



# United States Department of the Interior

BUREAU OF RECLAMATION  
Lahontan Basin Area Office  
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IN REPLY REFER TO:

## **SPECIAL FIRE PREVENTION ORDER**

### **BUREAU OF RECLAMATION LAHONTAN BASIN AREA OFFICE NEWLANDS PROJECT AREA**

Pursuant to 43 CFR 423.31 (e) the following acts are prohibited on Reclamation lands specified below in the AREA DESCRIBED within the Newlands Project, Lahontan Basin Area Office. The restricted area as depicted on the attached map is hereby incorporated into this Order as Exhibit A.

#### **RESTRICTIONS:**

1. Building, maintaining, attending, or using a fire (using wood, charcoal, or any other material), campfire, or stove fire except a portable stove using gas, jellied petroleum, or pressurized liquid fuel outside of a developed fee campground or picnic area.
2. Smoking, except within an enclosed vehicle or building, a developed recreation site, or when stopped in an area at least 3 feet in diameter that is barren or cleared of all flammable material.
3. Operating or parking a vehicle or other motorized equipment over or on top of dried/cured vegetation.
4. Operating or using any internal or external combustion engine without a spark arresting device properly installed, maintained and in effective working order.
5. Welding, metal grinding, or operating an acetylene or other torch with open flame.
6. Possessing, discharging, using or allowing the use of fireworks, pyrotechnic or incendiary devices.
7. Possessing, discharging, igniting, or causing to burn explosives or explosive material, including binary explosive targets.
8. Discharging a firearm using tracer, incendiary, or steel-component ammunition. The use of tracer or incendiary ammunition is always prohibited on public lands.

**EXEMPTION:** Any federal, state or local officer or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty are exempt from this order.

**AREA DESCRIBED:** The order applies to Reclamation-administered lands within the Newlands Project boundary administered by the Lahontan Basin Area Office, in Churchill, Lyon,

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**INTERIOR REGION 10 • CALIFORNIA-GREAT BASIN**

CALIFORNIA\*, NEVADA\*, OREGON\*

\* PARTIAL

Storey, and Washoe counties. Lands excepted include: the Lahontan Recreation Area, Fallon National Wildlife Refuge, and Stillwater National Wildlife Refuge.

**PURPOSE:** This Order is necessary to protect public health and safety due to hazardous fuels and threat of a wildfire.

**IMPLEMENTATION:** This Closure will be effective at 12:01 a.m. on Wednesday, June 30, 2021, and shall remain in effect until October 31, 2021, or until rescinded, whichever occurs first.

***Under section (1)(a) of Public Law 107-69, you are subject to a fine under chapter 227, subchapter C of title 18 United States Code ( 18 U.S.C. 3571), or can be imprisoned for not more than 6 months, or both, if you violate: (a) The provisions of this part 423; or (b) Any condition, limitation, closure, prohibition on uses or activities, or public use limits, imposed under this part 423.***

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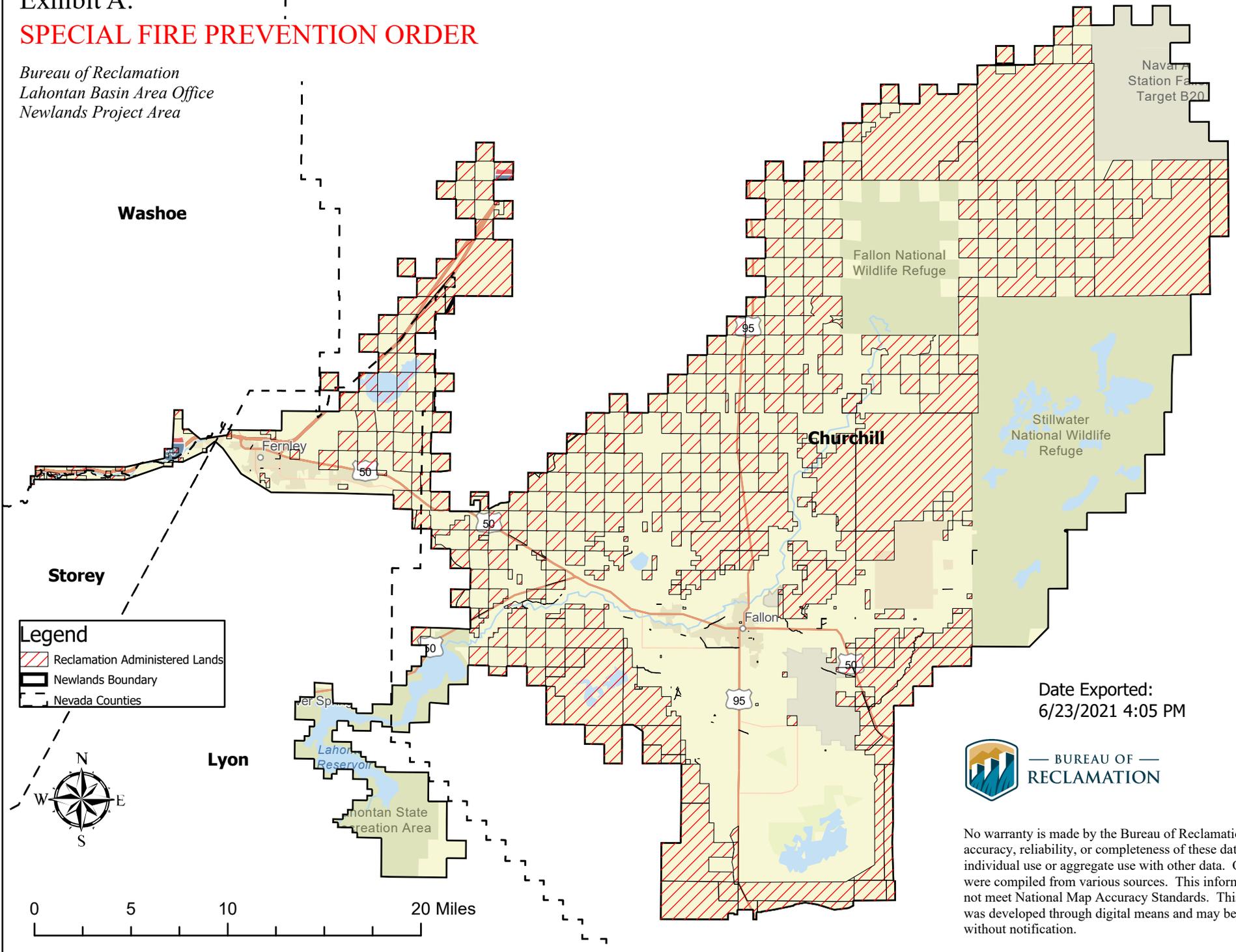
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# Exhibit A:

## SPECIAL FIRE PREVENTION ORDER

Bureau of Reclamation  
Lahontan Basin Area Office  
Newlands Project Area



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