## BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS LEWIS COUNTY, WASHINGTON

## IN THE MATTER OF:

**RESOLUTION NO. 23-331** 

MODIFY RESTRICTIONS ON OUTDOOR BURNING TO ALLOW PERMITTED BURNING THROUGHOUT LANDS REGULATED BY LEWIS COUNTY

**WHEREAS**, the Lewis County Board of County Commissioners (BOCC) concurs with the decision of the Lewis County Fire Marshal, Community Development Director and Lewis County Fire Chiefs Association that weather conditions have improved to allow open burning by permit on all unincorporated lands regulated by Lewis County effective October 9, 2023; and

**WHEREAS**, this modification and upgrade allow burning by permit effective at 12:01 a.m. October 9, 2023, throughout all unincorporated lands regulated by Lewis County; and

**WHEREAS**, the burning of debris in city limits and urban growth areas remains prohibited at all times; and

**WHEREAS**, previous burn permits expired and were not valid during burn restrictions. Updated burn permits will be required.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** the BOCC hereby rescinds and replaces Resolution 23-306 to allow open burning by permit on all unincorporated lands regulated by Lewis County effective at 12:01 a.m. October 9, 2023, until rescinded by like resolution of the BOCC.

DONE IN OPEN SESSION this 10th day of October, 2023.

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APPROVED AS TO FORM: Jonathan Meyer, Prosecuting Attorney BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS LEWIS COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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ATTEST:

Rieva Lester, CMC,

Clerk of the Lewis County Board of County Commissioners

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