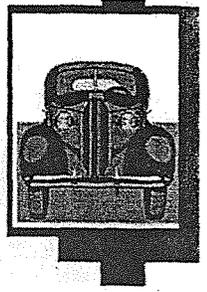


Transportation System Management

General

◇ 9101. Any new road will be closed to public use unless the project decision approving its construction specifically designates it as open to public use, and until it is so designated on the MVUM.

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g. Seasonal travel restrictions are required:

- (1) To avoid unsafe conditions or to prevent unacceptable damage to soil and water resources due to weather or seasonal conditions;
- (2) To prevent unacceptable wildlife conflict or habitat degradation;
- (3) To meet a seasonal public and administrative need; or
- (4) For area protection or non-use.

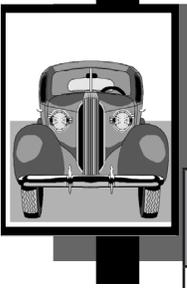
STANDARD

◇ 9102. With regard to management of motorized travel, management areas are designated as allowed, restricted, or prohibited for road, off-road and snow travel. The need for modifying motorized travel opportunities within management areas may be identified during project planning and will be accomplished through project decisions. Existing travel orders will continue in effect as part of the Revised Forest Plan unless changed by management area direction. Motorized off-highway vehicle travel opportunities and restrictions, both those listed in the table below and any modified through project decisions, will be displayed on the MVUM or contained in a Forest Travel Order. Implementation of Forest Travel Orders on the ground shall be in compliance with the Forest Access Management Guide. **STANDARD**

◇ 9103. Management of motorized vehicle travel is summarized in the following table. Motorized off-road travel is allowed only for purposes of game retrieval and dispersed camping, as shown on the MVUM (except for specific exceptions specified in the Travel Rule). **GUIDELINE**

MGMT AREA NUMBER	MANAGEMENT AREA	MOTORIZED ROAD TRAVEL	MOTORIZED OFF-ROAD TRAVEL	SNOWMOBILE ON SNOW
1.1A	Black Elk Wilderness	Prohibited	Prohibited	Prohibited
*2.2	Research Natural Areas	Prohibited	Prohibited	Prohibited
3.1	Botanical Areas	Restricted*	Prohibited	Restricted*
3.2A	Inyan Kara Mountain	Prohibited	Prohibited	Prohibited
3.31	Backcountry Motorized Vehicle Recreation Emphasis	Allowed	Restricted**	Allowed
3.32	Backcountry Non-motorized Recreation Emphasis	Prohibited	Prohibited	Restricted*
3.7	Late Successional Forest Landscape (Formerly Old Growth)	Restricted*	Prohibited	Restricted*
4.1	Limited Motorized Use and Forest Product Emphasis	Restricted*	Prohibited	Restricted*
4.2A	Spearfish Canyon (Formerly Spearfish Canyon Scenic Byway)	Restricted*	Prohibited	Restricted*
4.2B	Peter Norbeck Scenic Byway (Section within the Norbeck Wildlife Preserve)	Restricted*	Prohibited	Restricted*

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MGMT AREA NUMBER	MANAGEMENT AREA	MOTORIZED ROAD TRAVEL	MOTORIZED OFF-ROAD TRAVEL	SNOWMOBILE ON SNOW
5.1	Resource Production Emphasis (Formerly Forest Products)	Allowed	Allowed	Allowed
5.1A	Southern Hills Forest and Grassland Areas	Allowed	Allowed	Allowed
5.2A	Fort Meade VA Hospital Watershed	Restricted*	Prohibited	Restricted*
5.3A	Black Hills Experimental Forest	Allowed	Allowed	Allowed
5.3B	Sturgis Experimental Watershed	Restricted*	Prohibited	Restricted*
5.4	Big Game Winter Range Emphasis (Formerly Low-Elevation Wildlife Habitat)	Restricted***	Restricted***	Restricted*
5.4A	Norbeck Wildlife Preserve	Restricted*	Prohibited	Restricted*
5.43	Big Game and Resource Production (Formerly Elk Habitat)	Restricted*	Prohibited	Restricted*
5.6	Forest Products, Recreation and Big Game Emphasis	Allowed	Allowed	Allowed
8.2	Developed Recreation Complexes (Formerly Concentrated Public Use Areas)	Restricted*	Prohibited	Restricted*

* To Designated Routes

** To Designated Trails

*** Seasonal or Year Long Restrictions May Apply

9104. Motorized vehicles may be used on restricted areas and roads to accomplish administrative purposes. **GUIDELINE**

9105. Construct temporary roads when there is a one-time need for a transportation facility. Return the road to vegetative production when the one-time need is fulfilled. **STANDARD**

9106. Obliterate forest development roads when project decisions indicate they are no longer needed to achieve management activities, or where resource damage cannot be mitigated. Inventory and obliterate non-forest development road travelways during project planning and implementation. **STANDARD**

Transportation and Travel Management in Riparian Areas and Wetlands

9107. Prohibit land vehicles from entering perennial streams where resource damage would occur except to cross at specified points. **GUIDELINE**

9108. Vehicular traffic, except for snowmobiles, will be restricted to roads and trails in riparian areas. **GUIDELINE**

9109. Walk-in fisheries are closed to motorized travel. **GUIDELINE**