

FOREST ORDER

USDA FOREST SERVICE
 PIKE NATIONAL FOREST
 South Platte Ranger District

Occupancy and Use

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited on those National Forest System lands within the Guanella Pass Corridor and Geneva Creek Road areas of the South Platte Ranger District, Pike National Forest (hereinafter, the "Restricted Areas"), and the roads and trails located within the Restricted Areas. The Restricted Areas and the Restricted Roads and Trails are located in Park and Clear Creek Counties, Colorado, as depicted on the attached map, which is hereby incorporated into the Order as Exhibit A.

The Restricted Areas are further defined as: 1) That area within ¼ mile of Guanella Pass Road from Grant to the summit of Guanella Pass and that area within ¼ mile of NFSR 119 (Geneva Creek Road) between the intersection of Park County Road 62 and NFSR 119 and for one mile from the intersection on NFSR 119; 2) The Threemile Trailhead, the Abyss Trailhead, and the Burning Bear Trailhead parking lots; and 3) the Geneva Creek Picnic Ground (PG), Whiteside Campground (CG), and Duck Creek Picnic Ground areas.

The purpose of this Order is for the protection of public health and safety.

PROHIBITIONS IN THE RESTRICTED AREA:

1. Camping in the Restricted Areas identified in # 1 above. 36 C.F.R. § 261.58(e).
2. Going into or being upon the Restricted Areas identified in # 2 above. 36 C.F.R. § 261.53(e).

EXCEPT: Between sunrise and sundown on Saturdays, Sundays, or Federal Holidays.

3. Going into or being upon the Restricted Areas identified in # 3 above. 36 C.F.R. § 261.53(e).
4. Parking or leaving a vehicle in violation of posted instructions in the Restricted Areas identified in # 1, # 2, and # 3 above. 36 C.F.R. § 261.58(g)

EXEMPTIONS:

Pursuant to 36 C.F.R. § 261.50 (e), the following persons are exempt from this Order:

1. Any federal, state, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force, in the performance of an official duty.
2. Persons with a valid Forest Service permit or contract specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act.

This Order shall remain in effect from June 20, 2014, through June 20, 2019.

Done at Pueblo, Colorado, this 19th day of June, 2014.



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 Forest and Grassland Supervisor
 Pike and San Isabel National Forests,
 Cimarron and Comanche National Grasslands

Violations of these prohibitions are 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 6 months, or both. 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 18 U.S.C. §§ 3559 and 3571.