UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE

Mt. Hood National Forest, Clackamas River Ranger District

FOREST ORDER NO. 06-06-05-24-08

Sandstone Fire Closure

Pursuant to 16 USC § 551 and 36 CFR 261.50 (a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited on the Clackamas River Ranger District of the Mt. Hood National Forest as shown on the attached map (Exhibit A). These prohibitions will become effective August 7, 2024, and will remain in effect until December 31, 2024, or until rescinded.

Going into or being upon National Forest System lands, roads, or trails within the fire closure area.

- 1. **Being on a road.** (36 CFR § 261.54(e))
- 2. **Being on a trail.** (36 CFR § 261.55(a))
- 3. Entering into or being upon an area closed for the protection of public health and safety. 36 CFR § 261.53(e).
- 4. Entering or using a developed recreation site or portion thereof. 36 CFR § 261.58(b)

CLOSURE DESCRIPTION:

As depicted on "Exhibit A," all National Forest System developed recreation sites, roads and trails administered by The Mt. Hood National Forest, Clackamas River Ranger District are closed:

Closed Roads within the Closure Area

- Forest Service Road 4620000
- Forest Service Road 4620340
- Forest Service Road 4620350
- Forest Service Road 4620355
- Forest Service Road 4620360
- Forest Service Road 4620220
- Forest Service Road 6320000
- Forest Service Road 6320019
- Forest Service Road 6320170
- Forest Service Road 6320180
- Forest Service Road 6321000
- Forest Service Road 6322000
- Forest Service Road 6322150
- Forest Service Road 6322160
- Forest Service Road 6322170
- Forest Service Road 6322180
- Forest Service Road 7000000
- Forest Service Road 7000120

- Forest Service Road 7000130
- Forest Service Road 7000140
- Forest Service Road 7010114
- Forest Service Road 7010150
- Forest Service Road 7010160
- Forest Service Road 7010000
- Forest Service Road 7010026
- Forest Service Road 7010220
- Forest Service Road 7010240
- Forest Service Road 7010270
- Forest Service Road 7010300
- Forest Service Road 7015000
- Forest Service Road 7040000
- Forest Service Road 7030120
- Forest Service Road 7030000
- Forest Service Road 7030160
- Forest Service Road 7021120
- Forest Service Road 7020000
- Forest Service Road 7020100
- Forest Service Road 7020120

Closed Trails within the Closure Area

- Skookum Lake Trail #542
- Thunder Mountain Trail #543

Closed Recreation Sites within the Closure Area

- Kingfisher Campground
- Bagby Hot springs
- Pegleg Falls

EXEMPTIONS:

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

- 1. Any person with Forest Service Permit No. FS-7700-48 (Permit for Use of Roads, Trails, or Areas Restricted by Regulation or Order), specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.
- 2. Any Federal, State, or local official or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.
- 3. Owners or lessees of land within the closed area.

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 for an individual and \$10,000 for an organization or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months, or both. [16 USC § 551, 18 USC §§ 3551, 3559, 3571, and 3581].

These prohibitions are in addition to the general prohibitions in 36 CFR part 261, subpart A.

PURPOSE:

The closure is necessary to provide protection of forest users, firefighting personnel, and natural resources from the current Sandstone Fire.

Executed in Sandy, Oregon, this 7th day of August 2024.

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