

WILDFIRE REPORT FOR MARCH 30, 2017

Widespread rain minimized fire activity across the state last week; a total of 24 wildfires burned 10 acres. The main causes of the fires were debris burning and equipment. As we dry out, expect fire danger to increase. Stay apprised of fire weather conditions by checking the DNR fire danger web page each day after 11 am: dnr.wi.gov (search 'fire danger').

If you're planning on burning leaves and brush as part of your spring clean-up routine, first check the [Burning Restrictions](#) web page to find out if a permit is required where you want to burn. Then be sure to check the day's fire danger and burning permit restrictions BEFORE lighting that match!

Firewise Tip: If you are planning to burn yard debris this spring, be sure to clear the area around your brush/leaf pile or burn barrel to create a "firebreak." Click [here](#) for more safe burning tips.