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Allegheny National Forest Announces Independence Day Holiday Hours

Warren, Pa. (June 26, 2015) – The 2015 Independence Day holiday will be observed on Friday, July 3. The Allegheny National Forest Supervisor's Office will be closed July 3-5 and will reopen at 8:00 a.m. on July 6.

The district offices will operate as follows:

- **Bradford Ranger District** visitor area will be open July 3-4 to sell passes and permits and to provide general information. Normal operations will begin again on Monday, July 6 at 8:00 a.m.
- **Marienville Ranger District** visitor area will be open July 3-5 to sell passes and permits and to provide general information. Normal operations will begin again on Monday, July 6 at 8:00 a.m.

For more information about recreational activities on the Allegheny National Forest:

- Allegheny National Forest website: <http://www.fs.usda.gov/main/allegheny/home>
- Bradford Ranger District: 814.362.4613
- Marienville Ranger District: 814.927.6628

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supply, a value estimated at \$7.2 billion per year. The agency has either a direct or indirect role in stewardship of about 80 percent of the 850 million forested acres within the U.S. and includes 100 million acres that are urban forests where most Americans live. For more information, visit www.fs.usda.gov/.

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