

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
FOREST SERVICE
BRIDGER-TETON NATIONAL FOREST
JACKSON RANGER DISTRICT**

**Horsethief Canyon Fire
Emergency Road, Trail, and Area Closure**

PROHIBITIONS:

Pursuant to Title 36 CFR 261.50 (a) and (b) the following acts are prohibited on the area, roads, and trails as described in this order, all within the **Jackson Ranger District**, Bridger-Teton National Forest until further notice:

1. Going into or being upon the fire area as described below and depicted on the attached map. **36 CFR 261.53(e)**
2. Being on any closed trail in the area described below. **36 CFR 261.55(a)**
3. Being on any closed road in the area described below. **36 CFR 261.54(a)**

EXEMPTIONS:

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

1. Persons with a permit specifically exempting them from the effect of this Order.
2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.

AREA DESCRIBED:

The Horsethief Canyon Fire perimeter as depicted on the attached map.

Roads and trails that are closed to public use include:

- All non-system motorized roads or trails within the Horsethief Canyon Fire Perimeter.
- The entire length of Forest Trail 4028 (Wilson Canyon) from the trailhead to its intersection with the northern fire perimeter.
- The entire length of Forest Trail 4026 (West Fork of Game Creek).

The above described area is within the proclaimed and administrative boundaries of the Jackson Ranger District, Bridger-Teton National Forest, Teton County, Wyoming.

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this order is to provide protection to forest visitors from current fire hazards associated with the **Horsethief Canyon Fire** and to avoid safety hazards to and interference with emergency responders and fire operations.

IMPLEMENTATION:

1. This Order will be in effect beginning at 06:00 on October 2, 2012 when signed and shall remain in effect until further notice.
2. A map identifying the closure area is attached and made part of this Order.
3. Any violation of this prohibition is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000.00 for individuals and \$10,000.00 for organizations and/or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months. [Title 16 USC 551, Title 18 USC 3571(b)(6), Title 18 USC 3581(b)(7)].
4. This Order supersedes any previous orders prohibiting the same acts covered by this Order.

Done at Jackson, Wyoming this 1st day of October, 2012.



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