

NORTH FORK CLEARWATER RIVER CORRIDOR

The North Fork Ranger District is seeing a big uptick in visitation, campground use and traffic. Please be courteous; drive carefully; and have alternate plans in place in case your favorite campground is full or your go-to dispersed site is taken.

Because of staffing limitations due to COVID-19, potable water is not currently available at North Fork Ranger District campgrounds.

The water system at Washington Creek Campground is inoperable – no water.

Are you an OHV rider? Please remember: off-highway vehicles in excess of 50" in width are not allowed on North Fork Ranger District designated trail systems.

Be sure to contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for road updates or for more information about summer recreation opportunities.

All forest roads are mountain roads with potential hazards. Appropriate caution is required. Single-lane in many places; backing up may be necessary. At a minimum, carry water, a shovel, and an axe.

Road #	Description	Status	Date	Condition
Highway 7	Grangemont Road	OPEN	07/31/20	Grangemont Road is open. If you need additional information, please call the Road Department at 208-476-4813
Highway 11	Greer Grade	OPEN	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.
103	Lolo Weitas	NO REPORT	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.
104	Snowy Summit	NO REPORT	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.
246	Scofield Divide-Sourdough – Camp 60	OPEN	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.
246	Camp 60 to Sheep Mountain Saddle	NO REPORT	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.
247	Headquarters to Bungalow	OPEN	07/31/20	Beaver Creek Road #247 has reopened following a three-week closure. The road closed July 7 due to a culvert replacement project.

				Planned improvements to FRS #247 will likely close Road #247 again as the summer progresses. Be sure to contact the North Fork Ranger Station at (208) 476-4541 for updates.
250	Pierce, ID, to Hoodoo Pass via Black Canyon	OPEN	07/31/20	<p>Road #250 through Black Canyon (south of The Cedars Campground to Kelly Forks) is NOT recommended for trailers/motorhomes. The road is very narrow in places, with steep drop-offs. Please use Deception Saddle Road #255 or consider entering the North Fork Ranger District via Highways 12 and 11 and FSR #250 (French Mountain Road) near Pierce.</p> <p>North Fork RD visitors headed to the Kelly Creek area should expect plenty of traffic on Roads #250 and 255. <i>Please drive carefully!</i></p> <p>Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.</p>
252	Skull Creek	OPEN	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.
255	Kelly Forks, along Kelly Creek and through Deception Saddle	OPEN	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.
535	Hemlock	NO REPORT	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.
547	Hemlock Ridge	NO REPORT	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.
555	Lean-To Ridge	NO REPORT	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.
581	Toboggan Ridge	OPEN	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.
660	Pine Creek	NO REPORT	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.
669	Shanghai Divide	OPEN	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.

677	Clark Mountain	NO REPORT	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.
700	Smith Ridge	OPEN	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.
710	South Skull Creek	OPEN	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.
711	Mush Saddle	OPEN	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.
715	Fly Hill to the boundary of the St. Joe National Forest	NO REPORT	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.
720	Cedars Campground to Fly Hill	NO REPORT	07/31/20	Contact the North Fork Ranger Station (208-476-4541) for updates.

Forest Road Check List

- ✓ Watch for & obey posted speed limits. Forest Service roads can be narrow, rocky, & not meant for high speeds.
- ✓ Be careful braking on gravel roads. Allow more time and distance when coming to a stop.
- ✓ Beware of rocks, boulders, road washouts, downed trees and brush on the roadway.
- ✓ Use appropriate tires for the terrain and conditions you'll be traveling.
- ✓ Remember to stay on authorized roads.
- ✓ Plan appropriately for food, gas, and lodging, which may not be readily available along Forest Service roads.
- ✓ Always carry extra food and water.
- ✓ Always let someone know your plans and stick to those plans.