

U.S. Department of Agriculture, U.S. Forest Service Salmon-Challis National Forest

Red Rock/Black Eagle and Garden Fires Closures

PROHIBITIONS

Pursuant to16 U.S.C. § 551 and 36 CFR 261.50(a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited on National Forest System (NFS) area, roads and trails in the Salmon-Challis National Forest, shown on the attached map incorporated into this Order as Exhibit A (the "Described Area, Roads and Trails"):

- 1. Going into or being upon the Described Area, 36 C.F.R. § 261.52 (e).
- 2. Being on the Described Road, 36 C.F.R. § 261.54 (e).
- 3. Being on the Described Trails, 36 C.F.R. § 261.55 (a).

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/TRAILS

Beginning at Ebenezer Bar on the Salmon River Road 030 south from Ebenezer Bar to Dome Mountain and continuing south to Big Deer Creek Trail 029 on Big Deer Creek, then west to Big Horn Crags Campground and crossing over into the Frank Church River of No Return Wilderness and onto the ridge to the West of Wilson Creek, then going South to Middle Fork Peak. From there along Hoodoo Meadows Trail 043 to the Salmon-Cobalt District Boundary on Camas Creek. Then following the Salmon-Cobalt District Boundary to Meyer's Cove and continuing along that boundary to Morgan Creek Summit, then continuing along that boundary to its intersection with the Forest Boundary in the Hat Creek drainage. Following the Forest Boundary north to its intersection with the Leesburg Stage Road 65002, along this road to the Ridge Road 020, then on Sharkey Creek Road 272 to Leesburg, then due west from Leesburg to its intersection with Jureano Mountain Road 300, then along this road to its intersection with the Moose Creek Road 061, then on Jureano Lookout Road 325 following this road to its end on Trapper Ridge, then north 13 miles to the Salmon River Road 030, then west on the Salmon River Road 030 to Ebenezer Bar.

PURPOSE

The purpose of this order is to protect public health and safety from the effects of the Black Eagle, Red Rock and Garden Fires.

IMPLEMENTATION

- This Order shall be in effect from October 5th, 2024, at 8:00AM until October 31st 2024 or until rescinded.
- 2. A map identifying the Described Road is attached and made part of this Order as Exhibit A. For a digital version of this Order and Exhibit A, go to <u>https://www.fs.usda.gov/alerts/R4/alerts-notices.</u>
- 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 Salmon-Challis National Forest Supervisor's Office in Salmon, Idaho, (208) 756-5100, for more information about this Order.
- 6. This Order supersedes any previous Orders prohibiting the same or similar acts within this area.

Signed and issued on October 05, 2024.

HEATHER DEGEEST Forest Supervisor Salmon-Challis National Forest



Salmon-Challis National Forest- Salmon-Cobalt & North Fork Ranger Districts

Emergency Area Closure- Black Eagle/Red Rock/ Garden Fires Order Number 04-13-24-024 October 5th, 2024

