its residents;

THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority granted under Title 30-A of the Maine Revised Statutes, as the Fire Chief, the Town Fire Warden, and the Town of Limington Emergency Management Director, I hereby declare an Emergency Outdoor Burn Ban effective immediately.

This ban prohibits:

- All outdoor burning of brush, grass, debris, or other natural or synthetic materials.
- All recreational or campfires, including those in fire pits, chimineas, and similar devices.
- The use of burn barrels or similar containers.

This ban does not prohibit:

- The use of gas, propane, or charcoal grills used for cooking, provided they are always attended and used safely.

This ban shall remain in effect until fire conditions improve, and the declaration is rescinded by me, the Fire Chief, the Town Fire Warden, and the Town of Limington Emergency Management Director.

I ask all residents to exercise extreme caution and cooperate fully to help protect our community. Violation of this declaration may result in penalties as provided by law.

Signed this 22nd day of August, in the year 2025, and to remain in effect until conditions are deemed safe to burn again.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Emil Braley". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping underline.

Emil Braley

Chief of Department

Local EMA Director

Local Fire Warden