



Order Number 19-08-06
USDA Forest Service
Lake Tahoe Basin Management Unit
Camping and Fire Restrictions

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(a) and (b), and to protect natural resources and promote public safety, the following acts are prohibited within the Lake Tahoe Basin Management Unit. This order is effective from July 30, 2008, through July 30, 2010.

1. Camping except in the locations listed below:
 - a. The fee campgrounds shown on Exhibit 1.
 - b. Designated campsites in the Watson Lake, Blackwood Canyon, Luther, and Buck Lake areas, as shown on Exhibit 1. Designated campsites are marked by a numbered post and a metal campfire ring with a hinged grill.
 - c. Within 300 feet of the Tahoe Rim Trail.
 - d. Within Desolation Wilderness with a valid overnight permit.
 - e. Within 300 feet of the Pacific Crest National Scenic Trail. However, this exception does not apply on the Pacific Crest National Scenic Trail from its intersection with U.S. Highway 50, north to the boundary of the Desolation Wilderness.
 - f. Within 300 feet of the Genoa Peak Road (Forest Road 14N32) from its intersection with the White Hill Spur Road (Forest Road 14N32), south to its second intersection with Logan House Loop Road (Forest Road 14N33), as shown on Exhibit 3. Also within 100 feet of the Logan House Loop Road (Forest Road 14N33), as shown on Exhibit 3.
 - g. The Meiss Management area, as shown on Exhibits 1 and 4, and the Mount Rose Wilderness area, as shown on Exhibit 1.
 - h. Within 100 feet of the McKinney Rubicon Road (Forest Road 14N34) from the Off-Highway Vehicle staging area, west to the boundary of the Tahoe National Forest, as shown on Exhibit 2.
 - i. The Lost Lake and Duck Lake area, as shown on Exhibit 2. 36 CFR 261.58(e).
2. Camping for more than seven consecutive days in any one of the following areas: Blackwood Canyon, Luther, Watson Lake, and Buck Lake. 36 CFR 261.58(a).
3. Camping for a combined total of more than 14 days in the Blackwood Canyon, Luther, Watson Lake, and Buck Lake areas or in any single fee campground during any calendar year. 36 CFR 261.58(a).
4. Camping for a combined total of more than 14 days during any calendar year in the areas described in prohibition numbers 1.d. through 1.i., above. 36 CFR 261.58(a).

5. Building, maintaining, attending or using a fire, campfire, or charcoal fire except in areas or situations listed below:
- a. Persons are allowed to build fires without a Campfire Permit in a fee campground, developed picnic or beach site, or a designated campsite in the Watson Lake, Blackwood Canyon, Luther, and Buck Lake areas, if the fire is contained with a metal campfire ring or barbeque provided by the Forest Service.
36 CFR 261.52(a).
 - b. Persons are allowed to build fires with a valid California Campfire Permit in the areas described in prohibition number 1.g. through 1.i. above.
 - c. Persons with a valid California Campfire Permit may use a portable stove or lantern using gas, jellied petroleum, or pressurized liquid fuel, in all areas described in prohibition numbers 1.a. through 1.i. with the exception of 1.d. where a valid overnight wilderness permit serves as a campfire permit.
36 CFR 261.52(a).

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

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

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

Done at South Lake Tahoe, California, this 10 day of Sept, 2008.



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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 USC 551 and 18 USC 3559 and 3571.