



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

**Pioneer Fire Closure**

**Closure Order: 06-17-02-24-10**

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 supersedes Order #06-17-02-24-07, dated June 21, 2024 and signed by Cynthia Sandeno. This Order is effective July 10, 2024 and will remain in effect through October 31, 2024 unless rescinded sooner.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)].
3. **Being on a National Forest System Road** as described below and displayed on the attached map, Exhibit A [36 CFR § 261.54(e)].
4. **Use of vehicle off of National Forest System Roads** as described below and displayed on the attached map, Exhibit A [36 CFR § 261.56].

**CLOSURE AREA DESCRIPTION:**

The Pioneer Fire Area Closure is defined as follows:

The closure encompasses much of the Chelan Ranger District north of Lake Chelan. Specifically, the closure begins in T29N R21E section 34 at the Edge of Lake Chelan, and follows T29N line east, to the north and east side of FSR 8020 (Cooper Mountain Road), which is the eastern boundary of the closure. From here, the closure follows the north and east side of FSR 8020 as the road travels north and west to its junction with FSR 8200 in T30N R21E section 17. The closure then follows the boundary between the Chelan and Methow Valley Ranger Districts north and west where it continues until it intersects the Lake Chelan National 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 private land in T32N R18E section 16. From here, the closure follows the USFS boundary along the shore of Lake Chelan south and east back to its origin in T29N R21E section 34.

In addition to the closure area, the following roads will be closed; FSR 8021, FSR 8140, and FSR 8045. FSR 8020 will be closed at gated outside the closure area in T28N R22E southeast ¼ section 3.

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

### **Developed Campgrounds Closed**

- Moore Point
- Prince Creek
- Cascade Creek
- South Navarre
- Poison Creek
- Safety Harbor
- Deer Point
- Antilon Lake
- Mitchel Creek

### **Trails Closed**

Lake Chelan-Sawtooth Wilderness:

- 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)
- 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 (Summit Trail) Trail No. 1259.11 (Moore Mountain)
- Trail No. 1249 (Surprise Lake)
- Trail No. 1257
- 410 A

Sawtooth Backcountry:

- Trail No. 1261 (Safety Harbor)
- Trail No. 1260 (Uno Peak)
- Trail No. 1258 (Summer Blossom)
- Trail No. 1257
- Trail No. 1255.1 (Prince Creek/Cub Lake)
- Trail No. 1255.2
- Trail No. 1255.12
- Trail No. 1255.13
- Trail No. 1259.2
- Trail No. 1259.3
- Trail No. 1259.31
- Trail No. 1259.32
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**Roads Closed**

- FSR 8200 (Grade Creek)
- FSR 8200-117 and FSR 8200-116 (Oss Peak roads)
- FSR 8200-112
- FSR 8215
- FSR 8020-135
- FSR 8020-146
- FSR 8210
- FSR8213
- FSR 8020 (Cooper Mountain)
- FSR 8021
- FSR 8140
- FSR 8045
- FSR 8210-125

**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.

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.

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 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2024. This Order supersedes Order #06-17-02-24-07 dated June 21, 2024.

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CYNTHIA SANDENO  
Acting Forest Supervisor  
Okanogan-Wenatchee National Forest