



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
FOREST SERVICE
PACIFIC NORTHWEST REGION
PORTLAND, OREGON

ORDER NO. 06-00-00-20-02

REGIONAL ORDER OCCUPANCY AND USE
Alcohol and Drug Prohibitions

Pursuant to 16 USC§ 551 and 36 CFR§ 261.50 (a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited upon lands, roads and trails within the National Forest System to include National Forests, National Scenic Areas, National Monuments and National Grasslands administered by the Pacific Northwest Region (Region 6) within the states of Oregon, Washington, California and Idaho as described below. This Order is effective from June 12, 2020 through June 12, 2022, unless rescinded sooner.

National Forest System lands administered by the Pacific Northwest Region:

Colville National Forest	Umatilla National Forest
Deschutes National Forest	Umpqua National Forest
Fremont-Winema National Forest	Wallowa-Whitman National Forest
Gifford Pinchot National Forest	Willamette National Forest Crooked
Malheur National Forest	River National Grassland
Mt Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest	Hells Canyon National Recreation Area
Mt Hood National Forest	Oregon Dunes National Recreation Area
Ochoco National Forest	Cascade Head Scenic Research Area
Okanogan-Wenatchee National Forest	Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area
Olympic National Forest	Mount St Helens National Volcanic Monument
Rogue River-Siskiyou National Forest	Newberry National Volcanic Monument
Siuslaw National Forest	

PROHIBITIONS:

1. Possessing a drug or other controlled substance, or immediate precursor, including schedules I, II, III, IV or V of part "B" of the Controlled Substances Act (21 USC§812) unless such substance was obtained by the possessor directly, or pursuant to a valid prescription order, from a practitioner acting in the course of professional practice, and in a manner consistent with, or otherwise allowed by Federal law. [36 CFR § 261.53 (e)]
2. Possessing, providing, consuming or selling a beverage, which is defined as an alcoholic beverage by State law, by any person under 21 years of age or in an open container in a motor vehicle or off-highway vehicle in violation of State, county, or local law or ordinance. [36 CFR § 261.58 (bb)]

EXEMPTIONS

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

1. Persons with a permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.
2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of any organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.

These prohibitions are necessary to protect public health and safety and to provide the public consistent public health and safety guidelines in the Pacific Northwest Region in alignment with similar State and local laws and regulations.

These prohibitions are in addition to general prohibitions pursuant to 36 CFR Part 261, Subpart A. This Regional Order does not rescind or replace any Forest Order issued under 36 CFR Part 261, Subpart B or other special restrictions pertaining to the described lands

Executed in Portland, Oregon, this 10th of June, 2020

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Violations of these prohibitions is punishable as a Class B Misdemeanor, 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 USC§ 551; 18 USC§ 3559 and 18 USC§ 3571).