



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
U.S. FOREST SERVICE
CORONADO NATIONAL FOREST
SANTA CATALINA RANGER DISTRICT

TEMPORARY AREA CLOSURE

PROHIBITIONS

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(a), the following acts are prohibited within the area described in this Order (the "Restricted Area") and as depicted on the attached map, hereby incorporated into this Order as Exhibit A, within the Santa Catalina Ranger District, Coronado National Forest, Pima County, Arizona.

1. Parking or leaving a vehicle in violation of posted instructions. **36 C.F.R. § 261.58(g)**
2. Possessing a beverage which is defined as an alcoholic beverage by State law. **36 C.F.R. § 261.58(bb)**

EXEMPTIONS

Pursuant to 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this Order:

1. Persons with a written Forest Service authorization specifically exempting them from the effect of this Order.
2. Any Federal, State or Local Law Enforcement Officer or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.
3. Persons over 21 years of age transporting alcoholic beverages through the Restricted Area, in any mode of transportation, when said beverages have not had their seals broken or the contents have not been partially removed.
4. Persons leaving unoccupied vehicles within the Restricted Area for the purpose of accessing trails.

RESTRICTED AREAS

The Restricted Areas are within Township 11, 12, and 13 South, Ranges 15 and 16 East, specifically all vistas and pullouts along Forest Road 833 (also known as General Hitchcock Highway) as depicted in Exhibit A of this Order. The following vistas and pullouts from the base of Forest Road 833 to Summerhaven are within the Restricted Area: Babad Do'ag Vista,

Molina Canyon Vista, Thimble Peak Vista, Seven Cataracts Vista, Manzanita Vista, Windy Point Vista, Geology Vista, Hoodoo Vista, San Pedro Vista, and Aspen Vista.

PURPOSE

The purpose of this Order is to allow for the protection of public health, safety, and property, and to provide for a continued quality environment. This Order allows Forest Service Law Enforcement Officers to enforce the parking restrictions while also mitigating the ongoing issues of vandalism, public order crimes, littering, noise, and unsafe driving on Forest Road 833, also known as General Hitchcock Highway. In addition, some areas covered by this Order have wildlife species of special concern.

IMPLEMENTATION

1. This Order will be effective on October 8, 2019 at midnight, and shall remain in effect until September 30, 2021, or until rescinded, whichever occurs first.
2. A map identifying the Restricted Areas is attached and made part of this Order as Exhibit A.
3. Exhibit D, "Definitions," is attached and incorporated into this Order.
4. Any violation of this prohibition is punishable as a Class B misdemeanor by a fine of not more than \$5,000 for individuals and \$10,000 for organizations, or by imprisonment for not more than six (6) months, or both (*see* 16 U.S.C. § 551, 18 U.S.C. § 3571(b)(6), 18-U.S.C. § 3581 (b)(7)).
5. Further information regarding this Order may be obtained at the Santa Catalina Ranger District located in Sabino Canyon, telephone number 520-749-8700, and at the Coronado National Forest Supervisor's Office in downtown Tucson, telephone number 520-388-8300
6. This Order supersedes any previous Orders prohibiting the same acts covered by this Order.

Signed in Tucson, Arizona this 8th day of October, 2019.

