

IDAHO PANHANDLE NATIONAL FORESTS
Coeur D' Alene River Ranger District
Coeur D' Alene, Idaho

Order No. 01-04-03-16-007

ORDER

Pursuant to Title 36 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 261.50(b) the following acts are prohibited on designated portions of National Forest Service Roads and Trails, as shown on the attached map, within the Idaho Panhandle National Forests. These restrictions are in addition to those general prohibitions in Title 36 CFR, Part 261, Subpart A, become effective **September 14, 2016**, and will remain in effect until rescinded.

Prohibited to go into or be upon any area which is closed for the protection of Public Health and Safety [**Title 36 CFR 261.53(e)**].

Being on or using the following area (National Forest System lands) within the Upper River Prescribed Fire Area Closure is prohibited. Being in the Upper River Prescribed Fire Area Closure is defined by National Forest System lands located within the following boundaries [**Title 36 CFR 261.52(e)**].

All National Forest System lands, trails, and roads with the following area, excluding NFS Roads 208, 6310, 422, 534, 407, 925, 3099 and 2360A. Excluded trails are Trails 20, 22 and 81:

Beginning at the intersection of Van Hoosier Creek and Road 422;
Then westerly along Van Hoosier Creek to Lamb Peak;
Then northerly down the ridge to the junction of Roads 534 and 436;
Then continuing northerly along the east bank of Hamilton Creek to Road 407;
Then continuing northerly to the east bank of Ellis Creek;
Then northeasterly along an unnamed ridge in the SW of the SW quarter of Section 3 to Road 407;
Then northeasterly following Road 407 to the junction with Trail 323;
Then continuing northeasterly down the southern bank of Owl Creek to its junction with Independence Creek;
Then easterly down the southern bank of Independence Creek to its junction with Minor Creek;
Then northeasterly up the southern bank of Minor Creek to Road 3099;
Then continuing northeasterly up Road 3099 to the ridge dividing Mercury and Cataract Creeks;
Then turning southeasterly down the ridge to Amethyst Peak
Then turning easterly down the ridge dividing Burnt Creek and Cataract Creek to the Coeur d' Alene River;
Then continuing easterly across the CDA River and Trail 20 to an unnamed ridge in the north ¼ of Section 32 through Spion Kop (not Spion Kop Rock) and on to Road 600;
Then continuing easterly along Road 600 to the intersection of Trail 81;
Then southerly along the west side of Trail 81 to the Ridge dividing Cinnamon Creek and Taft Creek;
Then turning westerly down the ridge dividing Cinnamon Creek and Stony Creek to Road 208;
Then northwesterly to the terminus of Road 208 and the beginning of Road 6310;

Then continuing westerly and southwesterly along Road 6310 to its junction with Road 422;

Then southerly along Road 422 to the point of beginning where Road 422 meets Van Hoosier Creek.

Being on the following NFS Roads [36 CFR 261.54(e)].

Roads 6310, 422, 534, 407, 925, 3099 and 2360A will be intermittently closed due to firing operations. Barricades and signs will be in place during closures.

Being on the following NFS Trails [36 CFR 261.55(a)].

Forest Service Trails 700, 323 and 309 will be closed for their entire length for the duration of burning operations. Portions of Trails 20 and 22 within the closure area will be intermittently closed due to firing operations. Barricades and signs will be in place during closures.

EXEMPTIONS

Pursuant to Title 36 CFR 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt:

1. Persons with specific written authorization for the otherwise prohibited act or omission.
2. Any Federal, State, or local officer or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official emergency duty.

Report all emergency access to the Coeur d'Alene River Ranger District at (208) 664-2318.

3. Federal or State administrative personnel in the performance of an official duty.
4. Contractor and his personnel in the performance of their duties.

Done at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, this 14th day of September, 2016



Shane Jeffries

Acting Forest Supervisor
Idaho Panhandle National Forests

RATIONALE: These restrictions are necessary for **PUBLIC HEALTH and SAFETY** due to management conducting a control burn in the area.

