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*News & Information Newsletter*



*Dear Kingsbury,*

*Here's the latest on what's going on in Kingsbury!*

**Celebrate January!**

There are **several** things to celebrate the whole month long because January is:

- National CBD Month*
- National Bath Safety Month*
- National Black Diamond Month*
- National Blood Donor Month*
- National Braille Literacy Month*
- National Hobby Month*
- National Hot Tea Month*
- National Mentoring Month*
- National Menudo Month*
- National Oatmeal Month*
- National Slavery and Human Trafficking Prevention Month*
- National Slow Cooking Month*
- National Soup Month*
- National Sunday Supper Month*



## There's A Day For Everything

In case you didn't already know ... there's something every day to **celebrate!**  
Here are some of the fun, unusual, or forgotten holidays this week:

**January 3** - National Chocolate Covered Cherry Day, National Drinking Straw Day, National Fruitcake Toss Day

**January 4** - National Missouri Day, National Spaghetti Day, National Trivia Day, National Thank God It's Monday Day

**January 5** - National Bird Day, National Keto Day, National Screenwriters Day, National Whipped Cream Day

**January 6** - National Bean Day, National Cuddle Up Day, National Shortbread Day, National Technology Day

**January 7** - National Bobblehead Day, National Tempura Day

**January 8** - National Arayle Day, National Bubble Bath Day, National English Toffee Day, National JoyGerm Day, National Winter Skin Relief Day

**January 9** - National Apricot Day, National Balloon Ascension Day, National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day, National Static Electricity Day, National Vision Board Day





## Kingsbury Volunteer Fire Department

Regular meetings of the Kingsbury Volunteer Fire Department are scheduled for the first Thursday of each month at 7:30 at KVFD Fire Station #1. The next is

**Thursday, January 7th**

Stop by to learn what you can do to help your **community** as a firefighter, a supporter, or as a first-responder.

The KVFD Auxiliary has their meetings on the first Thursday of most months starting in March. The next meeting of 2021 will be Thursday, March 4th and all meetings start at 6:00 p.m. in the Kingsbury VFD fire station. Come by and be a part of the awesome KVFD Auxiliary!



## Kingsbury Weather

Kingsbury weather for this week. You can always get the latest **weather** in Kingsbury on the Kingsbury website under [Calendar](#).






For current temperature, rainfall totals, wind speed, etc. just click on the bar at the bottom to go directly to the Baker Ranch weather station in Kingsbury. You can view local conditions and all the other weather stations in the TexMesonet network.

 [Click here to check out the Texas Water Development Board "Baker Ranch" weather](#)

### Burn Ban Status

There is currently an outdoor burn ban for Guadalupe County. The burn ban imposed by the Commissioners Court has **specific** guidelines for

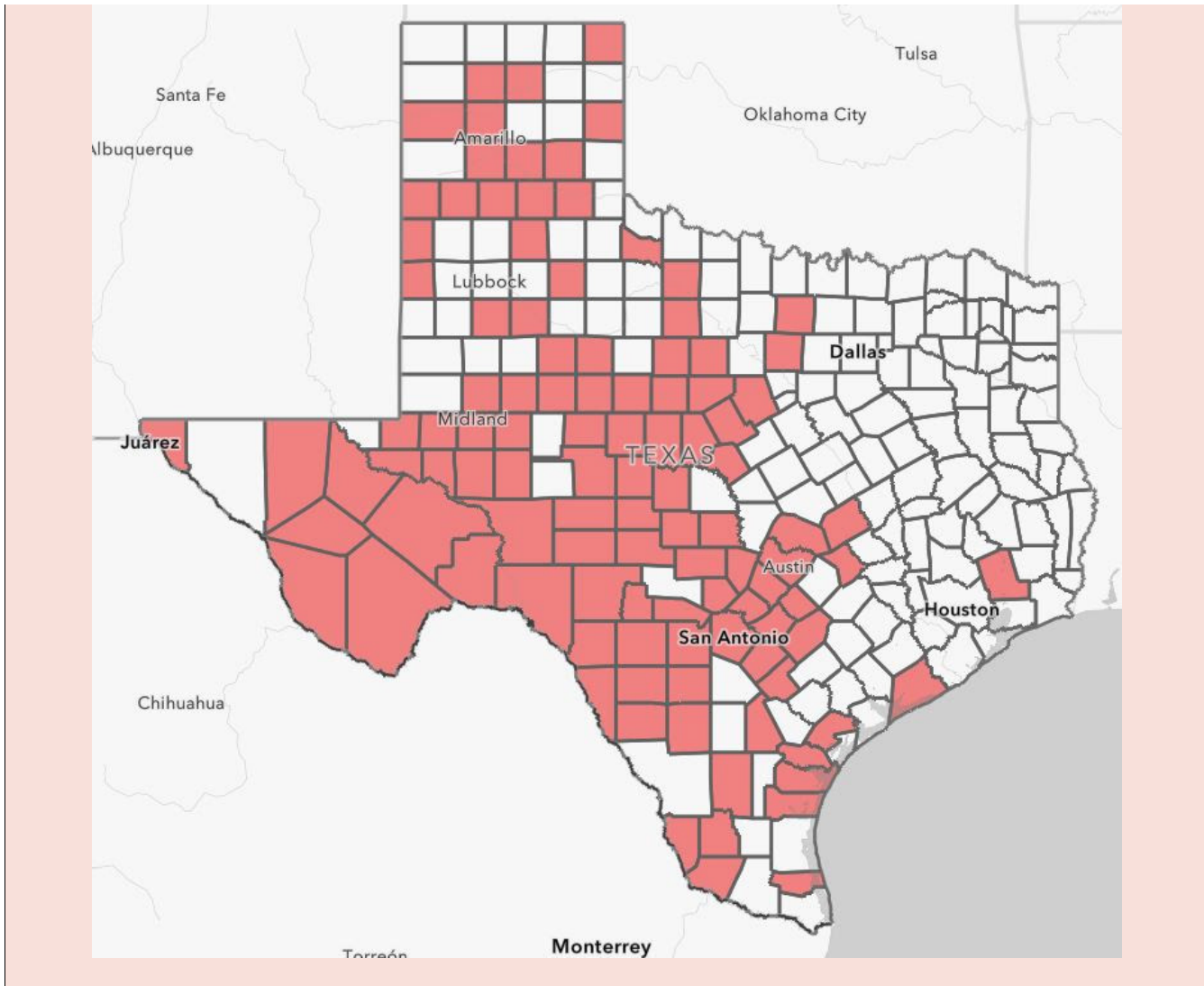
-  Welding, cutting, and grinding or any activity that causes a spark
-  Burning household trash
-  Burning of other items

