High Pollution Advisory (HPA) Restrictions

When the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) issues a High Pollution Advisory (HPA) for:

Particulate Matter, the following apply:

In **Area A**

- **No burning allowed**
  - No wood burning, including wood stoves, fireplaces, outdoor fires, and fire pits or chimneys. All open burning permits are suspended during an HPA. Exemptions are provided to EPA-approved fireplaces and where wood burning provides your “sole source of heat.”

- **OHV (Off Highway Vehicles) use restricted**
  - All off-road vehicles in Area A are prohibited during an HPA unless it is conducted in an area that practices dust abatement measures and the usage of such vehicles are for business purposes.

- County employees or contractors are prohibited from operating leaf blowers

**Area A Seasonal Burn Restriction (May 1 through September 30)** – No outdoor burning allowed in Area A.

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1. A.R.S. **11-871**, Pinal County Air Quality [No Burn Ordinance For Area A](#)
2. A.R.S. **49-457.03**
3. A.R.S. **11-877**
4. A.R.S. **49-501.A.2**