



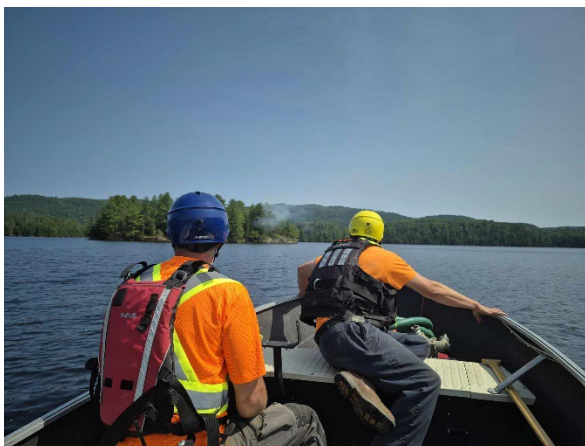
## ***Campfire on the Islands Prevention Capsule***

Follow these tips to reduce the risk of wildfires on islands

- When conditions permit, a campfire should be lit in a clear area sheltered from the wind.
- It should be installed on non-combustible soil, such as sand, gravel or dirt, making sure to remove any flammable materials nearby.
- The size of the fire should not exceed one metre by one metre in order to better control it.
- A campfire must be supervised at all times. It is necessary to have water, sand or soil on hand to extinguish it quickly in case of emergency.
- According to the Forest Protection Regulations, we are required to "stay on the premises until the fire is completely extinguished".
- Once the activity is over, the fire must be watered thoroughly. Without water, it is possible to use sand or soil.
- To avoid any risk, you should also stir the embers and add water as needed. Repeat until there is no longer any heat source.
- A poorly extinguished fire can relight several hours after the start, especially under the effect of the wind.

In the event of an emergency, give your location and GPS coordinates, prioritize places that have road access or near a marked trail.

***Your safety is important to us!***



**The islands of the Gatineau River are now private; you must get permission before going!**