

ORDER NO. 14-03

SEQUOIA NATIONAL FOREST
KERN RIVER RANGER DISTRICT
NATIONAL FOREST SYSTEM TRAILS AND ROADS

Pursuant to 16 USC 551 and 36 CFR 261.50(b), and to provide for public safety and protect natural resources, the following acts are prohibited within the Kern River Ranger District of the Sequoia National Forest. This Order does not apply to the use of tracked-over-the-snow vehicles when there is snow on the trail or road. For the purposes of this Order, a tracked vehicle is defined as any vehicle propelled and/or steered by cleated belts or tracks, and a wheelchair is not considered to be a motorized vehicle. This Order is effective from January 22, 2014 through June 30, 2014.

1. Using any type of motorized vehicle on the National Forest System trails listed below.
 - a. Sherman Jeep Trail (Forest Trail No. 33E48), as shown on Exhibit A.
 - b. North Meadow Jeep Trail (Forest Trail No. 33E29) from its intersection with Sherman Pass Road (Forest Road No. 22S05) then north 1.7 miles to its intersection with the Sherman Jeep Trail (Forest Trail No. 33E48), as shown on Exhibit A.
 - c. Monache Jeep Trail (Forest Trail No. 34E38) from its intersection with Powell Meadow Road (Forest Road No. 21S36) then north 1.8 miles to the boundary of the Sequoia National Forest, as shown on Exhibit A.
 - d. McIver's Jeep Trail (Forest Trail No. 36E52) from its intersection with the Horse Canyon Road (Forest Road No. 27S11) then north 5.5 miles to its terminus at McIver's cabin, as shown on Exhibit B.

36 CFR 261.55(b).

2. Using any type of motorized vehicle on the National Forest System roads listed below and shown as closed on Exhibit C.
 - a. Blackrock East Road (Forest Road No. 21S41) from its intersection with Sherman Pass Road (Forest Road No. 22S05) then north 2.2 miles to its terminus.
 - b. Boone Meadow Road (Forest Road No. 22S20) from its intersection with Sherman Pass Road (Forest Road No. 22S05) then south and west 3.2 miles to its terminus.
 - c. Beach Road (Forest Road No. 21S02) from its intersection with Sherman Pass Road (Forest Road No. 22S05) then north 6.8 miles to its terminus.

- d. East Beach Creek Road (Forest Road No. 20S25) from its intersection with Blackrock Road (Forest Road No. 21S03) then north 4.4 miles to the boundary of the Sequoia National Forest.
- d. Albanita Road (Forest Road No. 21S01) from its intersection with Sherman Pass Road (Forest Road No. 22S05) then north 2.8 miles to its terminus at Jackass Meadow.
- e. Mahogany Road (Forest Road No. 21S32) from its intersection with Sherman Pass Road (Forest Road No. 22S05) then south 2.9 miles to its terminus.
- f. Cherry Hill Road (Forest Road No. 22S12) from its intersection with Sherman Pass Road (Forest Road No. 22S05) then south 23.5 miles to its terminus at Little Cannell Meadow.
- g. Poison Creek Road (Forest Road No. 23S14) from its intersection with Cherry Hill Road (Forest Road No. 22S12) then north 2.5 miles to its terminus.
- h. Sherman Pass Road (Forest Road No. 22S05) from its intersection with Cherry Hill Road (Forest Road No. 22S12) then east approximately 19 miles to its intersection with Sam Lewis Road (Forest Road No. 21S97).
- i. Smith Road (Forest Road No. 21S36) from its intersection with Blackrock Road (Forest Road No. 21S03) then east 1.8 miles to its terminus.
- j. Sam Lewis Road (Forest Road No. 21S97) from its intersection with Sherman Pass Road (Forest Road No. 22S05) then southwest 1.5 miles to its terminus.
- k. Blackrock Road (Forest Road No. 21S03) from its intersection with Sherman Pass Road (Forest Road No. 22S05) then north 8.4 miles to the boundary of the Sequoia National Forest.
- l. Powell Road (Forest Road No. 20S22) from its intersection with Smith Road (Forest Road No. 21S36) then northeast 0.9 miles to its terminus.
- m. Bear Trap Road (Forest Road No. 21S19) from Beach Road (Forest Road No. 21S02) then south 4.5 miles to its terminus.

36 CFR 261.54(a).

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

1. Persons with a permit from the Forest Service specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.
2. 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.

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 USC 551 and 18 USC 3559, 3571, and 3581.

Executed in Porterville, California, this 21st day of January 2014.

A handwritten signature in purple ink, appearing to read 'KEVIN B. ELLIOTT', is written over a horizontal line. The signature is highly stylized and somewhat illegible due to the cursive and overlapping nature of the strokes.

