

Humboldt-Toiyabe to issue firewood permits

The Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest's Carson Ranger District will begin issuing dead tree firewood cutting permits on June 15.

Woodcutters may cut dead trees anywhere on the Carson Ranger District, including the Washington Fire burned area. Some areas on the district may later be removed or chainsaw restrictions may be put into place as the season progresses.

Firewood permits are valid through Dec. 31. They may be purchased for \$15 per cord with a two cord minimum and a 10 cord maximum.

No tree cutting is permitted in administrative sites or along state and county roads, and Forest Service designated trail. Dead fuelwood cutting will only be allowed for conifer species such as pine and fir. Hardwoods such as aspen or cottonwood are not allowed under this permit.

Permittees are required to have fire extinguisher and a shovel when using a chainsaw for cutting firewood.

For more info, call 775.882.2766.