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October 19, 2015

CHOCTAW COUNTY
BURN BAN RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Choctaw County, Oklahoma pursuant to the authority granted to the Board by Section 16-26.B of Title 2 of the Oklahoma Statutes, do hereby proclaim that extreme fire danger exists in Choctaw County. This situation (as defined in Section 16-26, B.1 a-d, Title 2, O. S) has been verified by a documented concurrence of the majority of the County's municipal managers and rural fire chiefs, or their designees.

WHEREAS, by virtue of this resolution, it is unlawful for any person to set fire to any forest, grass, range, crop or other wildlands, or to build a campfire or bonfire, or to burn trash or other material that may cause a forest, grass, range, crop or wildlands fire.

WHEREAS, any law enforcement officer of the State of Oklahoma may carry out the enforcement of this resolution. Any person convicted of violating this resolution shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be subject to a fine of not more than Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00), to imprisonment of not more than one (1) year, or to both such fine and imprisonment.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED; that this resolution shall be effective immediately for a period not to exceed Thirty (30) days from the date of passage by the Board of County Commissioners. If extreme fire danger conditions persist, subsequent resolutions may be passed. This Burn Ban may be removed at any time during the Thirty (30) day period by the same method by which it was approved.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 19th day of October 2015 at 9: 30 a.m.

S/ _____ S/ _____ S/ _____
Ronnie Thompson
Commissioner, Dist. #1

Randy Robertson
Commissioner, Dist. #2

Roger Vandever
Commissioner, Dist. #3

ATTEST:

S/ _____
Emily VanWorth, County Clerk