AREA CLOSURE for PUBLIC SAFETY

OKANOGAN-WENATCHEE NATIONAL FOREST

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited on the Okanogan-Wenatchee National Forest:

1. **To go into or be upon any area closed for protection of public health or safety.** For the purposes of this order, it is prohibited to enter or be within National Forest System lands, roads, or trails within the area of the Wenatchee River Ranger District closure area consisting of:

   The western boundary begins on the Wenatchee River 50 feet upriver from the fog line on the Tumwater Bridge. It follows due north buffering 50’ from the fog line on US Hwy 2 to 100 yards north of Chiwaukum Creek. It then follows 150 yards off the eastern edge of Chiwaukum creek until the junction of the Wenatchee River. It than follows the western side of the Wenatchee River until it intersects the beginning point at the Tumwater Bridge.

**Tumwater Campground is Closed.**
**Tumwater Day Use Area is Closed.**

This closure is effective as of **September 30, 2014** and will remain in effect until terminated.

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

1. Persons with a permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission, including Washington State employees in performance of an official duty, and their authorized contractors.
2. Any Federal, State or local officer, or a member of any organized search and rescue, emergency services, or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.
3. Any private land owner exercising an existing right to access their own private property which is otherwise within the closure area as described above.

This prohibition is in addition to the general prohibitions in 36 CFR Part 261, Subpart A. Done at Wenatchee, Washington this **30** day of September, 2014.

[Signature]
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Violations of these prohibitions are punishable 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 USC 551 And 18 USC 3559 and 3571)
TUMWATER CAMPGROUND CLOSURE

EFFECTIVE: 9/22/2014

Legend

B Trailhead
9 Campground

CLOSED TO PUBLIC ENTRY
Waterbody
Okanogan-Wenatchee N.F.
Existing Trails
Highway

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