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# BURN BAN LIFTED FOR GREATER PIERCE AND SNOHOMISH COUNTIES

**No burn bans are currently in effect**

**SEATTLE, WA** – The **Greater Pierce and Snohomish County burn ban has been lifted, effective 2 PM today, December 13<sup>th</sup>**. There are no air quality burn bans currently in effect in the Puget Sound Clean Air Agency jurisdiction.

Expected upper level clouds tonight and into tomorrow should help reduce inversions and air pollution across Puget Sound. We expect a cold front to arrive Friday and return us back to GOOD air quality.

The Puget Sound Clean Air Agency would like to thank everyone who switched to alternative sources of heat instead of burning wood during these bans. Children, the elderly, and people with chronic respiratory health issues especially benefit from your efforts.

Visit [www.pscleanair.org/burnban](http://www.pscleanair.org/burnban) to view the current burn ban status, download our mobile app, and other burn ban alert options for your area.

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