

BARNES COUNTY

230 4TH St. NW
VALLEY CITY, NORTH DAKOTA 58072

Barnes County, North Dakota Emergency Declaration

COUNTY OFFICERS

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Treasurer
845-8505

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Recorder
845-8506

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States Attorney
845-8526

RANDY MCCLAFLIN
Sheriff
845-8530

CORRECTIONS
845-8532

DR. DAVID HOCHHALTER
Coroner
845-8776

STACIE HANSEN
Director of Tax Equalization
845-8515

Veterans Service Officer
845-8511

JESSICA JENRICH
Emergency Manager
845-8188

JAMIE SMITH
Highway Superintendent
845-8508

JASON THIEL
MIS Manager
845-8545

JESSICA JENRICH
Planning & Zoning
845-8188

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Social Services
845-8521

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Dispatch
845-8181

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City-County Health District
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COUNTY COMMISSION

Dist. 1: CINDY SCHWEHR
Rogers
646-6203

Dist. 2: SHAWN OLAUSON
Valley City
490-8696

Dist. 3: BILL CARLBLOM
Valley City
840-0763

Dist. 4: VICKY LOVELL
Sanborn
490-0203

Dist. 5: PETER PAULSON
Valley City
490-0524

WHEREAS, Barnes County, North Dakota is under abnormally dry conditions:

WHEREAS, the impact of fires could threaten the health, well-being and safety of the citizens of Barnes County; and

WHEREAS, the cost of response and the inordinate equipment wear may be far in excess of available county resources; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Barnes County Commission issues a burn ban for Barnes County, North Dakota until conditions allow and will be continuously monitored. This will include burning of leaves, grass clippings, garbage/pits, construction debris, fallen trees, crop residue or hay land, sloughs, and campfires/bonfires. Gas, charcoal, or wood-fired grills or gas camp stoves with a cover may be used so long as it is on a hard, non-organic surface and 15 feet or more away from vegetation and an extinguisher or water is available on site.

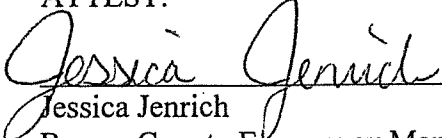
Barnes County's Fire Danger Rating is high and no chance of significant rain forecasted in the next few days the fire danger rating may be higher. **The Fire Danger Rating and burn restriction map is available at the following website: [Burn Restrictions & Fire Danger Maps | ND Response](#)**

ANY INDIVIDUAL WHO WILLFULLY VIOLATES THIS BURN BAN IS GUILTY OF A CLASS B MISDEMEANOR, WHICH CARRIES A PENALTY OF UP TO THIRTY (30) DAYS IN JAIL, AND A \$1,500.00 FINE PER INCIDENT, AS WELL AS THE COST FOR FIRE SUPPRESSION.

Dated in Valley City, North Dakota this 10th day of October, 2024.


By: Bill Carlblom
Chairman, Barnes County Commission

ATTEST:


Jessica Jenrich
Barnes County Emergency Manager