

**TONGASS NATIONAL FOREST**

Juneau Ranger District  
Ketchikan, Alaska

Order No.: 10-05-33-16-01

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**FOREST ORDER**  
**Emergency Closure for Public Safety**

**National Forest System Road 8552**

Pursuant to 36 CFR § 261.50(a) & (b), the following acts are prohibited on National Forest System Road 8552 located on Borough of Haynes Lands near Excursion Inlet as shown on the attached map.

1. Person(s) are prohibited from operating Motor Vehicles, including Off Highway Vehicles (OHV's) and Over Snow Vehicles (OSV's) across Neva Lake Bridge located South Creek on National Forest System Road 8552

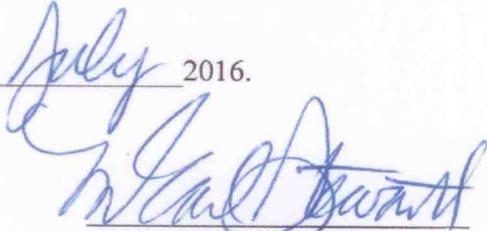
The primary goal of this order is to prevent personal injury or death resulting from a failure of the bridge structure.

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

1. Persons with a permit specifically authorizing this prohibited act or Omission. **36 CFR 261.50(e)(1)**
2. Any Federal, State or local officer or member of any organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty. **36 CFR 261.50(e)(4)**
3. Persons engaged in a business, trade, or occupation in the area with an approved operating plan authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission. **36 CFR 261.50(e)(5)**

These prohibitions are in addition to the General Prohibitions in **36 CFR Part 261, Subpart A**. This Order may be made more restrictive by temporary order issued by the Regional Forester or the Forest Supervisor as needed to promote public safety, and to protect public property and resources.

Executed in Ketchikan, Alaska this, 8 day of July 2016.

  
**M. EARL STEWART**  
Forest Supervisor  
Tongass NF

Violation of these prohibitions is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000.00 for an individual or \$10,000 for a legal entity other than an individual, or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months, or both. (16 U.S.C. § 551 and 18 U.S.C §§ 3559 and 3571)