



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Forest Service
Okanogan-Wenatchee National Forest
CHELAN, WA

Pioneer Fire Closure

Closure Order: 06-17-02-24-04

Pursuant to 16 USC § 551 and 36 CFR § 261.50(a) and (b), and to provide for public safety, the following acts are prohibited within the Chelan Ranger District of the Okanogan-Wenatchee National Forest. This Order is effective June 12, 2024 and will remain in effect through October 1, 2024 unless rescinded sooner.

PROHIBITIONS:

1. **Entering into or being upon National Forest System lands**, as described below and displayed on the attached map, Exhibit A [36 CFR § 261.53(e)].
2. **Being on a National Forest System trail**, as described below and displayed on the attached map, Exhibit A [36 CFR § 261.55(a)].

CLOSURE AREA DESCRIPTION:

The Pioneer Fire Area Closure is defined as follows:

The closure begins at Point-No-Point in T30N R19E section 36 and proceeds north along the Lake Chelan-Sawtooth Wilderness boundary to where it intersects Trail No. 1259 (Summit Trail) in T31N R20E section 7. The closure follows the downhill (south) side of Trail No. 1259 (Summit Trail) north and west until it intersects the Lake Chelan Nation Recreation Area in T32N R18E section 2. The closure then follows the boundary between Lake Chelan NRA and Lake Chelan-Sawtooth Wilderness south and west to where it intersects Trail No. 1247 (Lakeshore) in T32N R18E section 21, then proceeds south and east along the uphill side of Trail No. 1247 (Lakeshore) to Moore Point in T32N R18E section 33. The closure then follows the shore of Lake Chelan back to its origin at Point-No-Point, excluding any private inholdings.

The Lakeshore Trail No. 1247 remains **OPEN** from Moore Point to Stehekin. The dock at Moore Point also remains **OPEN**, although the campground at Moore Point is **CLOSED**. The Summit Trail No. 1259 is **OPEN**.

The following campgrounds and trails are included in this closure order:

Developed Campgrounds Closed

- Moore Point
- Prince Creek
- Cascade Creek

Trails Closed

- Trail No. 1248 (Lower Fish Creek)
- Trail No. 1248.01
- Trail No. 1248.02
- Trail No. 1248.03
- Trail No. 1248.11
- Trail No. 1248.1 (North Fork Fish Creek)
- Trail No. 1247 (Lakeshore) from Prince Creek to Moore Point
- Trail No. 1254 (North Fork Prince Creek)
- Trail No. 1255 (Prince Creek)
- Trail No. 1250 (Round Lake/Horton Butte)
- Trail No. 1250.1
- Trail No. 1250.2
- Trail No. 1259.11
- Trail No. 1249 (Surprise Lake)

See Exhibit A for closure map.

EXEMPTIONS:

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

1. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire-fighting 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.

These prohibitions are in addition to the general prohibitions in 36 CFR Part 261, Subpart A.

Violations of these prohibitions are punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000.00 for an individual or \$10,000.00 for a corporation, or imprisonment for not more than six months, or both. (16 USC § 551; 18 USC §§ 3551, 3571, and 3581.)

Executed in Wenatchee, Washington this 13th day of June, 2024.

CYNTHIA SANDENO
Acting Forest Supervisor
Okanogan-Wenatchee National Forest

A violation of these prohibitions is punishable 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 and 18 USC §§ 3559, 3571, and 3581.