

**ORDER
FIRE RESTRICTIONS
COCONINO NATIONAL FOREST
Fireworks and Explosives Prohibited; Spark Arrestor Required**

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. 551, and 36 CFR § 261.50(a), the following acts are prohibited on all National Forest System lands within the Coconino National Forest, in the following counties within the state of Arizona: Coconino, Yavapai and Gila. The restricted area is depicted on the attached map, hereby incorporated into this Order as Exhibit A (the “restricted area”).

PROHIBITIONS:

1. Possessing, discharging or using any kind of firework, or other pyrotechnic device. **36 CFR § 261.52(f)**
2. Using an explosive; an explosive is defined as any chemical compound, mixture, or device, the primary or common purpose of which is to function by explosion. **36 CFR § 261.52(b)**
3. Operating or using any internal or external combustion engine without a spark arresting device properly installed, maintained and in effective working order meeting either: (1) Department of Agriculture, Forest Service Standard 5100–1a; or (2) Appropriate Society of Automotive Engineers SAE recommended practice J335b and J350a. **36 CFR § 261.52(j)**

EXEMPTIONS:

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

1. Persons with a Forest Service 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.
3. Any persons engaged in the legal use of black powder or pelletized propellants, and the associated ignition sources for legal hunting with a muzzleloader, or recreational shooting with a muzzleloader.

RESTRICTED AREA:

The restricted area includes National Forest lands within the exterior boundary of the Coconino National Forest.

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this Order is for the protection of public health and safety.

IMPLEMENTATION:

1. This Order will be in effect on the date signed and shall remain in effect until rescinded or until May 23, 2015, whichever event occurs first.
2. This Order supersedes, rescinds, and replaces any previous orders prohibiting the same acts covered by this Order.

Done at Flagstaff, Arizona this 23rd day of May, 2013.

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Any violation of this prohibition is punishable as a Class B misdemeanor by a fine of not more than \$5,000 for individuals and \$10,000 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].

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Exhibit A

Order No. 04-13-08-F

Coconino National Forest

Fireworks and Explosives are Prohibited.

Spark Arrestors are required.

 Restrictions are in effect on all National Forest lands within the exterior boundary.

