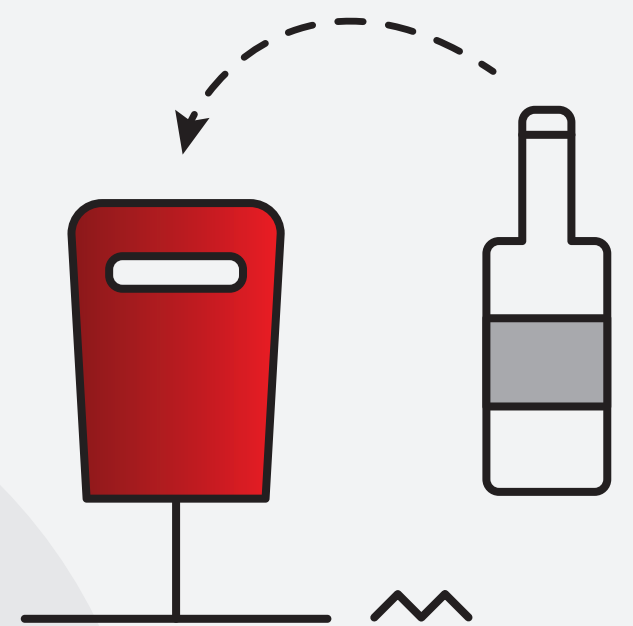


REDUCE THE RISK OF WILDFIRE!



What can I do to reduce the risk of wildfire?

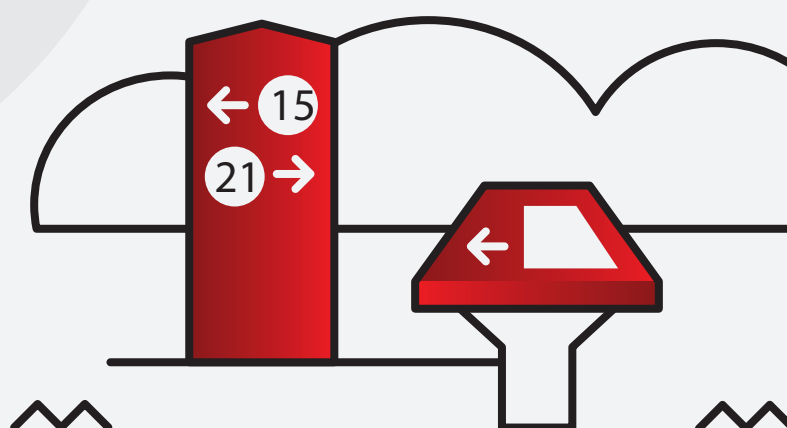
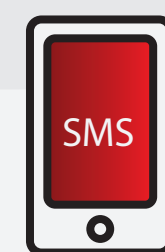
Do not build fires or light barbecues in areas that are not specially designated picnic and barbecue areas. Be sure to have several fire extinguishing agents nearby, such as a garden hose, a bucket of water and a fire extinguisher. These can be used to put out small fires.



Dispose of rubbish in containers marked for this purpose. Smouldering litter and glass can easily spark off a fire.

If you suspect arson...

If you suspect arson, photograph the fire or try to capture it on film. Make a note of the location and of the suspect's distinguishing features. Try to remember such details as the licence plate number of the car. This information will be extremely useful when you dial 112 – the emergency services number.



How do I determine my location?

The emergency services number uses SMS verification and will be able to track your location this way. This is why you should have your mobile phone close to hand. Otherwise, try to determine your location by using the sign posts on bike route intersections or look for the “ANWB (Royal Dutch Touring Club) signpost mushrooms”.



Ensure there is plenty of access space for the emergency services!

Do not park your vehicle in such a way that it blocks forest paths, make sure the paths are clear so that they can be easily accessed.

What should I do if a wildfire starts?

Stay calm and dial 112 so that you can pass on the wildfire's location. Do not attempt to extinguish a large fire. Evacuate the area you are in and head towards a public road or a built-up area. Do not try to outrun the fire by running in front of it, always run at a right angle to the direction the smoke is headed in.

