



ORDER NUMBER: R9-10-20-05

**EMERGENCY CLOSURE ORDER OF THE FOREST SUPERVISOR
RESTRICTING OCCUPANCY AND USE, TO WIT:
HIAWATHA NATIONAL FOREST, RAPID RIVER - MANISTIQUE RANGER DISTRICT, MI**

Under the authority of the Act of Congress dated June 4, 1897, as amended (16 U.S.C. 551), and pursuant to the Secretary of Agriculture's Regulations set forth as 36 CFR Part 261, Subpart B (36 CFR 261.50(a) and (b)), the following acts and omissions are prohibited on the Hiawatha National Forest located within Delta County, Michigan. Said areas being described and designated as shown on the map set forth as Exhibit A, which is attached hereto and made a part hereto:

Entering or being upon or in an area described in the Order as being closed pursuant to (36 CFR 261.53(e)) for reasons of public health and safety. The following areas are Ordered Closed until termination of this Emergency Order on September 30th, 2021:

Forest Service Roads: 2685 West of 2224 and East of 2218, 2685A, 2685B, 2685AA, 2685AB, 2685D, A51R, 2684, 2684A, 2684C, 2386, 2386A, 2386B, A51L, 2852, 2772 North Of 2105, 8141, 2851 and all Forest Service administered lands adjacent to and within this road system, see attached map.

THESE RESTRICTIONS ARE NECESSARY FOR PUBLIC SAFETY AND TO PROTECT NATIONAL FOREST PROPERTY/RESOURCES. THEY ARE IN ADDITION TO THE GENERAL PROHIBITIONS SET FORTH IN 36 CFR PART 261. THIS ORDER WILL TERMINATE ON SEPTEMBER 30TH, 2021 OR PRIOR TO THE TERMINATION DATE WHEN WITHDRAWN BY A TERMINATION ORDER OF THE FOREST SUPERVISOR.

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

1. Persons with permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission (36 CFR 261.50(e)(1)); and,
2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of any organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty (36 CFR 261.50(e)(4)).

Violation of these prohibitions is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5000.00 for an individual or \$10,000.00 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months, or both (16 U.S.C., 18 U.S.C. 3559 and 3571).

Executed this 28th day of December 2020, at Gladstone, Michigan.


Cid H. Morgan



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Exhibit A: Clousure Map

