The Dickey County Commission declares!

A Burn Emergency exists and necessitates a Burn Ban Plan (to include a ban on campfires and garbage burning) be implemented, effective immediately, and to remain in effect until rescinded.

NO burning **WHEN** the North Dakota Rangeland Fire Danger is in the **VERY HIGH** or **EXTREME** index and/or a **RED FLAG WARNING** has been issued for North Dakota by the National Weather Service until further notice.

THE PENALTY FOR VIOLATION OF THIS BURN BAN IS A CLASS B MISDEMEANOR (NDCC 37-17.1-10.1; MAXIMUM SENTENCE OF 30 DAYS IN JAIL A \$1,500 FINE, OR BOTH).

For daily updates on the North Dakota Rangeland Fire Index go to the ND DES home page at <u>https://www.nd.gov/des/Default.asp</u> and monitor the Dickey County Emergency Management Facebook page or your local radio stations for NO BURN DAYS.

On days that it is safe to burn, call in your control burns to the Dickey County Sheriff's Office at 701-349-3249 x1 and/or your local Fire Chief before you burn to avoid embarrassment and fire department response fees.