

Informational Sites For: ECLIPSE '17

Wheeler County website:

www.wheelercountyoregon.com

Frontier Regional Emergency Alerts-
(Sign-Up on Wheeler County web site)

Air Life: www.MyAirLink.org

Phone: 800-353-0497

Life Flight: www.LifeFlight.org

Phone: 800-982-9299

Bureau of Land Management:

541-416-6700

USFS: 541-416-6500

Oregon Department of Forestry:

541-575-1139

National Parks:

www.nps.gov/JODA



A MESSAGE FROM THE FIRE CHIEF !!

Extreme Fire Danger will be in effect during your visit to Wheeler County!!!

- **NO OPEN FIRES**
- Do not park in tall grass
- Smoke only in your vehicle
- Use propane BBQ's for cooking
- If you see a fire report it to any emergency personnel



ECLIPSE

Wheeler County
Planning Department
(541) 763-2216

Fire Service Coordinator
Rick Shaffer
(541) 763-2380

Wheeler County
Office of
Emergency Management
(541) 763-2380



FIRE RESTRICTIONS: The last month of summer coincides with the peak of Fire Season. Please check with Wheeler County, the Bureau of Land Management, National Forest Service, and other local jurisdictions regarding restrictions on campfires, barbecues, and other open burning.

MEDICAL and EMERGENCIES: Please be prepared for extended response times for emergency medical calls, especially if you are recreating in the National Forest or other remote public land locations. Please bring a functional First Aid Kit. Membership to Air Life and/or Life Flight is also recommended due to the fact that any major medical emergency will likely result in an air ambulance being called for transport. For minor injuries, self transport may be required.

ROADSIDE ASSISTANCE: Expected high volume of traffic will extend response times. Tow truck response times can be upwards of several hours and result in extended transport distances. Wheeler County has limited cell phone service.

CAMPING: Inquire in advance as to where camping will be allowed.

GASOLINE: The towns of Mitchell, Spray, and Fossil all have gas stations. Most close at 6 p.m.

WEATHER: Be prepared for any type of weather during your visit. Wheeler County experiences temperature fluctuations that are a staple of the high desert.

PRIVATE PROPERTY AND POSTED CLOSURES: Please be mindful and respectful of all private property. Including driveways, turnouts, and other locations that are not in the public right of way. Please pay attention to posted closures of any public lands due to road closures, natural emergencies, or economic operations.