

**BUSH FIRES ACT 1954
Regulation 24C (Total Fire Ban)**

Use of engines, vehicles, plant or machinery likely to cause a bush fire
(commonly referred to as Harvest and Movement of Vehicles in Paddocks bans)

I, Arthur Stanton, an authorised Deputy Chief Bush Fire Control officer of the City of Mandurah, hereby declare a ban on the use or operation of engines, vehicles, plant or machinery for Saturday 6 February 2021 to Sunday 7 February between the hours of 00:01 and 23:59 for the whole of the City of Mandurah.

This ban will be reviewed at 00:01hrs 8 February 2021 at which time further advice may be issued.

ACTIVITIES NOT PERMITTED DURING THE PERIOD OF THIS BAN

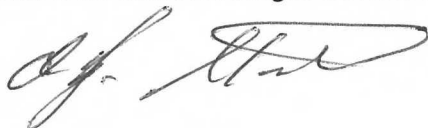
- Harvesting operations are not permitted
- Any “hot works” (e.g. welding, grinding, cutting, heating etc) in the “open air” are not permitted (*note these activities are not permitted during the term of any Total Fire Ban*)
- Other – use or operation of any engine, vehicle, plant, equipment or machinery in the area likely to cause a bush fire or contribute to the spread of a bush fire.

ACTIVITIES PERMITTED DURING THE PERIOD OF THIS BAN

- Movement of vehicles on “gazetted roads” (*as described in Bush Fires Regulation 24A(1) and Road Traffic Act 1974 section 5.1*)
- Movement of vehicles on a lane, driveway, yard or other area that provides access to, or a parking facility at, any residential, farming or business premises, if the area has been sufficiently cleared of inflammable materials to prevent the escape of fire.
- Use of operation of a vehicle if it is for the prevention of an immediate and serious risk to the health or safety of a person or livestock, and only if all reasonable precautions have been taken to prevent the activity from creating a bush fire danger.
- Use or operations of vehicles and undertaking of “hot works” by those persons holding a current Exemption under the *Bush Fires Act 1954 Section 22C* (Exemption from Total Fire Bans)

For further information contact Ranger Services on 95503777

Signed



Arthur Stanton
Deputy Chief Bush Fire Control Officer