

Skamania County Community Development Department

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## <u>Temporary small debris burn ban</u> <u>has been extended</u>

Skamania County and all counties within the Pacific Cascade Region of Washington State are **<u>EXTENDING</u>** the <u>temporary</u> ban on small debris burning:

When: 12:00am, Friday April 23, 2021 through 11:59pm Monday, April 26, 2021

**What:** All issued small debris burn permits will be temporarily invalid and there will not be any new small debris burn permits issued until this temporary ban has been lifted.

Why: Low moisture content in ground fuel, lack of rain.

## Please check all burn piles that have been started within the last month to confirm they are fully extinguished.

Before you start burning again please check all available resources for up to date information, including the Skamania County Website, Washington State Department of Natural Resources website or call the Community Development Department at (509) 427-3900.

-Skamania County Fire Marshal