

**WARREN COUNTY JUDGE-EXECUTIVE ORDER  
OPEN BURNING BAN**

**September 10, 2025**

**IN SUPPORT OF** the request from Bowling Green Fire Department and Warren County Fire Department Fire Chiefs recommending a burn on outside burning; and

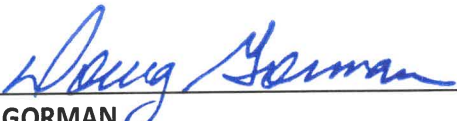
**WHEREAS**, A lack of rain in recent weeks has produced dry conditions in area grasslands and woodlands, lawns and shrubbery, which poses an increased risk of damage from wildfires, caused by open burning and fireworks; and

**THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that due to excess dryness, lack of measurable precipitation, and current fire hazard conditions, pursuant to Kentucky Statute, I do hereby issue a **NO OUTSIDE BURN ORDER** effective immediately, banning all open burning in all areas of Warren County, Kentucky. This ban is in effect for all of Warren County and the City of Bowling Green. This Order includes the lighting of fireworks and burning of any material outdoors.

**IT IS FURTHER HEREBY ORDERED** that this ban be effective immediately for the remainder of September. Thereafter, fall fire hazard season (Oct. 1–Dec. 15) will further prohibit burning within 150 feet of woodlands and is forbidden between 6 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Kentucky Revised Statutes provides for penalties for violations of this order of not less than \$50.00 nor more than \$500.00.

**This 10th day of September, 2025.**

  
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**DOUG GORMAN**  
WARREN COUNTY JUDGE EXECUTIVE