

Dear Faculty, Staff and Students:

The State Fire Marshal has informed the University that smoking is prohibited throughout Kenan Woods (the wooded area between Kenan Stadium and Campus Health Services) and within 50 feet of the area surrounding Kenan Woods.

This prohibition, based on section 310.8 of the State Fire Code, is separate from the University's statutory authority to ban smoking in outdoor areas controlled by the University within 100 feet of University facilities.

People who violate the smoking ban in and around Kenan Woods will be asked by the University's public safety officers to stop smoking. Anyone who refuses to comply or has been warned previously is at risk of receiving a warning letter, and perhaps a civil summons, from the Office of State Fire Marshal.

The University has updated the campus map outlining the smoke-free areas on campus. In addition, the University continues to offer resources for people who would like to quit smoking. For more information about the smoke-free policy and smoking ban in Kenan Woods, including a link to the campus map, refer to <http://ehs.unc.edu/healthy/smoking.shtml>.

You can direct any questions to the Department of Environment, Health and Safety at 962-5507.

Sincerely,

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Department of Environment, Health and Safety