

FOREST ORDER NO. 05-01-22-04  
ANGELES NATIONAL FOREST  
WILLIAMSON ROCK AREA AND TRAIL CLOSURE

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(b), and to protect natural resources and provide for public safety, the following act is prohibited within the Angeles National Forest. This Order is effective from April 19, 2022, through December 31, 2023.

1. Going into or being upon the Williamson Rock Closure Area, as described in Exhibit A and shown on Exhibit B. 36 C.F.R. § 261.53(a).
2. Being on any National Forest System trail within the Williamson Rock Closure Area, as shown on Exhibit B. 36 C.F.R. § 261.55(a).

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.
2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.

These prohibitions are in addition to the general prohibitions contained in 36 C.F.R. Part 261, Subpart A.

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 six months, or both. 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 18 U.S.C. §§ 3559, 3571, and 3581.

Done at Arcadia, California this 18<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2022.

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Exhibit A

The boundary of the Williamson Rock Closure Area begins at the intersection of California State Highway 2 (Angeles Crest Highway) and the Pacific Crest National Scenic Trail in Township 3 North, Range 9 West, Section 7, San Bernardino Base and Meridian; then continues due north to its intersection with Little Rock Creek; then continues due west to its intersection with the Burkhart Trail (Forest Trail No. 10W02) in Township 3 North, Range 10 West, Section 11; then continues due south to its intersection with California State Highway 2 in Township 3 North, Range 10 West, Section 14; and then continues east along the northern edge of California State Highway 2 back to the starting point, as shown on Exhibit B.