

## EMERGENCY AREA OF CLOSURE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, DIRECTOR OF FORESTRY RESTRICTING OCCUPANCY AND USE OF PORTIONS OF LAKE COUNTY, MINNESOTA

**September 21, 2021** 

Pursuant to the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, <u>88.73</u> and <u>89.01</u>, the following act is prohibited in portions of Lake County, Minnesota, due to hazards associated with the Greenwood fire. This restricted portion of Lake County shall be called an area of closure.

The following is prohibited:

• Being within the area of closure (see attached map).

This area of closure is established to protect the public's health and safety due to hazards posed by the Greenwood fire and includes all state, or state administered, lands, waters, trails, portages, canoe routes, and recreation sites that can be found within the perimeter of the closure.

This area of closure is effective upon signature of the Director of Forestry and will remain in effect until terminated.

The following persons are exempt from this order:

- 1) Private land owners accessing property within the closure area.
- 2) Person(s) with written authorization to access from the Director of Forestry.
- 3) Any federal, state, or local officer, or member of any organized rescue or fire fighting force working in an official duty.
- 4) Federal or state administrative personnel in the performance of an official duty.

State Highway 1 and 2 are excluded from this order.

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## Minnesota DNR Greenwood Fire Closure Area 9/21/2021

