



**U.S. Department of Agriculture, U.S. Forest Service
Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forests
Heber-Kamas Ranger District**

**Yellow Lake Fire Area, Road, Campground, Trail,
Trailhead and Parking Area/Lot Closures**

PROHIBITIONS

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 36 C.F.R. § 261.50 (a) and (b), **the following acts are prohibited** on the National Forest System Yellow Lake Fire Area, Roads, Campgrounds, Trails, Trailheads and Parking Area/Lots in the Heber-Kamas Ranger District, Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forests. Described below and shown on the attached map incorporated into this Order as Exhibit A. This Order will be in effect October 18, 2024, and shall remain in effect until November 25, 2024, unless rescinded.

1. **Being in or upon the Area, Campgrounds, Roads, Campgrounds, Trails, Trailheads and Parking Area/Lots** as described below and shown on the attached map. This includes all pedestrian, hikers, equestrian, bicycles, and any type of motorized vehicle. [36 CFR 261.52 (e)] and [36 CFR 261.53(e)]

EXEMPTIONS

Pursuant to 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this Order:

1. Persons with Forest Service Permit 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.
3. Federal or state administrative personnel in performance of an official duty.

DESCRIBED

The Yellow Lake Fire area closure includes all roads, campgrounds, trails, trailhead, parking area/lots. Starting at the Pine Valley campground going east along the south side of the Provo River to Cobblerest campground then goes east to the forest boundary, south along the forest boundary across Highway 35 to the West Fork of the Duchesne River Road (Forest Service Road #050) going west along the northside of the West Fork of the Duchesne River Road (Forest Service Road #050) to the intersection with Mill Hollow Road (Forest Service Road #054) then going north along the eastside of the Mill Hollow Road (Forest Service Road #054) to Highway 35 then going northwest on the north side of Highway 35 following the forest boundary for approx. 3 miles then north along the forest boundary to Pine Valley group campground located in Township 2 South, Range 7 East, Sections 35-36, Township 3 South, Range 7 East, Sections 1-2, 11-14, 24-25, 36, Township 3 South, Range 8 East, Section 1-

36, Township 3 South, Range 9 East, Section 6-7, 17-21, 27-34, Township 4 South, Range 7 East, Section 1, 11-15, 22-24, Township 4 South, Range 8 East, Section 2-10, 15-19, Township 4 South, Range 9 East, Section 4-6 all within the Salt Lake Meridian as shown on the attached map and Township 1 North, Range 10 West, Sections 1, 2, 9-30, Township 1 North, Range 11 West, Sections 21-29, 32-36 Township 1 North, Range 6 West, Sections 3-10, 15-22, 30; Township 2 North, Range 10 West, Sections 13, 24, Township 2 North, Range 9 West, Sections 19-22, 27-34 all within the Uintah Based Meridian as shown on the attached map.

PURPOSE

To Provide for public and firefighter safety during the suppression of the Yellow Lake Fire.

IMPLEMENTATION

1. This Order will be in effect when signed October 18, 2024, and shall remain in effect until November 25, 2024, unless rescinded.
2. A map identifying the road is attached and made part of this Order as Exhibit A. For a digital version of this Order and Exhibit A, go to [Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest - Alerts & Notices \(usda.gov\)](https://www.usda.gov/land-management/land-use/forest-management/uinta-wasatch-cache-national-forest-alerts-notice).
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 Heber-Kamas Ranger District, Kamas office in Kamas, Utah (435) 783-4338, Heber office in Heber, Utah (435) 654-0470 and National Forest Supervisor's Office in South Jordan, Utah (801) 999-2103, for more information about this Order.
6. This Order supersedes any previous Orders prohibiting the same or similar acts in/on the Area, Roads, Campgrounds, Trails, Trailheads and Parking Area/Lots.

Signed and issued on 17th day of October 2024.

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