

**The National Weather Service has issued the following Red Flag Warning for the Willamette National Forest which includes the City of Detroit. Please be advised that at this time it IS ONLY A WARNING and should just remind residents to closely monitor the City of Detroit website and social media accounts for additional information.**

The National Weather Service has issued a Red Flag Warning for significantly unstable weather conditions from 11:00 am Friday, September 9, 2022 to 5:00 pm on Saturday, September 10, 2022 in the Willamette National Forest (which includes the City of Detroit).

The National Weather Service is predicting east winds of 15 MPH to 25 MPH with gusts up to 40 MPH and isolated gusts to 50 MPH possible along terrain above 5000 ft. Relative humidity could be as low as 16%. These conditions may be favorable for rapid fire spread.

Because of these conditions Consumers Power Inc. will be monitoring wind conditions beginning Friday morning through Saturday. If winds reach speeds that potentially could bring power lines down, they will turn power off to the system until the situation moderates. Residents should keep cell phones and other battery-operated devices as fully charged as possible.

Outdoor burning of any kind has been prohibited by the Idanha-Detroit Fire District.

**Again, there are NO fires in the area at this time. This is only a warning, please remember to stay alert for further updates. Please monitor the Detroit City website at [detroitoregon.us](http://detroitoregon.us) and local social media sites for updates if they become necessary.**