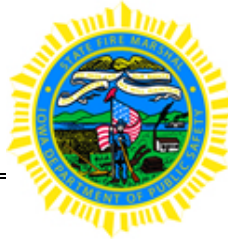


Kim Reynolds
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Department of Public Safety

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March 6, 2026

To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to Chapter 100.40, State Code of Iowa, and at the request of **BRIAN P. PAYNE**, representing each fire department having all or part of their fire districts within **SCOTT COUNTY**, the open burning ban for **SCOTT COUNTY** will be lifted effective **3/6/2026 11:00 AM**.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dan Wood", is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Dan Wood
State Fire Marshal

cc: County Sheriff's Department
Dept. of Natural Resources
Emergency Management