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FOREST SERVICE ROADS IN CRAIG COUNTY TO OPEN IN MID-AUGUST

Blacksburg, VA—The USDA Forest Service has nearly completed road repairs on Tub Run (FSR 257) and Mill Creek (FSR 229) located in Craig County. Both roads are scheduled to open by August 14, according to Eastern Divide District Ranger Cindy Schiffer. The Forest Service closed Tub Run and Mill Creek roads in January due to severe surface rutting, erosion and clogged ditches and culverts resulting from the excessively wet winter.

Ranger Schiffer appreciated the public’s cooperation during the closures. “We regret the inconvenience to the public and are glad to have the roads repaired and open,” stated Ranger Schiffer. .

For current status on national forest roads in Craig, Giles, and Bland counties, please call the Eastern Divide Ranger District at 540-552-4641.

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