

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
FOREST SERVICE
GIFFORD PINCHOT NATIONAL FOREST
MOUNT ADAMS RANGER DISTRICT AND COWLITZ VALLEY RANGER DISTRICT
VANCOUVER, WA

FOREST ORDER NO. 06-03-03-23-01

Snagtooth Fire Trail Closure

Pursuant to 16 USC § 551 and 36 CFR § 261.50(a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited on the Mount Adams and Cowlitz Valley ranger districts within the Gifford Pinchot National Forest. These prohibitions will be effective beginning September 1, 2023 until July 15, 2024 unless rescinded.

Prohibitions:

- 1) **Being on a road.** [36 CFR § 261.54(e)].
- 2) **Being on a trail.** [36 CFR § 261.55(a)].

Road Closure Description:

Travel is prohibited on the following National Forest System (NFS) Roads as described below and shown on the attached map (Exhibit A).

NFS Road No. 9300 and spur road No 9341

Trail Closure Description:

Travel is prohibited on all National Forest System (NFS) Trails as listed below and shown on the attached map (Exhibit A).

Trails within the affected area include:

Trail #	Name
1	Boundary Trail (from Elk Pass to intersection with Summit Prairie)
2	Summit Prairie
3	Craggy Peak
3A	Basin Camp
4	Snagtooth
5	Quartz Creek
5B	Quartz Creek Butte
5C	French Creek
17	Stabler Camp
80	Wright Meadows
80A	Snyder Pasture

Exemptions:

Pursuant to 36 CFR § 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this order:

1. Any Federal, State, or County officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.
2. Persons with Forest Service Permit No. FS-7700-48 (Permit for Use of Roads, Trails, or Areas Restricted by Regulation Order), specifically exempting them from this order.

Done at Portland, Oregon this 31st day of August, 2023.

Elizabeth Berger
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Pacific Northwest Region 6

Violations of this prohibition is punishable as a Class B Misdemeanor, by a fine of not more than \$5,000 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or both (16 USC § 551; 18 USC § 3559 and 18USC § 3571).