



Comhairle Contae Thiobraid Árann
Tipperary County Council

MEDIA UPDATE 16

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Smoke Flare-Up reported in Kilcash Area of Slievenamon

A significant smoke flare-up has been reported in the Kilcash area of Slievenamon arising from the ongoing wildfire incident.

Residents and farmers in the vicinity are advised to be mindful of the increased levels of smoke and changing conditions in the area. Where possible, farmers are asked to bring livestock and other animals indoors or move them to areas less likely to be affected by smoke.

Members of the public are advised to:

- Avoid the affected area unless essential.
- Keep windows and doors closed where smoke is present.
- Monitor vulnerable persons, including older people, young children and those with respiratory conditions.
- Take care when travelling as smoke may reduce visibility on local roads.

Health advice relating to smoke and air quality is available from the HSE's Health Protection Surveillance Centre at: <https://www.hpsc.ie/a-z/environmentandhealth/airquality/wildfires/>

Current air quality information is available at: <https://www.airquality.ie>

Emergency services continue to monitor the situation and work in the area as required.

Further updates will be provided as information becomes available.

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