



# CAMPFIRE SAFETY TIPS

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**BUILD FIRES IN DESIGNATED PLACES.**

FIND OUT IF THE AREA HAS AN EXISTING FIRE RING OR FIRE PIT.

IF NOT, BUILD ONE FROM SCRATCH BY SELECTING A LEVEL, OPEN LOCATION AWAY FROM HEAVY FUELS SUCH AS BRUSH AND GROUND COVERAGE.

## BUILD

BUILDING AN OPEN CAMPFIRE



SCOOP A DEPRESSION IN THE CENTER OF THE CLEARED AREA TO BUILD THE FIRE AND PUT A RING OF ROCKS AROUND IT.



KEEP A BUCKET OF WATER AND A SHOVEL NEARBY.



KEEP YOUR FIRE A MANAGEABLE SIZE.



THE FIRE SHOULD BE BUILT NO LARGER THAN NECESSARY FOR COOKING OR PERSONAL WARMTH.



YOUR FIRE MUST NEVER BE LEFT UNATTENDED AND THE FIRE MUST BE EXTINGUISHED COMPLETELY BEFORE LEAVING.

## BURN

THE FIRE IS BURNING



KEEP A SHOVEL AND BUCKET OF WATER NEARBY AT ALL TIMES.



WHILE FIRE IS BURNING, BE SURE THERE IS AN ADULT IN ATTENDANCE AND OVERSEEING THE FIRE AT ALL TIMES.



NEVER LEAVE CHILDREN AROUND AN UNATTENDED FIRE.

## OUT

COMPLETELY EXTINGUISH AN OPEN CAMPFIRE



USE THE "DROWN, STIR AND FEEL" METHOD. DROWN THE FIRE WITH WATER, THEN STIR AROUND THE FIRE AREA WITH YOUR SHOVEL TO WET ANY REMAINING EMBERS AND ASH.



FEEL AREA WITH THE BACK OF YOUR HAND TO ENSURE NOTHING IS STILL SMOLDERING.



TURN WOOD AND COALS OVER AND WET ALL SIDES.



MOVE SOME DIRT ONTO THE FIRE SITE AND MIX THOROUGHLY TO FULLY SMOTHER IT.

## FIRE BAN

**ALLOWED:** SMOKING, GAS/PROPANE GRILLS IN DESIGNATED AREAS SUCH AS RAMADA AREAS, SEMI-DEVELOPED AND DEVELOPED CAMP SITES.

**NOT ALLOWED:** CAMPFIRES, FIRE PITS AND CHARCOAL GRILLS.

