## Notice of Extreme Fire Danger

Due to drought, the recent heat wave, and record low moisture levels in surrounding vegetation, the City of Merrill faces an extreme fire risk situation.

We ask that you take precautions to minimize fire risk, including being aware of when you are performing activities that could spark a wildfire, and planning accordingly.

In accordance with recommendations from fire officials, fireworks are unfortunately prohibited in the City Limits until this window of extreme fire risk passes, I apologize for any inconvenience or loss of fun having this prohibition be enforced will cause.

If we were to have a City fire event, please cooperate with the Fire Department and First Responders, or use your good judgement to move you and your loved ones to a safe location.

Thank You in Advance for Your Cooperation;

**Bill Carlson**