

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
FOREST SERVICE  
SALMON-CHALLIS NATIONAL FOREST  
CHALLIS-YANKEE FORK RANGER DISTRICT

**LOGEPOLE FIRE**  
**Emergency Area Closure**

**PROHIBITIONS:** Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50 (b), the following acts are prohibited on the area, roads, and/or trails described in this order, all within the Challis-Yankee Fork Ranger District, Salmon-Challis National Forest, until further notice:

1. Going into or being on the ground within the closure area as described below and depicted on the attached map is closed for the protection of public health or safety. **36 CFR 261.53(e)**
2. Being on a trail described below that is posted as closed. **36 CFR 261.55(a)**
3. Being on a road described below that is posted as closed. **36 CFR 261.54(e)**

**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.
3. Owners and/or residents of private property within the closure area.

**AREA DESCRIBED:**

Beginning on the Custer Motorway (NFSR 40070) at the Forest boundary (T14N, R18E, section 33), proceed westerly along the Custer Motorway approximately 15.5 miles to the Upper Yankee Fork Trailhead, thence northerly along Upper Yankee Fork Trail #4114 approximately 2 miles to the main right fork of the upper Yankee Fork, thence northerly along said stream fork approximately 2.25 miles to the Frank Church-River of No Return Wilderness Area boundary, thence northeasterly along wilderness boundary approximately 20 miles to the boundary between the Challis-Yankee Fork and Salmon-Cobalt Districts, thence northeasterly along the Darling-Castle Creek Trail #4138 approximately 4.2 miles to its intersection with Lick Creek Trail #4142, continuing southeasterly adjacent to Lick Creek on Trail #4142 and NFSR 40058 approximately 5 miles to the eastern boundary of section 13, T16N, R18E, thence southerly approximately 0.5 miles along the section line to the Forest Service-Bureau of Land Management (USFS-BLM) boundary, thence southerly along the USFS-BLM boundary to the point of beginning.

**All designated roads defining the perimeter of the closure area are OPEN with the exception of Lick Creek (NFSR 40058).**

**All roads and trails within the closure area are CLOSED.**

**The following trails defining the perimeter of the closure area are OPEN:** #4114, #4149, #4151, and #4152.

**The following trails on the perimeter of the closure area are CLOSED:** Lick Creek #4142.

**The following campgrounds are CLOSED:** Mosquito Flat.

The above-described closure is within the proclaimed and administrative boundaries of the Challis-Yankee Fork Ranger District, Salmon-Challis National Forest, Custer County, Idaho.

**PURPOSE:**

This area closure is necessary to provide protection to forest visitors from the current and expected fire safety hazards associated with the **Lodgepole Fire**.

**IMPLEMENTATION:**

1. This Order will be in effect 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 a individual or \$10,000 for an organization, 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 in the above-described area.

Done at Challis, Idaho this  
9<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2013

*/s/ Charles A. Mark*

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