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WOOD LOT SEASON FURTHER EXTENDED

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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA-

Due to the high demand for disposal of trees from the September 4th wind storm, the season for wood lots operated by the Municipality of Anchorage (Eagle River and Girdwood) has been further extended to September 22, 2012.

The Eagle River wood lot is located at the Anchorage Regional Landfill and will be open Monday through Saturday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The Girdwood wood lot is located at the Industrial Park on Ruane Road en route to the transfer station, and will be open Saturday September 15 and Saturday September 22 from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

The municipal lots in Eagle River and Girdwood are free to residents, but there is no salvage of material (firewood or chips) available at these sites.

<http://www.muni.org/departments/fire/wildfire/pages/woodlots.aspx>

The Anchorage wood lot is operated by the Anchorage Soil and Water Conservation District. The Anchorage wood lot will be open daily through Sunday September 16th, then open again on Thursday September 20th for their regularly scheduled days of Thursday through Sunday from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. The last scheduled operating day for the Anchorage wood lot is Sunday September 30.

Fees apply at the Anchorage wood lot and commercial customers are welcome. Salvage for firewood and wood chips is allowed and encouraged at this site.

www.aswcd.org/woodlot.html or call 677-SOIL (7645).

Attachment: Wood Lot summary grid

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