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Vedauwoo and Willow Campgrounds Closed for Tree Spraying

(Laramie, WY. - May 30, 2013) – Vedauwoo and Willow Campgrounds on the Laramie Ranger District are currently closed for preventative tree spraying and will reopen within 24 hours of treatment completion.

Spraying was originally scheduled for this morning, but has been delayed due to high winds and wet weather. Crews will attempt to spray again over the upcoming weekend. Timing is critical for the treatments so that they precede the emergence of beetles.

Signs have been posted in the affected areas. These closures are a short-term inconvenience that is necessary for long-term public safety, and the U.S. Forest Service appreciates the patience of anyone affected by the work.

It is anticipated that these campgrounds on the Medicine Bow National Forest will only be closed for a couple days, weather dependent.

For more information please call the Laramie Ranger District at (307) 745-2300 or stop by the District Office at 2468 Jackson St. in Laramie between normal office hours of 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Information may also be found on this website, <http://fs.usda.gov/mbr>, or you can follow the Medicine Bow-Routt National Forests and Thunder Basin National Grassland on Twitter, **@MBRNFsTBNG**.

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