

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
FOREST SERVICE
SAWTOOTH NATIONAL FOREST
FAIRFIELD RANGER DISTRICT

AREA CLOSURE
Kelley Fire – Version #3
For public safety

PROHIBITIONS:

Pursuant to Title 36 CFR § 261.50 (a) and (b) the following acts are prohibited on all lands as described in this order, all within the Fairfield Ranger District, Sawtooth National Forest. This order will be in effect when signed and shall remain in effect until further notice.

1. Going into or being upon the area as described in this order. **36 CFR 261.52(e)**

EXEMPTIONS:

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

1. Persons with a special use authorization or other Forest Service authorization 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. Federal or State administrative personnel in the performance of an official duty.
4. Persons on National Forest System Road #227 from the western boundary of the Fairfield Ranger District, located at Township 3 North, Range 10 East, Section 11, continuing east along road #227 to the intersection of Forest Road #002 Little Water, located at Township 3 North, Range 11 East, Section 12. And, persons on National Forest System Road #227 from the intersection of Trail #064 Conant Creek, located in Township 3 North, Range 13 East, Section 8; continuing east along road #227 to the intersection with Forest Road #094, Couch Summit Road, located in Township 3 North, Range 14 East, Section 32.
5. Persons on National Forest System Road #094, Couch Summit Road from its intersection with Forest Road #227, located in Township 3 North, Range 14 East, Section 32; continuing south along road #094 to the intersection with Forest Road #010, Salt-Bowns Road located in Township 2 North, Ranger 14 East, Section 9.
6. Persons on National Forest System Trails #044 (N. Fork of Lime Creek Trail) from the intersection of Trail #048 Blue Ridge, located at Township 3 North, Range 11 East, Section 33 traveling north and west along trail #044 to Forest Trail #037 Virginia Gulch, located at Township 3 North, Range 11 East, Section 33; continuing along trail #037 north to the trail's end at the intersection with Forest Road #227, located in Township 3 North, Range 11 East, Section 9.

AREA DESCRIBED:

Kelley Creek Fire Area is described as: all National Forest System Lands (including all roads and trails within the area) beginning at the intersection of Forest Trail #037 Virginia Gulch and Forest Road #227

Ketchum/Featherville road, located at Township 3 North, Range 11 East, Section 9; continuing east along Forest Road #227 to the intersection of Forest Road #002 Little Water, located at Township 3 North, Range 11 East, Section 12; continuing east along (and including) Forest Road #227 to the intersection of Forest Trail #064 Conant Creek, located at Township 3 North, Range 13 East, Section 8; continuing easterly and then southerly along Forest Road #227 to Forest Road #094, located at Township 3 North, Range 14 East, Section 32; continuing south along Forest Road #094 to Couch Summit, located at Township 2 North, Range 14 East, Section 9, then travel west following the Camas Creek/South Fork Boise watershed divide (also the hunting unit boundary for units 43 and 44) to Forest Trail #050 Iron Mountain, located at Township 2 North, Range 12 East, Section 4; continuing westerly along (and including) Forest Trail #050 to Forest Trail #049 Middle Fork Lime Creek, located at Township 2 North, Range 12 East, Section 6; continuing southeasterly along (and including) Forest Trail #049 to Forest Trail #048 Blue Ridge, located at Township 2 North, Range 12 East, Section 6; continuing westerly and northerly along (and including) Forest Trail #048 to Forest Trail #037 Virginia Gulch, located at Township 3 North, Range 11 East, Section 33; continuing northerly along Forest Trail #037 to the point of beginning, as depicted on the attached map.

The above described area (including all roads and trails within the area) is located on National Forest System lands within the administrative and proclaimed boundaries of the Fairfield Ranger District, Sawtooth National Forest, Camas and Elmore Counties, Idaho, Boise Meridian.

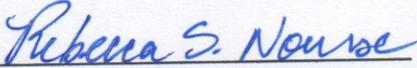
PURPOSE:

The area as described above has ongoing wildfire activity (Kelley fire). The area is closed to provide for public safety and protection from hazards associated with wildfire.

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. Violation of the above prohibition(s) is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000.00 for an individual, or \$10,000.00 for an organization, and/or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months. 16 U.S.C. § 551, 18 U.S.C. §§ 3571(b)(6), 3581 (b)(7).
4. This order supersedes any previous order(s) prohibiting the same, or similar acts prohibited by this order in the area (and/or roads, trails) covered by this order.
5. Further information regarding this order may be obtained at the Fairfield Ranger District in Fairfield, ID telephone number 208-764-3202 and at the Sawtooth National Forest Supervisor's Office in Twin Falls, ID, telephone number 208-737-3200.

Done at Twin Falls, Idaho this 10th day of September, 2013.


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