

White River National Forest



Current Conditions

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Motor Vehicle Use Maps are available online and at district offices. These maps show which trails and roads are available for motorized travel, and the dates that these trails are open to motorized use. It is your responsibility to understand trail designations and operate within permitted parameters. Motor vehicle use maps also provide information about motorized access to dispersed (non-campground) camping sites.

Food Storage & Camping: Effective June, 2014 – June 2018, visitors must store food in bear-resistant containers or inside vehicles in sealed containers. Approved bear-resistant containers for backpacking can be found [here](#). Please view the Forest Order [here](#).

Seasonal Trail Closures: These trails are closed to all motorized travel 9/1 – 6/20:

- 1809.2, Lost Park
- 1804, Pagoda
- 1804.2, Pagoda Lake
- 1810, Snell

Be prepared for changing conditions and “Know Before You Go”!

Dirt & 4WD Roads	Conditions
Flat Tops Area	
Miller Creek FS 211/212/214	Extremely muddy and rutted with standing water.
- OHV Trail 2212	Steep, muddy/aggressive terrain and conditions
Dead Horse Loop, FS 230	Steep, narrow and aggressive terrain. Expect muddy conditions. 4x4 recommended. Down slope travel is not advised on the west end of the Dead Horse Loop.
East Beaver FS 250	Expect high use and muddy/wet conditions.
- OHV Trails 2270 and 2271	Expect muddy/aggressive terrain and conditions
Yellow Jacket FS 250/260	Access on CR 48 is muddy/‘washboard’. Expect high use of full sized and off highway vehicles. Road is muddy and rough.

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Fawn Creek FS 280	Muddy and wet; ruts are forming.
Moeller FS 290	Road is steep and narrow. Expect high use and muddy conditions.