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Pile Burning at Hearst San Simeon State Park

San Luis Obispo County

What: Burning of approximately 95 brush piles.

When: Monday, February 8 through Sunday February 21, 2021. Actual burn days will be

determined by weather conditions and permit conditions. Ignitions may start as early

as 7 A.M. with fire activity curtailed by approximately 5 P.M.

Where: At Hearst San Simeon State Park, in the vicinity of the Washburn Campground within the

Monterey pine forest. Burning may also occur in the southern forest east of the northern

Moonstone Beach Drive intersection with Highway 1.

Why: In order to reduce fuel loads and fire hazards associated with high fuel density

caused by tree mortality.

Who: CA State Parks, in cooperation with the Air Pollution Control District and CAL FIRE. For

more information, please call Dan Falat, District Superintendent, San Luis Obispo Coast

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