

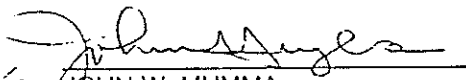
SPECIAL RESTRICTIONS
SELWAY-BITTERROOT WILDERNESS
Clearwater, Bitterroot, Lolo, and Nez Perce National Forests

To protect the resources, quality, and wilderness character of the area, pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50, the following acts are prohibited on all National Forest System Lands within the Selway-Bitterroot Wilderness. These restrictions are in addition to those enumerated in Subpart A, Part 261, Title 36 Code of Federal Regulations. They become effective when signed by the Regional Forester and will remain in effect until rescinded or revoked.

1. Use of the Selway-Bitterroot Wilderness by parties or groups consisting of over 20 persons (36 C.F.R. 261.58f).
2. Possession by any individual, party or group of the following camping or pack-outfitting equipment.
 - a. Saddle, pack or draft animals exceeding 20 in number (36 C.F.R.261.57b).
 - b. Livestock salt, except in block form contained off the surface (36 C.F.R. 261.57b).
3. Camping in an area or campsite for more than 14 consecutive days within any 45-day period. For purposes of this restriction, an area or campsite is defined as any given location and the area surrounding for a distance of 5 miles (36 C.F.R. 261.58a).
4. Storing equipment, personal property or supplies for more than 14 consecutive days within any 45-day period (36 C.F.R. 261.57f).
5. Disposing of any debris or garbage, including excess livestock salt. This does not prohibit the destruction of combustible material by burning (36 C.F.R. 261.57g).
6. Shortcutting a switchback on any trail (36 C.F.R. 261.55e).
7. Possessing or using a saddle, pack, or draft animal on any trail unless it is being ridden or led in single file (36 C.F.R. 261.55c).
8. Possessing or using a wagon, cart, or other vehicle (including game and equipment carts) (36 C.F.R. 261.57h).

Pursuant to 36 C.F.R. 261.50(e) the following persons are exempt from these restrictions.

1. Persons with a permit or contract specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act.
2. Any Federal, State, or Local Law Enforcement officer or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in performance of official duty.
3. Persons using a non-motorized wheelchair as a necessary medical appliance (exemption to clause number 8).


JOHN W. MUMMA
Regional Forester

8/28/91
Date

Violations of these restrictions are punishable by a fine of up to \$5,000.00 or imprisonment for six months, or both (16 U.S.C. 551).

A copy of this order shall be posted in the Forest Supervisor's Office and each District Ranger's Office and other appropriate locations as prescribed under 36 C.F.R. 261.51.