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PUBLIC SAFETY UNIT ANNOUNCEMENT

Total Fire Ban in Effect Tioweró:ton and Kahnawà:ke

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The Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke Public Safety Unit, in collaboration with the Kahnawake Fire Brigade wishes to inform the community that a fire ban is in effect within the territory, including Tioweró:ton.

The possibility of a forest fire is currently rated at extreme across Quebec and open fires in Kahnawà:ke and Tioweró:ton is banned as a safety precaution.

"With the dry weather conditions there has been a ban right across the province," said Fire Chief David Scott. "It's prudent that we act accordingly to avoid any potential losses."

For more information, please contact the Kahnawake Fire brigade (450) 632-2010. To report fires in Tioweró:ton, contact a Caretaker at the main cabin or call (819) 321-3375.