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HCM Council Declares Municipal Fire Ban

Stonecliffe, Ontario – August 9, 2016 – HCM Council has authorized the implementation of a municipal wide fire ban.

On Tuesday, August 9, 2016 upon direction of senior staff and the Community Fire Safety Officer, the Council of the United Townships of Head, Clara & Maria authorized staff to implement a municipal wide fire ban. Based on the current environmental conditions, the MNR fire index and future weather forecasts Council thought it prudent to implement the ban until further notice.

Until such time, no individual is authorized to set or maintain any open air fire, including camp fires, within the Municipal geographic limits for reasons of public safety and protection of property. This includes all areas in and surrounding Deux Rivieres, Bissett Creek, Stonecliffe and Mackey unless otherwise authorized.

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