



**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
FOREST SERVICE
SANTA FE NATIONAL FOREST
PECOS/LAS VEGAS RANGER DISTRICT**

HOLY GHOST CANYON CLOSURE

PROHIBITIONS:

Pursuant to 16 USC 551 and Title 36 CFR 261.50 (a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited on NFS lands within the area as described in this Order (the “restricted area”) and as depicted on the attached map, hereby incorporated into this Order as Exhibit A, within the Pecos/Las Vegas Ranger District, Santa Fe National Forest, San Miguel County within the state of New Mexico.

1. Entering or being upon Holy Ghost Canyon, including National Forest System (NFS) Road 122 and areas within 500 yards on either side of NFS Road 122, Holy Ghost Summer Home Tract Area, Holy Ghost Campground, Holy Ghost Group Site, and Holy Ghost Trailhead. **36 CFR 261.53(e).**

EXEMPTIONS:

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

1. Persons with a Forest Service permit specifically authorizing the prohibited act of omission.
2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of any organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.
3. Private owners or lessees of land in the restricted area may cross National Forest System lands to the extent necessary to access their private property.
4. The construction contractor performing road work on NFS Road 122 and the contractor’s work crew, and Federal Highway Administration personnel and contractors.

RESTRICTED AREA:

The restricted area includes the following National Forest System Roads, Designated Recreation Sites, Summer Home Tracts and the adjacent lands surrounding those roads on NFS Lands in T18N R12E, Sections 20, 29, 32, and 33 as described below and as depicted on the attached map at Exhibit A:

- Holy Ghost Canyon
- NFS Road 122, Holy Ghost Road
- Areas within 500 yards on either side of NFS Road 122
- Holy Ghost Campground
- Holy Ghost Group Site
- Holy Ghost Trailhead
- Holy Ghost Summer Home Tract

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this Order is for the protection of public health and safety during the reconstruction on NFS Road 122 because it is unsafe for the public to travel or visit within the area during the reconstruction project.

IMPLEMENTATION:

1. This Order will be in effect when signed and shall remain in effect until December 31, 2015, or until rescinded, whichever occurs first.
2. This Order supersedes, rescinds, and replaces any previous orders prohibiting the same acts covered by the Order.
3. Any violation of this prohibition is punishable as a Class B misdemeanor by a fine of not more than \$5,000.00 for individuals and \$10,000.00 for organizations or by imprisonment for not more than six (6) months, or both. [Title 16 USC 551, Title 18 USC 3559, 3571, and 3581]

Done at Santa Fe, New Mexico, this 8th day of September, 2015.



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Exhibit A ORDER NO. 10-424

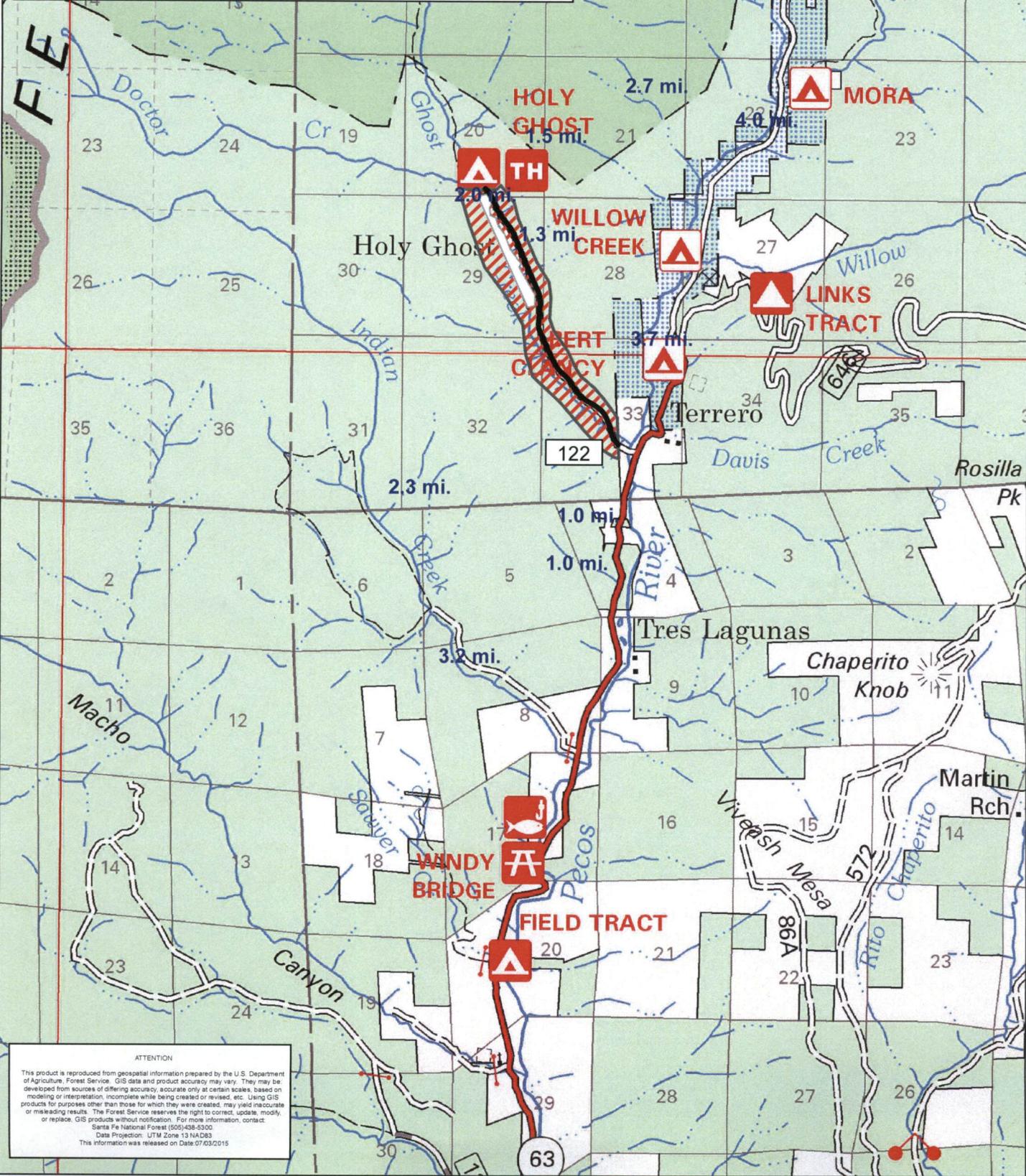
**Pecos/Las Vegas RD 2015
Holy Ghost Canyon
Closure Map**



 Closed Area
 Closed Forest System Road (FSR)

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