



THE STATE OF TEXAS

§

April 14, 2026

COUNTY OF BORDEN

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**ORDER PROHIBITING CERTAIN FIREWORKS IN UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF
BORDEN COUNTY, TEXAS**

WHEREAS, on the 14th of April, 2026, the Commissioners Court of Borden County has determined that the normal danger of fire in the unincorporated areas of Borden County is greatly enhanced by the extremely dry conditions now existing;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Commissioners Court of Borden County adopts this Order prohibiting the sale or use of restricted fireworks in the unincorporated areas of Borden County.

- A. A person may not sell, detonate, ignite, or in any way use fireworks classified as “skyrockets with sticks” under 49 C.F.R. part. 173.100(r)(2) (10-1-86 edition) or “missiles with fins” in any portion of the unincorporated area of Borden County.
- B. This Order does not prohibit permissible fireworks” as authorized in Occupations Code Section 2154.003(a).
- C. A person commits an offense if the person knowingly or intentionally violates a prohibition established by this Order. An offense under this Order is a Class C Misdemeanor with a maximum \$500.00 fine.
- D. This Order expires on the date the Texas Forest Service determines drought conditions no longer exist in the county or September 14, 2026 whichever is earlier.

APPROVED on this 14th day of April, 2026, by the Borden County Commissioners Court.

Cathy York Palmer
County Judge

Attest:

Jana Underwood
County Clerk