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Prineville District Personal Use Fuelwood Collection Information and Stipulations

Fuelwood collection is permitted within the following areas identified by the accompanying maps, Williamson Creek Firewood Area, Juniper Canyon, La Pine Basin, Franks Creek, Little Canyon Mountain, and Dixie Creek on public land administered by the Bureau of Land Management, Prineville District Office, Oregon (See attached maps).

Personal use fuelwood permits are available for \$1 per cord up to 10 cords.

This permit is only good for the following in specific areas:

1. Williamson Creek: down juniper that has already been felled, do not cut standing live or dead trees, or branches from standing trees.
2. Juniper Canyon: Live and dead standing or down juniper up to 18 inches in diameter. Trees with old growth characteristics are not allowed to be cut, defined as: trees over 18 inches diameter, and/or with dead branches, deep furrowed bark, rounded tops, lichen/moss covered limbs etc..
3. La Pine Basin: Standing dead and dead and down lodgepole pine.
4. Franks Creek: Standing dead and dead and down conifers. Western Larch currently appear dead but shed their needles. Please ensure they are actually dead.
5. Little Canyon Mountain: Standing dead and dead and down conifers.
6. Dixie Creek: Standing dead and dead and down conifers.

Personal use wood is not for resale and subject to attached stipulations. **Please check your expiration date of 1/31/26.** If you are interested in harvesting for commercial purposes, please contact the Prineville BLM District Office, at 541-416-6700.

After cutting a load of wood, you must validate your tag by marking the **Month, Day, and Time** field on each corresponding load tag, these load tags will then be attached to the rear of your load. Securely attach the load tag(s) (using nails or staples) to a piece of firewood so that it is visible to a vehicle following yours. You must also fill out the **“Record of Firewood Removal”** table shown below, this Record of Firewood Removal is required to be in your possession while removing firewood but does not need to be externally secured to the load.

Once the load tickets have been used, you **cannot** re-use them, nor can unused load tickets be returned for refund.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: Trees with cavities or nests shall not be cut. Off-road access is only allowed within Williamson Creek, and travel in all other units is restricted to open designated routes.

Please respect adjacent private property by not trespassing. Do NOT use the OHV trails for firewood access. **It is your responsibility to ensure you are cutting on BLM managed lands available for cutting. Private property should be respected and not crossed to access firewood areas, unless you have permission.**



1 cord= 4' x 4' x 8'=128 cubic feet of stacked wood

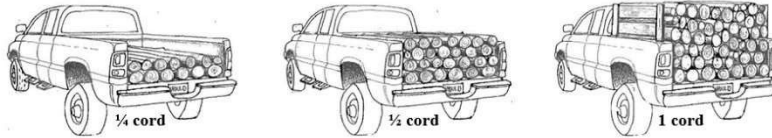
***Please note, the following are for estimation only and will differ by vehicle make. Legal dimensions of a cord are shown above and will be used for official measurement.

Use back of sheet if necessary.

Record of Firewood Removal					
Date	Cords	Tag Number (s)	Date	Cords	Tag Number (s)
09/16/2011	1	A, B, C, D 05371 (example)			

Height Stacked above box (ft)	Long Box	Short Box	Less than ½ ton pickup
Level	0.53 cords	0.43 cords	0.24 cords
1'	0.91 cords	0.73 cords	0.43 cords
2'	1.28 cords	1.04 cords	0.62 cords

Approximate cordage for long box pick-up





Purchaser shall comply with the following stipulations unless otherwise authorized, in writing, by the Authorizing Officer:

1. This permit authorizes you to cut and extract firewood in areas identified on the maps. **DO NOT CUT** standing live or dead trees, or branches from standing trees within Williamson Creek. Juniper Canyon allows the cutting of live and dead juniper up to 18 inches, La Pine basin allows the cutting of standing dead and down lodgepole pine, all other areas allow cutting of standing dead and down conifers. You may only remove the amount of wood which you are permitted for. Cutting firewood outside of these designated areas, or any other vegetative material is not authorized by this permit and could result in prosecution. **Pursuant to 43 CFR 5462.1(b)(1).**
2. This contract is non-transferable. **Pursuant to 43 CFR 5511.1(b)** (Personal permits are for your own use and not for resale or barter.)
3. No cutting of old growth juniper is allowed under this permit. This permit is only valid for cutting of juniper that have already been felled within Williamson creek, or Juniper under 18 inches not expressing old growth characteristics. Illegally cut juniper is not available for harvest. **Pursuant to 43 CFR 5511.4(b)(3)**
4. All Permittees will keep a log of all vegetative material gathered and/or shipments and present this upon demand to the authorized officer.
5. Load tags will be issued for ALL fuelwood sales in 1/2 cord increments. Tags must be punched with date of harvest and affixed to each load while in transport from the place of harvest to the final processing location. Tag numbers must be recorded on removal log included in this permit.
6. Off-Road access is allowed only within **Williamson Creek**, but live trees and other vegetation may not be cut to create access to firewood. **OHV trails may not be used for firewood access.** All other areas are restricted to open designated routes. Blading or other improvements may not be made on existing roads without expressed, written approval from the authorized officer. Gathering of vegetative materials should be terminated if the site becomes soft due to weather conditions and excessive damage is occurring. Certain roads and/or areas may be closed to travel due to wildfire occurrence/risk, mule deer winter range closure, etc. It is the permit holder's responsibility for checking and complying with such possible closures. **Pursuant to 43 CFR 8341.1(c) and 43 CFR 9212.1(g)**
7. Permit, a signed copy of this stipulation sheet, and load tags must be available at location for inspection by Law Enforcement Officers or Designated BLM Employees. All persons harvesting under the permit must be listed on permit at time of purchase. Permit and attached maps must be present at location before any cutting or loading of wood. **Pursuant to 43 CFR 5511.4(b)(3)**
8. Any cultural resources (prehistoric or historic sites and artifacts) which are encountered are to be avoided and no artifacts are to be disturbed or removed from their original position. Notify the Prineville District of any discovery of archaeological or historical resources.
9. No cutting is allowed within 150 feet of streams, trailheads, campgrounds, wild and scenic rivers, highways or other recreation sites.



10. Failure to comply with any stipulation may cause cancellation of the contract or permit, confiscation of gathered products, fine or all the above.

Please Help Prevent the Spread of Noxious and Invasive Weeds on the Prineville District

- Familiarize yourself with the Noxious Weed List at:
<https://www.oregon.gov/oda/programs/weeds/oregonnoxiousweeds/pages/aboutoregonweeds.aspx>
- Do not pick flowers of noxious weeds and take them home.
- Do not pick or transport wildflowers you cannot identify.
- Ensure body and undercarriage of vehicle is clean and free of plant materials prior to leaving any weed infested area.
- Report noxious weed species occurrence immediately to the BLM Prineville District.

I have read each and understand every stipulation of this permit; I affirm that by my signature that appears below, I will abide by the stipulations of this permit. I fully understand that violating these stipulations could result in criminal prosecution and/or having this permit revoked.

Signed by

Date.

Disclaimer of Liability:

In issuing this permit, the United States does not assume any liability for injury or damage to any person or property that may arise during and in consequence to the exercise of this permit. By the acceptance of this permit, the permittee agrees that their use of BLM roads and the public lands and activities conducted under the permit, are at their own risk.