

FOREST ORDER NO. 0513-21-41
SEQUOIA NATIONAL FOREST
GIANT SEQUOIA NATIONAL MONUMENT
WESTERN DIVIDE RANGER DISTRICT
WINDY FIRE AREA, ROADS, AND TRAILS 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 the Western Divide Ranger District of the Sequoia National Forest. This Forest Order is effective from November 24, 2021, through June 15, 2022.

1. Going into or being upon National Forest System lands within the Windy Fire 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 Windy Fire Closure Area, as shown on Exhibit B. 36 C.F.R. § 261.54(e).
3. Being on any National Forest System trail within the Windy Fire Closure Area as shown 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, and residents of such private landholdings, to the extent necessary to access their land. Recreation residence permit holders are not exempt from the prohibitions above.

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.

Executed in Porterville, California, this 23rd day of November, 2021.

Teresa Benson

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Forest Supervisor
Sequoia National Forest

This Order supersedes Forest Order No. 0513-21-35, dated October 8, 2021.

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EXHIBIT A

The boundary of the Windy Fire Closure Area begins in the northwest corner of Section 15, Township 21 South, Range 31 East, Mount Diablo Base & Meridian (MDB&M), then continues due east approximately 3 miles to its intersection with the northeast corner of Section 13, then continues due south approximately 2.5 miles to its intersection with the northwest corner of Section 31, T.21S., R.32E., MDB&M, then continues due east approximately 2 miles to its intersection with the southeast corner of Section 28, then continues due north approximately 2 miles to its intersection with the northwest corner of Section 21, then continues due east approximately 2 miles to its intersection with the northeast corner of Section 22, then continues due south approximately 1 mile to its intersection with the northwest corner of Section 26, then due east approximately 1.1 miles to its intersection with Lloyd Meadow Road (Forest Road No. 22S82) in Section 25, then continues south approximately 8 miles along Lloyd Meadow Road to its intersection with Dry Meadow Road, (Forest Road No. 22S53) in northwest corner of Section 22, T.22S., R.32E., MDB&M, then continues south along the Forest Boundary approximately 2 miles to its intersection with the northeast corner of Section 28, then continues due south approximately 1 mile to its intersection with the southeast corner of Section 28, then continues west approximately 0.8 miles to its intersection with the Forest Boundary in Section 28, then continues approximately 3.5 miles along the Forest Boundary to its intersection with Section 4, T.23S., R.32E., MDB&M, then continues approximately 0.5 miles to its intersection with the northeast corner of Section 4, then continues approximately 8 miles south to its intersection with the southeast corner of Section 9, T.24S., R.32E., MDB&M, then continues west approximately 2 miles to its intersection with the northeast corner of Section 18, then continues approximately 1 miles south to its intersection with the southeast corner of Section 18, then continues due west approximately 3 miles to its intersection with its intersection with County Road 9 in the southeast corner of Section 15, T.24S. R.31E., MDB&M, then continues north approximately 1 mile along County Road 9 to its intersection with Capinero Road

(Forest Road No. 23S05) in Section 15, then continues north approximately 2 miles along Capinero Road to its intersection with the southwest corner of Section 10, then north approximately 4 miles to its intersection with southeast corner of Section 21, then continues approximately 2 miles due west to its intersection with the southwest corner of Section 20, then continues approximately 3 miles north to its intersection with the southeast corner of Section 6, T.23S., R.31E., MDB&M, then continues approximately 1 mile west to its intersection with the southwest corner of Section 6, then continues approximately .75 miles to its intersection with the southeast corner of Section 36, T.22S., R.30E., MDB&M, then continues west approximately 1 mile to its intersection with the southwest corner of Section 36, then continues approximately .5 miles north to its intersection with the Forest Boundary in the northwest corner of Section 36, then continues east approximately 4.5 miles along the Forest Boundary to its intersection with the southwest corner of Section 27, T.22S., R.31E., then continues approximately 9 miles due north to the starting point as shown Exhibit B.