



# Mt. Hood National Forest

## East Zone Firewood Information Sheet – October 13, 2023

**Free Use Firewood Permits on the Mt. Hood National Forest are free of charge for personal use through November 30, 2023.**

Please visit us during office hours listed below to obtain your firewood permit in person or send us your completed Personal Use Firewood Permit Application: [www.fs.usda.gov/goto/mthood/firewood](http://www.fs.usda.gov/goto/mthood/firewood). We encourage visitors to call the Barlow Ranger District in advance before going to the office, as hours may vary due to staffing.

- Mt. Hood National Forest permits the harvest of up to six cords per household each year for personal use.
- Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.6 (F), firewood obtained under this free use authorization may not be sold or exchanged. Please visit our website or call to inquire about the \$10/cord commercial firewood permit.
- Bring your signed permit, load tags, map, and information sheet with you AT ALL TIMES when gathering firewood, show along with identification if asked by a Law Enforcement Officer.
- **Permits not valid in areas closed to motor vehicles.** Check before selecting your wood-cutting area.
- Pack it in, pack it out! Scatter organic debris from wood cutting, pack out litter, do not cause damage.

<b>Hood River Ranger District</b> 6780 Hwy 35 Parkdale, OR 97041 (541) 352-6002 Monday - Friday 8 a.m. to 12 p.m., 1 to 4:00 p.m.	<b>Barlow Ranger District</b> 780 NE Court St. Dufur, OR 97021 (541) 467-2291 Tuesday & Thursday 8 a.m. to 12 p.m., 1 to 4:00 p.m.
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**No woodcutting is allowed within these active timber sale areas along the following roads:**

Sale	Road System
Ashes Caldera Stew	16, 1600-670, 1610, 1611, 1630, 1640, 1640-620
Keep Stew	3510/Cooper Spur Road 3510-620, 4400-015, 4400-620, 4400-622

**No woodcutting within 2 miles of Clear Lake between April 18<sup>th</sup> and August 31<sup>st</sup>**

**No woodcutting is allowed within these active timber sale areas along the following roads:**

Sale	Road System
Plank TS	4430, 1720, 1720-180, 1722, 1722-013, 4431, 4431-120, 4431-130, 4431-140, 4431-150 Middle Fork Five-Mile area

**NOTE:** In the hatched areas on the map (LSR), you may cut within 100 feet of the road after July 15<sup>th</sup>, this also includes roads (44, 4410, 1700 & 1720) surrounding The Dalles Watershed even though they are greyed out.

**No woodcutting within 2 miles of Rock Creek Reservoir between April 18<sup>th</sup> and August 31<sup>st</sup>**

Please refer to the Fire Closure information MT HOOD ORDER NO. 06-06-00-23-01 Health and Safety Closure Due to Roadside Danger Trees, which affects portions of the Barlow Ranger District cutting area: [www.fs.usda.gov/alerts/mthood/alerts-notice](http://www.fs.usda.gov/alerts/mthood/alerts-notice)

**East Zone (Units 1 & 4) IFPL Level I, Low Fire Danger. Chainsaws must be equipped with .023" or smaller mesh spark arrestor, carry 8" shovel and 8 oz. or larger pressurized fire extinguisher. Remain on site for a one-hour "fire watch" after equipment shutdown to extinguish new starts. Industrial Fire Precaution Level (IFPL) Information: (503) 668-1650**

**PERMIT AND TAGS REQUIRED. THIS SHEET DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A PERMIT.**