



**STATE OF IDAHO**  
**DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY**



**North Idaho Air Quality Forecast & Burn Advisory**

**Forecast for Thursday, January 24, 2019 through  
Saturday, January 26, 2019**

**Forecast Discussion:** High pressure will begin to build in over the area bringing clear skies and dry conditions. Fog is possible overnight into the early morning. Air quality will be in the GOOD range for all areas in North Idaho on Thursday.


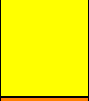




| Location                      | AQI Air Quality Forecast            | AQI Health Message | Yesterday's AQI (1/22/19) | Open Outdoor Burning and Woodstove Status Advisory Forecast   |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|---|
| <b>Pinehurst</b>              | <i>Tomorrow</i><br><b>Good (50)</b> | <b>None</b>        | <b>46</b>                 | <i>Day 1 - GREEN</i><br>No air quality restrictions on legal forms of residential open burning. Watch Your Smoke - Please Burn Clean! |
|                               | <i>Day 2</i><br><b>Good (50)</b>    |                    |                           | <i>Day 2 - GREEN</i><br>No air quality restrictions on legal forms of residential open burning. Watch Your Smoke - Please Burn Clean! |
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| <b>Kootenai County</b>        | <i>Tomorrow</i><br><b>Good (15)</b> | <b>None</b>        | <b>18</b>                 | <i>Day 1 - GREEN</i><br>No air quality restrictions on legal forms of residential open burning. Watch Your Smoke - Please Burn Clean! |
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| <b>Greater Sandpoint Area</b> | <i>Tomorrow</i><br><b>Good (15)</b> | <b>None</b>        | <b>16</b>                 | <i>Day 1 - GREEN</i><br>No air quality restrictions on legal forms of residential open burning. Watch Your Smoke - Please Burn Clean! |
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| <b>Bonnars Ferry Area</b>     | <i>Tomorrow</i><br><b>Good (20)</b> | <b>None</b>        | <b>NA</b>                 | <i>Day 1 - GREEN</i><br>No air quality restrictions on legal forms of residential open burning. Watch Your Smoke - Please Burn Clean! |
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| <b>St. Maries</b>             | <i>Tomorrow</i><br><b>Good (50)</b> | <b>None</b>        | <b>36</b>                 | <i>Day 1 - GREEN</i><br>No air quality restrictions on legal forms of residential open burning. Watch Your Smoke - Please Burn Clean! |
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For more information about air quality in northern Idaho including open burning or woodstove restrictions and links to other air quality issues please visit: [Daily Air Quality Reports](#)

For a voice recording of the current open burning and woodstove condition in your area please call 1-800-633-6247.

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## Air Quality Index

| Range      |   | Category                        | Meaning  |
|------------|---|---------------------------------|--|
| 0 to 50    |  | Good                            | Air quality is considered satisfactory, and air pollution poses little or no risk  |
| 51 to 100  |  | Moderate                        | Air quality is acceptable; however, for some pollutants there may be a moderate health concern for a very small number of people who are unusually sensitive to air pollution. |
| 101 to 150 |  | Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups* | Members of sensitive groups may experience health effects. The general public is not likely to be affected.  |
| 151 to 200 |  | Unhealthy                       | Everyone may begin to experience health effects; members of sensitive groups may experience more serious health effects.   |
| 201 to 300 |  | Very Unhealthy                  | Health alert: everyone may experience more serious health effects.   |
| 301 to 500 |  | Hazardous                       | Health warnings of emergency conditions. The entire population is more likely to be affected.  |