

FOREST ORDER

**USDA FOREST SERVICE
RIO GRANDE NATIONAL FOREST
Divide Ranger District**

SPECIAL CLOSURE ORDER

Pursuant to 16 United States Code (U.S.C.) § 551 and 36 Code of Federal Regulations (C.F.R.) § 261.50 (b), the following acts are prohibited within the boundaries of Thirty Mile Resort, on the Divide Ranger District of the Rio Grande National Forest, Mineral County, State of Colorado (the "Restricted Area"). The Restricted Area is depicted on the attached map, hereby incorporated into this Order as Exhibit A.

The Restricted Area is further described as those National Forest System lands on all or parts of the following area:

Thirty Mile Resort to incorporate a perimeter from the fence on the north side of the Resort, to 75' on the east side of Squaw Creek, to an area of approximately ¼ mile south of the fence, and 50' east of Squaw Creek Trail.

This Order is necessary to protect public health and safety as well as preserve property eligible for designation as significant historic structures.

PROHIBITIONS:

1. Go into or be upon the Restricted Area which has been closed for protection of objects or areas of historical, archeological, geological, or paleontological interest as specified in the Order. 36 C.F.R. § 261.53(c)
2. Go into or be upon the Restricted Area which has been closed for public health or safety as specified in the Order. 36 C.F.R. § 261.53(e)
3. Go into or be upon the Restricted Area which has been closed for protection of property as specified in the Order. 36 C.F.R. § 261.53(f)

EXEMPTIONS

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

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

This Order shall remain in effect until rescinded, or until June 23, 2015, whichever event occurs first.

Done at Monte Vista, Colorado, this 23 day of June, 2014.