

**To:** Board of Directors

**From:** Edward Miller, President of the Board

**Date:** July 8, 2020

**Subject:** Solid Fuel Sales

During the ban on burning of solid fuels, many local merchants are selling both charcoal and bundles of firewood. This makes for confusion among visitors and residents.

Burning of both of these fuels are permitted in local campgrounds, including State Parks where firewood is sold by Sierra State Parks Foundation, and is a major revenue stream.

Fires in camping areas present a hazard as our parks are contiguous to residential neighborhoods.

## **Recommendation:**

- Request that local merchants post a notice on their displays stating Fire District restrictions.
- Request that the local State Parks District curtail burning of solid fuel, at least during Red Flag days.