Order Number: <u>04-15-04-R</u>

ORDER USDA - FOREST SERVICE COCONINO NATIONAL FOREST FLAGSTAFF RANGER DISTIRCT

CAMPING AND CAMPFIRE RESTRICTIONS

Pursuant to 16 USC 551 and Title 36 CFR 261.50 (a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited in areas as described in this Order on National Forest System lands, roads, and trails administered by the Coconino Forest, in Coconino County Arizona, and as depicted on the attached map, hereby incorporated into this Order as Exhibit A.

PROHIBITIONS:

- 1. Camping is prohibited outside designated dispersed camping areas within the parameters specifically described in this order and specifically shown on the attached map; 36 CFR 261.58(e).
- 2. Building, maintaining, attending or using a fire, campfire or stove fire is prohibited outside designated dispersed camping areas on either side of FR 237; 36 CFR. 261.52(a) Exception: the use of pressurized liquid or gas stove is permitted.

Campfire: means a fire, not within any building, mobile home or living accommodation mounted on a motor vehicle, which is used for cooking, personal warmth, lighting, ceremonial, or aesthetic purposes. Fire includes campfire.

Stove fire: means a campfire built inside an enclosed stove or grill, or a portable barrier, including wood and charcoal fires.

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; and
- 2. Person(s) with a Forest Service permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.

AREA DESCRIBED:

This order affects the Coconino National Forest, Flagstaff Ranger District as shown on the map in Exhibit A. The restricted area includes the area known as Pumphouse Wash and is located along Forest Road 237, Coconino County. The restricted area begins at the junction of HWY 89A and FR 237 located in Section 2, Township 19 North, Range 6 East, and extends north and east into Sections 36, the E1/2 of Section 35, Section 31, Section 25, SW1/4 of Section 24, Township 20 North, Range 6 East and the S1/2 Section 30, Township 20 North, Range 7 East. The area extends south into portions of Section 1, Township 19 North, Range 6 East.

Purpose:

This order is necessary to protect public health and safety from unsanitary conditions and the threat of a wildfire.

Implementation:

- 1. This Order will be in effect when signed and shall remain in effect until April 30, 2025 or until rescinded, whichever occurs first.
- 2. This Order rescinds, replaces, and supersedes any previous Orders prohibiting the same acts covered by this Order in that area addressed in Exhibit A.

Done at Flagstaff, Arizona this 20th day of May, 2015.

SCOTT RUSSELL Forest Supervisor Coconino National Forest

Violations of these regulations is punishable as a Class B misdemeanor, by fine of not more than \$5000 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months or both; 16 USC 551, and 18 USC 3559 and 3571.

