Order No. 05-11-00-20-28
USDA Forest Service
Plumas National Forest
Mt. Hough and Feather River Ranger Districts
Claremont-Bear Fire Emergency Area, Road, and Trail Closure

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C § 551 and 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(a) and (b), and to provide for public safety, the following acts are prohibited within Mt. Hough and Feather River Ranger Districts of the Plumas National Forest. This Order is effective from December 18, 2020, until December 18, 2021.

1. Going into or being within the Claremont and Bear Fires Closure Area, as described in Exhibit A and shown on Exhibit B. 36 C.F.R. § 261.52(e).

2. Being on any National Forest System road within the Claremont and Bear Fires Closure Area, as listed in Exhibit A and shown on Exhibit B. 36 C.F.R. § 261.54(e).

3. Being on any National Forest System trail within the Claremont and Bear Fires Closure Area, as listed in Exhibit A and shown on Exhibit B. 36 C.F.R. § 261.55(a).

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

1. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.

2. Persons with Forest Service Permit No. FS-7700-48 (Permit for Use of Roads, Trails, or Areas Restricted by Regulation or Order), specifically exempting them from this Order.

3. Owners or lessees of land in the Claremont and Bear Fires Closure Area, to the extent necessary to access their land.

4. Persons with a special use permit or contract from the Forest Service authorizing work within the Claremont and Bear Fire Closures area, and their employees, sub-contractors, or agents are exempt from the prohibitions listed about to the extent authorized by the special use permit or contract.

These prohibitions are in addition to the general prohibitions contained in 36 CFR Part 261, Subpart A.

A violation of these prohibitions is 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 six months, or both. 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 18 U.S.C. §§ 3559, 3571, and 3581.

Done at Quincy, California, this 17th day of December, 2020.

CHRISTOPHER CARLTON
Forest Supervisor

This Order supersedes Order No. 05-11-00-20-25, dated November 6, 2020.