## County Burn Ban Checklist

The purpose of this checklist is to help County Commissioners follow the steps necessary to comply with state law when placing a ban on outdoor burning within their county, or removing such a ban. These steps are included in the Oklahoma Statutes in Title 2, Article 16, Section 16-26, Sub-section B. Type of Action: \_\_\_\_\_ Ban On \_\_\_\_\_ Ban Off 1. Document that a period of extreme fire danger does or does not exist: Yes No Drought conditions exist within the county Less than one-half inch of precipitation is forecast during the next 3 days Fire occurrence is above normal levels/initial attack is unsuccessful More than 20% of fires from escaped debris burning or controlled burns Most municipal and certified rural fire departments support the resolution In passing a resolution to ban outdoor burning, exceptions to the ban were considered. If any exceptions were authorized, the resolution will include appropriate precautionary measures to prevent wildfires. 2. Based upon an assessment of this information, the Board took the following action: rilling on concrete allowed Date and time of action: 9:29 A m 3. The Board notified each of the following entities of this action (all are required): Forestry Services - Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food and Forestry Department of Public Safety Department of Tourism and Recreation Department of Wildlife Conservation Local news media Local law enforcement officials 4. \_\_ The Board has retained the original resolution, proof of notification of the agencies and other groups required, and other public posting activities. Checklist completed by: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_7-16-2022

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