FAULKNER COUNTY

Allen Dodson

COUNTY JUDGE

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MARGARET DARTER

FAULKNER COUNTY CLERK

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF FAULKNER COUNTY, ARKANSA

COURT ORDER 23-267

IN THE MATTER OF A FIRE HAZARD IN FAULKNER COUNTY, ARKANSAS

A Duration of hot, dry and windy weather has created hazardous conditions throughout Faulkner County, with further extreme heat and dry weather in the forecast.

SECTION I: The court finds that an emergency situation exists in the unincorporated areas of Faulkner County and the hazard potential to life and property is such that a burn ban and prohibition against outdoor burning is hereby declared until such time as this order is lifted.

SECTION II: This order shall be enforceable by and through the Faulkner County Sheriff's Department, the Chief Fire Official of the various Fire Districts, the Director of the Office of Emergency Management for Faulkner County, and the Arkansas Forestry Service.

SECTION III: Outdoor burning may be permitted under special circumstances when the Court is assured that all necessary and proper precautions are being enforced that burning constitutes no hazard to life or property. No outdoor burning shall be permitted in the absence of a written permit from the Faulkner County Judge.

SECTION IV: This order shall go into effect Tuesday, August 22, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Allen Dodson

Faulkner County Judge

August 21, 2023