UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE

Zigzag Ranger District, Mt Hood National Forest

FOREST ORDER NO. 06-06-09-18-08

Hunchback Mountain Closure

Pursuant to 16 USC § 551 and 36 CFR 261.50 (a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited on the Zigzag Ranger District of the Mt Hood National Forest, as shown on the attached map (Exhibit A). This temporary prohibition will become effective September 12th, 2018 upon signature, and will remain in effect until rescinded or October 12th, 2018.

PROHIBITIONS:

- 1. Going into or being upon an area; public health and safety. 36 CFR 261.53(e)
- 2. Being on a trail. 36 CFR 261.55(a)
- 3. Being on a road. 36 CFR 261.54(e)

CLOSURE AREA DESCRIPTION:

As depicted on the map labeled "Exhibit A" Hunchback Mountain Area described as:

South along the Boulder Ridge Trail Tr. #873A from Wildwood Park to the intersection with Bonanza Trail Tr. #786 east to the Bonanza trailhead and north along the wilderness boundary. South along Salmon River Rd (FS RD 2618) to the Salmon Butte trailhead, continuing south to Salmon Butte, east of Salmon Butte to the Jackpot Meadow Trailhead, north to the intersection with FS RD 2656, west to the intersection with FS RD 2612 and west following FS RD 2612 to Hwy 26, encompasses all areas south of FS RD 2612, east of FS RD 2618, north of the intersecting line between Salmon Butte and Jackpot Meadow Trail, and west of FS RD 309 and 140 from Jackpot Meadow Trail to Trillium Lake.

The following trails are closed: Hunchback Tr. #793, Green Canyon Tr. #793A, Bonanza Tr. #786, Salmon River Tr. #742, Salmon Butte Tr. #791, Cool Creek Tr. #794, Veda Lake Tr. #673, Dry Fir Tr. #674A, Jackpot Meadows Tr. #492, Linney Creek Tr. #499, Eureka Peak Tr. 671, Kinzel Lake Tr. #665, Old Salmon River Tr. #742A, Boulder Ridge Tr. #783A south to the Bonanza Tr. #786 on the Mount Hood National Forest.

Salmon River Road (Forest Road 2618) is closed at the forest boundary. Camp Creek Road (Forest Road 2632) and Still Creek Road (Forest Road 2612) will remain open.

EXEMPTIONS:

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

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

These prohibitions are in addition to the general prohibitions in 36 CFR part 261, subpart A.

PURPOSE:

This closure is necessary to provide protection for forest users from hazards associated with the recent wildlife activity in the Hunchback Mountain Area.

Executed in Sandy, Oregon this 12th day of September, 2018.

Richard Periman

Forest Supervisor

Mt Hood National Forest

9/13/2018 Date

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)