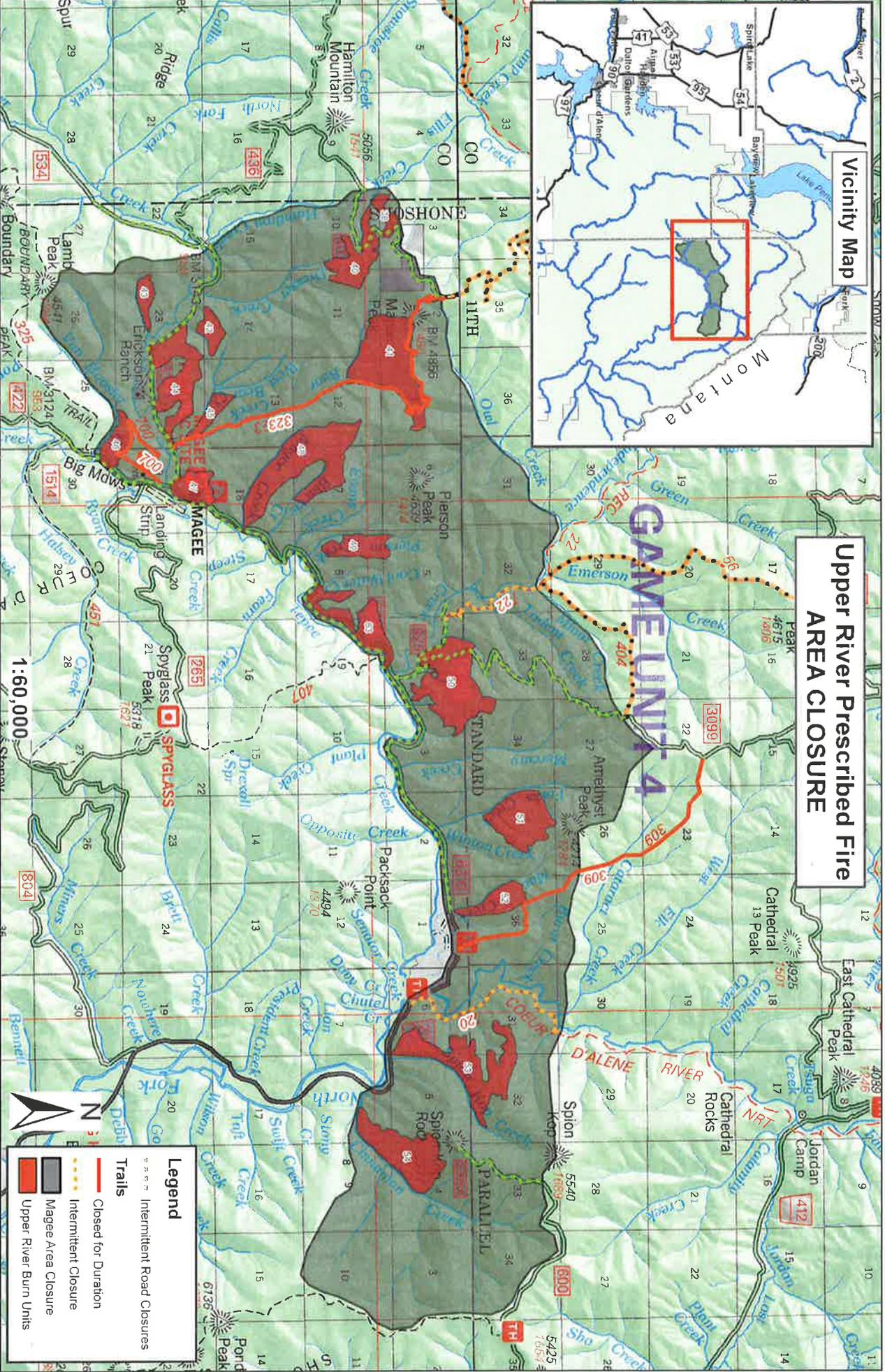
PENALTY: Violations of these prohibitions are punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or both. (16 U.S.C. 551 and 18 U.S.C 3559 and 3571)

NOTIFICATION: A copy of this order shall be posted in the Forest Supervisor's Office, each District Ranger's office and other appropriate locations as prescribed under Title 36 CFR 261.51.

For Additional Information Contact: Coeur d'Alene River Ranger District, 2502 East Sherman Ave.
Telephone: (208) 664-2318.



Upper River Prescribed Fire AREA CLOSURE



Legend

- Intermittent Road Closures
- Closed for Duration
- Intermittent Closure
- Magee Area Closure
- Upper River Burn Units