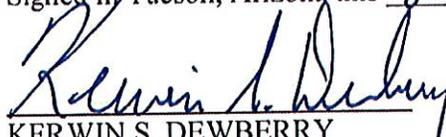
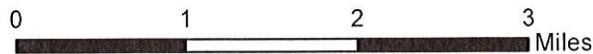
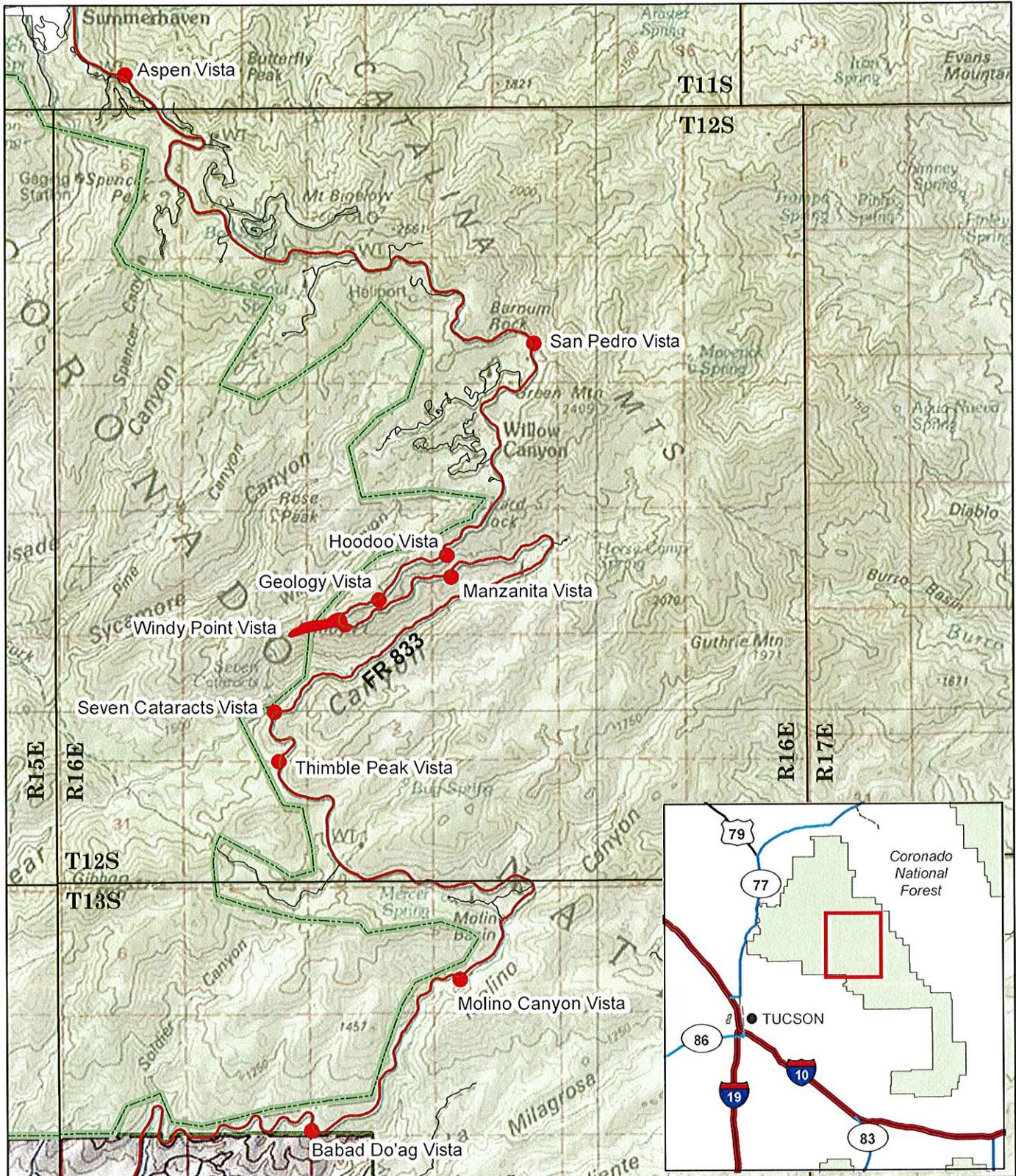

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EXHIBIT D

Exhibit A

General Hitchcock Highway Vistas and Pullouts Santa Catalina Ranger District Coronado National Forest Order Number 03-05-05-19-16

-  Vistas and Pullouts Restricted Areas
-  Forest Roads
-  General Hitchcock Hwy
-  Coronado National Forest
-  Wilderness Boundary



DEFINITIONS:

VEHICLE: Any device in, upon, or by which any person or property is or may be transported, including any frame, chassis, or body of any motor vehicle, except devices used exclusively upon stationary rails or tracks.

For further definitions or clarification of definitions, refer to 36 C.F.R. § 261.2.