



**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**  
**FOREST SERVICE**  
**INTERMOUNTAIN REGION**  
**REGIONAL EXPLOSIVES AND EXPLODING TARGETS ORDER**

**PROHIBITIONS:**

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited in the areas described in this Order and depicted on the attached Maps ("Restricted Areas"), hereby incorporated into this Order as Exhibit A, within the Intermountain Region National Forests and National Grasslands in the states of Utah, Nevada, Idaho, Wyoming, California and Colorado. This Regional Order is supplemental to and does not rescind or replace those restrictions at 36 CFR 261 Subpart A, and/or any Forest Supervisor Order issued under 36 CFR 261 Subpart B.

1. Using an explosive; including exploding targets. 36 CFR § 261.52(b)

An explosive is defined as any chemical compound, mixture, or device, the primary or common purpose of which is to function by explosion.

**EXEMPTIONS:**

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

1. Persons with a Forest Service permit specifically exempting them from the effect of this Order.
2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.

**AREA DESCRIBED:**

**(Includes all Forest Service system lands within the Intermountain Region)**

Ashley NF	Humboldt-Toiyabe NF
Boise NF	Manti-LaSal NF
Bridger-Teton NF	Payette NF
Caribou-Targhee NF	Salmon-Challis NF
Dixie NF	Sawtooth NF
Fishlake NF	Uinta-Wasatch-Cache NF

**PURPOSE:**

This Regional Order is necessary for the protection of public health and safety and to provide consistency throughout the Intermountain Region.

**IMPLEMENTATION:**

1. This Order will be effective on July 17, 2020 at 12:01 AM and shall remain in effect until July 17, 2021, or until rescinded, whichever event occurs first.
2. 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 (see 16 U.S.C. § 551, 18 U.S.C. § 3571(b)(6), 18 U.S.C. § 3581 (b)(7)).
3. Maps identifying the Area Described are attached and made a part of this Order.
4. This Order supersedes, rescinds, and replaces any previous orders prohibiting the same acts covered by this Order.
5. Further information regarding this Order may be obtained from the Intermountain Region Regional Office located in Ogden, Utah, telephone number: 801-625-5605, and at the following website:

USDA Forest Service Intermountain Region website:  
<https://www.fs.usda.gov/r4>

Done at Ogden, Utah this day 17 of July, 2020.

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**ATTACHMENT A**  
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