Wind, humidity levels combine for red flag warning

The National Weather Service in Reno has issued a red flag warning for Reno, Carson City, Minden and the surrounding foothills for July 12 from 3-9pm.

A red flag warning means that critical fire weather conditions will occur.

Winds will be from west at 15 to 25mph, with gusts as high as 35mph. Humidity levels will drop to 10-15 percent.

The combination of dry fuels, gusty winds and low humidity will create critical fire weather conditions.