

Order Number: # 03-04-06-23-24



**U.S. Department of Agriculture, U.S. Forest Service
Coconino National Forest
Red Rock Ranger District**

Emergency Area and Road Closure

PROHIBITIONS

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 36 C.F.R. § 261.50 (a) and (b), the following are prohibited on the National Forest System (NFS) lands and roads in the Red Rock Ranger District, Coconino National Forest, described below and shown on the attached map incorporated into this Order as Exhibit A (the “Described Area/Roads”):

1. Going into or being upon the “Described Area”. **36 C.F.R. §§ 261.52(e).**
2. Being on the road. **36 C.F.R. §§ 261.54(e).**

EXEMPTIONS

Pursuant to 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this Order:

1. Persons with Forest Service Permit No. FS-7700-48 (Permit for Use of Roads, Trails, or Areas Restricted by Regulation or Order), specifically exempting them from this Order or a written determination by a Forest Service authorized officer that a permit is not required under 36 C.F.R. § 251.50(e)(1) or (2).
2. Any Federal, State, or Local Officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting resource in the performance of an official duty.

DESCRIBED AREA/ROADS

As depicted in Exhibit A, all National Forest System lands within the boundary starting at the junction of National Forest System Road (FR) 9239N and FR 644G; following southeast along FR 644G to the intersection with FR 620D; then continuing southwest along FR 620D to the intersection with FR 620E; then west on FR 620E to the intersection with FR 9243H; then northwest along FR 9243H to the intersection with FR

9239N; then northeast along FR 9239N to its intersection with FR 644G. Additionally, the following Forest Roads (FR) are closed:

- FR 644G: from the intersection with FR 9239N to intersection with FR 620D,
- FR 620D: from intersection with FR 620A to intersection with FR 620,
- FR 620: from intersection with FR 620D to end of road (top of Apache Maid Mountain)
- FR 9238J: from intersection with FR 620 to intersection with FR 620D

PURPOSE

This purpose of this Order is to protect public's health and safety from unsafe conditions resulting from the Maid Fire.

IMPLEMENTATION

1. This Order shall be in effect from November 12, 2023 at 08:00 a.m. through March 30th, 2024 at 1800, unless rescinded.
2. A map identifying the Described Area/Roads is attached and made part of this Order as Exhibit A. For a digital version of this Order and Exhibit A, go to <https://www.fs.usda.gov/alerts/coconino/alerts-notice>.
3. Unless otherwise expressly defined in this Order, the terms used in this Order are defined by the regulations of the Secretary of Agriculture, 36 C.F.R. Chapter II, Parts 200-299. If there are terms in this Order that are not expressly defined in the Order or 36 C.F.R. Chapter II, Parts 200-299, their meaning shall be determined by their plain language definitions.
4. A violation of the above prohibitions is punishable as a Class B misdemeanor by a fine of not more than \$5,000 for individuals and \$10,000 for organizations, or by imprisonment for not more than six months, or both. 16 U.S.C. § 551; 18 U.S.C. §§ 3559, 3571, and 3581.
5. Contact the Red Rock Ranger District in Sedona, (928) 203-2900, and Coconino National Forest Supervisor's Office in Flagstaff, (928) 527-3600, for more information about this Order.
6. This Order supersedes any previous Orders prohibiting the same or similar acts on the same Described Area/Roads

Signed and issued on November 12th, 2023.

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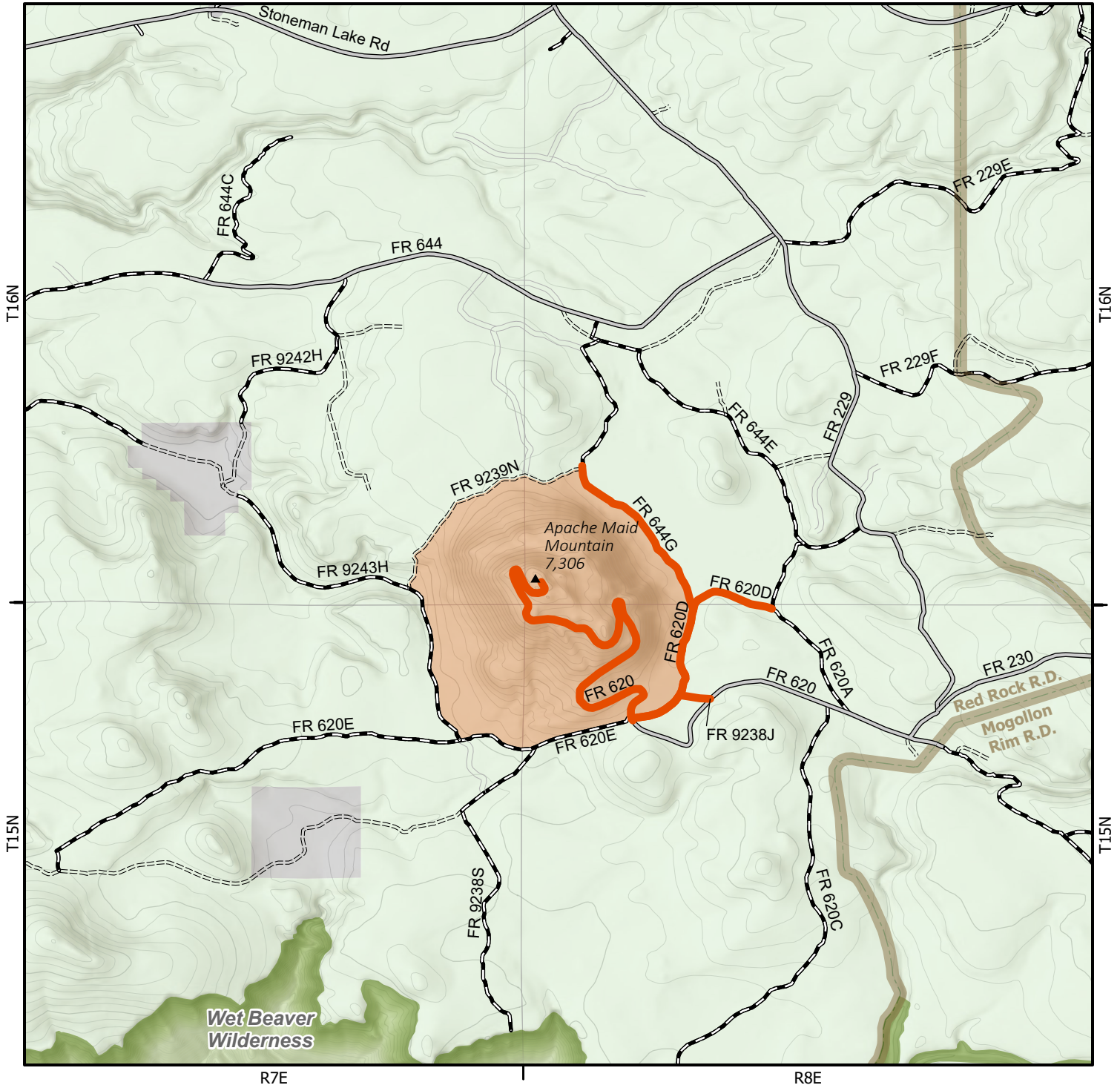


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Maid Fire Area Closure

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Exhibit: A



Forest Order Information

Order Number: 03-04-06-23-24

Start Date: 11/13/2023

End Date: 03/30/2024

Disclaimer

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Described Area - Closed
Described Roads - Closed

0 0.25 0.5 1 Miles



ARIZONA

Yavapai and Coconino Counties



Map Created on 11/8/2023

