

RESOLUTION NO. 2012 - 15

**A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE IMPOSITION OF RESTRICTIONS ON OUTDOOR BURNING PRACTICES IN JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS.**

**WHEREAS**, Jackson County Resolution 2008-01 provides that the Board of Commissioners of Jackson County may impose a county wide burning ban if the Board of Commissioners deems the appropriate conditions of moisture and fire hazard exist.

**WHEREAS**, Jackson County has experienced an extended period of little or no precipitation and the probability of dry grass conditions continues to exist, and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of County Commissioners deems it advisable to impose a countywide burning ban in the unincorporated areas of Jackson County.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS:**

**Section 1.** Pursuant to Jackson County Resolution 2008-01, the Board of Commissioners hereby imposes a county wide burning ban in the unincorporated areas of Jackson County.

**Section 2.** No outside burning of trash, any open fire, any field or pasture fire, or any campfire is permitted except those fires in permanent stoves, fireplaces, and barbeque grills.

**Section 3. Penalties.** As provided in K.S.A. 48-939, the knowing or willful violation of any restrictions adopted pursuant to this resolution shall constitute a Class A misdemeanor and shall be punished as provided by law therefore.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

*Harry Fenske*  
*Ed Kather*  
*Ray Maddy*

Attested by: *Blende Hawley Deputy Clerk*

Dated this *30<sup>th</sup>* day of *July*, 20*12*.