The official notification with all the guidelines can be found on the Guadalupe County website at <http://www.co.guadalupe.tx.us/>

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As always, please take precautions and report any fire hazards immediately to the Kingsbury Volunteer Fire Department at 639-4499. To report a fire, please dial 911.

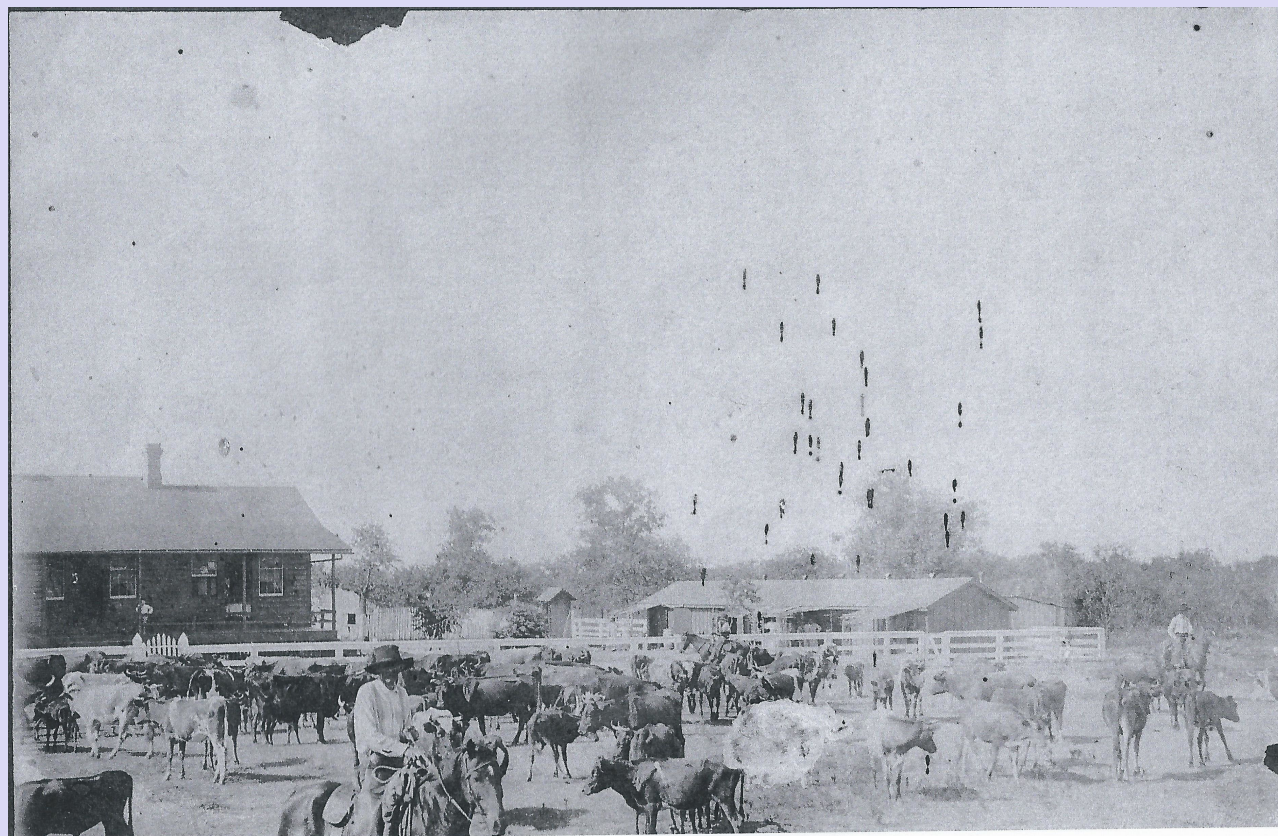
Current burn bans by county in Texas



## Round Up!

This is a picture taken at the pens that were at the Kingsbury Depot. The pens were used to hold cattle and other livestock until being loaded into the railroad cars bound for parts along the line between New Orleans and San Francisco. The gentleman in **chaps** on the horse in the foreground is John H. Schmidt (1853-1932) and one of the riders behind the cattle is John H. Schmidt, Jr. (1887-1936).

John Schmidt was in his horse and buggy in 1932 when he was killed when his buggy was struck by an automobile. He was always very comfortable on a horse and came to Kingsbury from Germany when he was but 8 months old. It was said that the loading pens at the Kingsbury train depot might as well have belonged to him because he used them so frequently!



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Send them this email! All they need to do is go to the [Kingsbury website](#), click on the weird little **dog** at the bottom of any page, and fill out their name and email address. It's so easy! Let's get everybody to be "in the know" about what's going on in their community.



Thanks!

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