KEVIN B. ELLIOTT
Forest Supervisor
Sequoia National Forest

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JEEP TRAIL CLOSURES

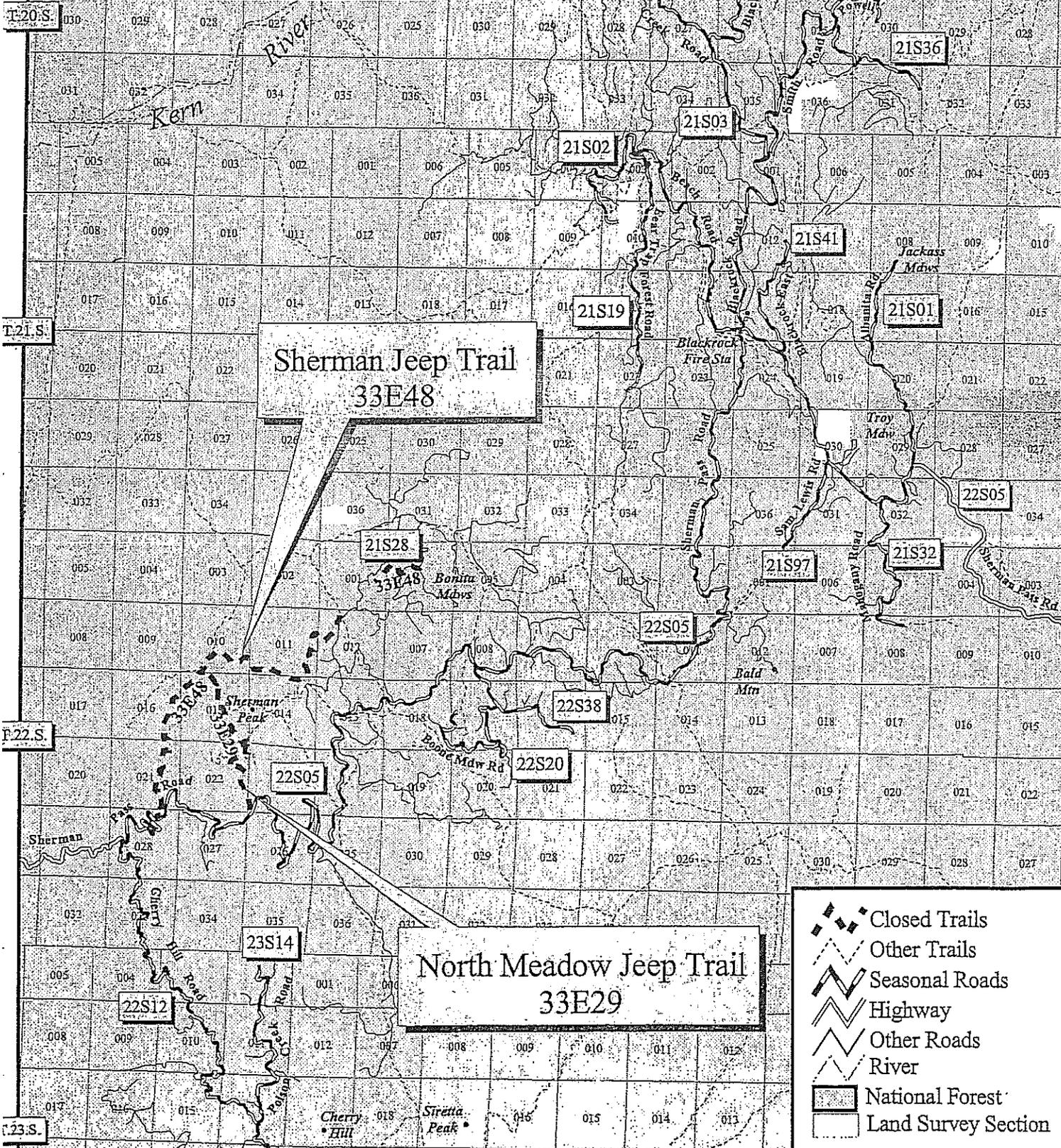


Monache Jeep Trail
34E38

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Sherman Jeep Trail
33E48

North Meadow Jeep Trail
33E29



- Closed Trails
- Other Trails
- Seasonal Roads
- Highway
- Other Roads
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- National Forest
- Land Survey Section

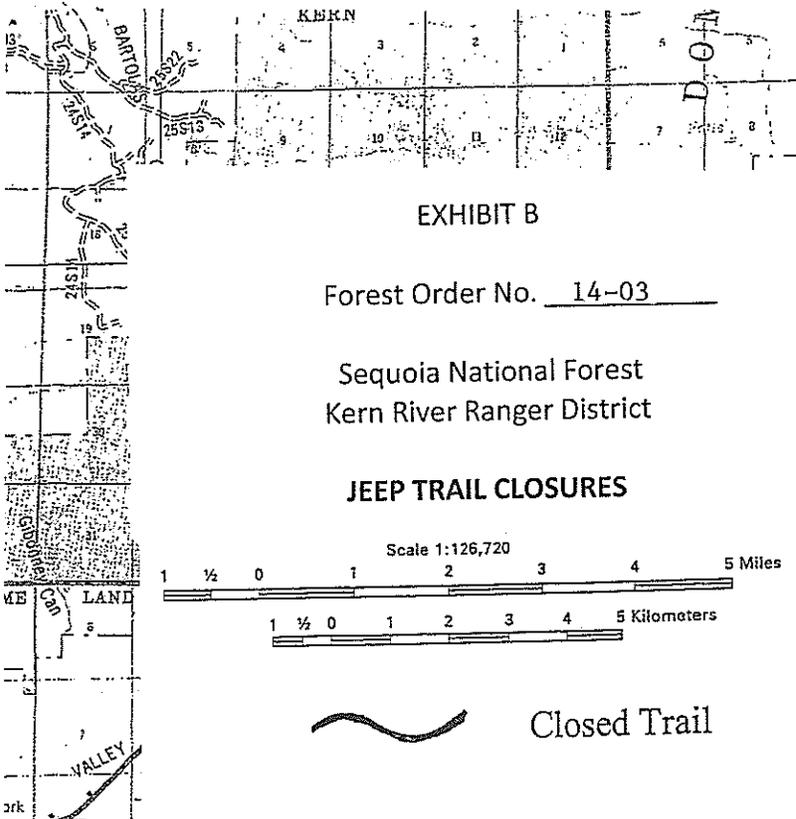


EXHIBIT B

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 Closed Trail

