

**HELENA-LEWIS AND CLARK NATIONAL FOREST**

Lincoln Ranger District

Lincoln, Montana

**Order No. 01-15-14-16-22**

**Emergency Closure for Public Health and Safety**

*National Forest System Roads*

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(b), the following acts are prohibited on the Lincoln Ranger District of the Helena National Forest:

**Using any type of vehicle prohibited by the order (36 CFR 261.54(a)).**

**Use by any type of traffic prohibited by the order (36 CFR 261.54(b)).**

All use and travel (by any means - including motorized, non-motorized, mechanized, foot traffic, bicycle and stock) is prohibited on the following Forest Service roads (FSR):

**Copper Creek Road – FSR #330;**

located in Sections 9, 10, 15, 22 and 26 of Township 16 North, Range 8 West.

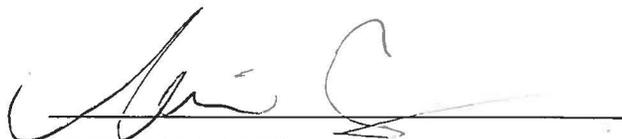
**These travel restrictions are in effect seven days a week from 1200 a.m. through 1159 p.m., beginning August 8, 2016 until August 12, 2016.** This emergency closure order is for public health and safety due to road grading and magnesium chloride application to reduce sediment entering the associated stream.

These prohibitions are in addition to those enumerated in 36 CFR Part 261, Subpart A, and become effective when signed and will remain in effect until AUGUST 12, 2016, or until otherwise rescinded.

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this Order:

1. Persons with a contract or permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.
2. Any Federal, State or Local Law Enforcement Officer or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.

Executed in Helena, Montana, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 2016.

  
WILLIAM AVEY  
Forest Supervisor

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 and 3571].