

COMMUNICATIONS #1

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To all Competitors

1. DROUGHT CONDITIONS

Rio Blanco County is currently under Stage 1 Fire Restrictions, with a drought in progress that may turn into a SEVERE drought.

- Use the required shovels to put out fires if they occur; use fire extinguishers as a last resort.
- Do welding in a cleared area with an extinguisher nearby.
- Restrict your use of water as much as possible.

For further information, see these links:

<https://rbc.us/AlertCenter.aspx?AID=Stage-1-FIRE-RESTRICTIONS-in-Effect-June-379>

<https://www.theheraldtimes.com/stage-1-fire-restrictions-start-friday-june-19/rio-blanco-county/>

Note especially the restrictions on welding:

Using a welder, either arc or gas, or operating an acetylene or other torch with open flame, except in cleared areas of at least 10 feet in diameter with a chemical pressurized fire extinguisher of not less than 8 ounces capacity.

2. SHAKEDOWN

If you signed up for the SHAKEDOWN sessions on **Thursday**, expect an email in the next week with detailed information.

Rob Bohn

Clerk of the Course / 2026 Rally Colorado <https://www.rallycolorado.net/>

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