



UPDATE - PUBLIC NOTICE

Wildlife & Ecosystems Management Program
Department of Natural Resources

Schedule of Hopi Non-Commercial Wood Permits Essential Services

Due to Hopi Tribal Executive Order #007.1-2020, Extension of Hopi Reservation-wide Lockdown in effect to February 1, 2021 at 5 AM and due to the increase cases and positivity rate of the Coronovirus-19 within the Hopi Reservation and northern Arizona. The Hopi Wildlife & Ecosystems Management Program with guidance from the Hopi Incident Management Authority (HIMA), Hopi Emergency Response Team (HERT) and Hopi Tribal Administration, we have decided to **CANCEL** the January Hopi Wood Permits previously schedule for the month of January.

The Cancellation will be effective January 11, 2021 to February 1, 2021. The scheduled February 3, 2021 Wood Permit date may continue as scheduled, however may be subjected to cancellation due to guidance by the Hopi Tribe.

To continue to provide services to those individuals who have a current permit, expired permit and are in need of a permit, the Hopi WEMP will continue in the providing services, by calling to request a renewal of the permit or request for a new permit. The temporary issuance and renewal of an expired permit is as follows;

- If you have a current expired Non-Commercial Wood (Personal Use) permit, regardless of the expiration date, Hopi WEMP will use the current expired permit and renew the permit for an additional 30 days from the date you call to renew the permit. We will require you to provide the Hopi Wood Permit Number and expiration date of the permit and will only renew the permit to the current permitted individual.
- If you require a new permit, the Hopi WEMP will issue you the permit by sending a picture of the issued permit to your cellphone to allow the permitted individual to use this as a temporary permit to immediately harvest wood. WEMP will mail you the wood permit as soon as possible.
- This simple process will apply to the COMMERCIAL Wood Permits and we will require you have an updated Hopi Peddlers Permit.
- The use of a Non-Commercial Wood Permit (Personal Use) for selling wood is PROHIBITED and IN VIOLATION of HTO #47 (Woodlands). Please DO NOT USE your Non-Commercial Wood Permit to sell wood. This misuse provides Hopi WEMP with inaccurate data and leads to mismanagement of our resources, which will affect the future of Hopi Natural Resources.

To renew your Non-Commercial or Commercial Wood Permit, please call (928) 497-1014, Monday thru Friday from 8am to 5pm. Holiday operational hours will be observed and no services will be available.