

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

ROGUE RIVER-SISKIYOU NATIONAL FOREST

Wild Section

National Wild and Scenic Rogue River

EXTREME FIRE DANGER

Pursuant to Title 36 CFR section 261.50 (a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited within the boundaries of the Wild section of the Rogue National Wild and Scenic River, described in this order, located within the Rogue River-Siskiyou National Forest, during the annual Oregon Department of Forestry Southwest Oregon declared closed fire season until November 30, 2014, unless sooner rescinded:

1) **Building, maintaining, attending or using a fire except:**

- a. In commercially produced pressurized liquid or gas stoves. Cooking areas are to be naturally free of vegetation below the high water mark from Marial downstream to the mouth of Watson Creek. Each group must have a shovel and bucket. [36 CFR 261.52 (a)]

2) **Smoking except within the following locations:**

- a. While aboard a watercraft while navigating, or at rest, on a waterway. [36 CFR 261.52 (c)]
- b. On sand and gravel bars between the river and the high water mark naturally free of flammable vegetation. [36 CFR 261.52 (c)]

Description of River Corridor

The Wild section of the Rogue Wild and Scenic River beginning at the Forest boundary in the southwest ¼ of the southeast ¼ of Section 9, T.33S., R.10W., following downriver in a south-westerly direction to the mouth of Watson Creek in the northeast ¼ of the northeast ¼ of Section 17, T.34S., R.11W.

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

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

- 1) Persons with a permit 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.

This order will become effective July 19, 2014, at 0001 hours.

Done at Medford Oregon this 18th day of July 2014.

/s/ *Robert G. MacWhorter*

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Violations of these prohibitions is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5000.00 for an individual or \$10,000.00 for an organization or imprisonment for not more than six months, or both. [16 USC 551 and 18 USC 3559 and 3571]