

FOREST ORDER

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RIO GRANDE NATIONAL FOREST

Road Closure East Pass Creek FSR 781

Pursuant to 16 United States Code (U.S.C.) § 551 and 36 Code of Federal Regulations (C.F.R.) § 261.50(b), the following act is prohibited on FSR (Forest Service Road) 781, East Pass Creek Road (the "Restricted Road") on the Saguache Ranger District of the Rio Grande National Forest, Saguache County, State of Colorado.

The Restricted Road is further defined as being located in T45N, R4E, S33. The Restricted Road is depicted on the attached map hereby incorporated into this Order as Exhibit A.

The purpose of this Closure Order is to provide Within the Buffalo Pass Vegetation Treatment Unit 1 with short-term resource protection.

PROHIBITION:

Operating or possessing a motor vehicle on the Restricted Road. 36 C.F.R. § 261.54(e)

EXEMPTIONS:

Pursuant to 36 C.F.R. § 261.54(e), the following persons are exempt from this order:

- 1) Any Federal, State or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force engaged in the performance of an official duty;
- 2) Persons with a Forest Service permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.

This Order will be in effect from 12:00 AM, Wednesday, April 29, 2014 and shall remain in effect until rescinded or until August 25, 2014, whichever event occurs first.

Done at Monte Vista, Colorado, this 29 day of April, 2014.

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Forest Supervisor, Rio Grande National Forest

Violations of these regulations is punishable as a Class B misdemeanor, 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 (6) months, or both. 16 U.S.C § 551 and 18 U.S.C. §§ 3571 and 3559.

Rio Grande National Forest Closure Order RG-2014-03 Exhibit A

FSR 781 Highlighted in yellow closed to motorized use.

