FOREST ORDER NO. 05-04-52-23-13 USDA FOREST SERVICE INYO NATIONAL FOREST REDS MEADOW ROAD RECONSTRUCTION

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(a) and (b), and to provide for public safety, the following acts are prohibited within the Inyo National Forest. This Order is effective from September 18, 2023, through December 31, 2023.

- 1. Being on Reds Meadow Road (03S11) between Minaret Summit and Agnew Meadows from Monday through Friday, 24 hours a day, as shown on Exhibit A. 36 C.F.R. § 261.54(e).
- 2. Going into or being upon National Forest System lands within the Reds Meadow Road Reconstruction Closure Area, defined as: all lands within 200 feet of Reds Meadow Road (03S11) between Minaret Summit and Agnew Meadows, as shown on Exhibit A. 36 C.F.R. § 261.53(e).

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.

This prohibition is in addition to the general prohibitions contained in 36 C.F.R. Part 261, Subpart A. A violation of this prohibition 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.

Executed in Bishop California, this 13th day of September 2023.

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