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## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Wildlife & Ecosystems Management Program
Department of Natural Resources
Schedule of Hopi Non-Commercial & Commercial Wood Permits

The Hopi Wildlife & Ecosystems Management Program (WEMP) recognizes the need to provide Non-Commercial and Commercial Hopi Wood Permits to Tribal members and residents of the Hopi Reservation, including Navajo AA residents and Non-Native individuals. As we near the winter season Hopi WEMP has identified the need to continue to provide these essential services on a limited basis, due to the current COVID-19 Pandemic on the Hopi Reservation.

The Hopi WEMP has set the schedule below to issue and renew both Non-Commercial (Personal Use) and Commercial (Business/For Sale) Hopi Wood Permits for September, due to the ongoing closure of Hopi Tribal Offices. The schedule will **require** all individuals to wear a mask, follow social distancing guidelines and other pertinent safety requirements.

## **September Schedule:**

<b>September Dates</b>	<b>Hours of Operation</b>	Location
Wednesday, September 9, 2020	9 am to 4 pm	Outside the Honahni Building
Wednesday, September 16, 2020	9 am to 4 pm	Outside the Honahni Building
Wednesday, September 23, 2020	9 am to 4 pm	Outside the Honahni Building
Wednesday, September 30, 2020	9 am to 4 pm	Outside the Honahni Building

WEMP administrative staff; Priscilla Nutumya, Secretary II and Caralene Harvey, Receptionist will be stationed outside of the Honahni Building to provide Hopi Wood Permits. To ensure we expedite the process, please have your Hopi Tribal Enrollment number, the location you plan to harvest wood from, and your old/expired permit. WEMP will only issue permits to those who will actually be harvesting the wood and we will not issue a permit to anyone to harvest wood, on your behalf. This ensure the permitted individual complies with all laws, ordinance and regulations.

This schedule will be for September and may adjust for the coming months, in the event the Hopi Tribal Shutdown is extended. Any questions, please feel free to call WEMP staff at (928) 497-1012 or (928) 497-1014.