

ORDER NUMBER 256

TRAIL CLOSURE NOTICE
Wallowa-Whitman National Forest
La Grande Ranger District

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(b), the following act is prohibited within the Wallowa-Whitman National Forest on that portion of the forest trail #1917 as described in this order. Beginning 12 noon, Wednesday May 19, 1993 and continuing until further notice:

1. Using any motorized vehicle on forest development trail #1917. CFR 261.55(b).
2. Using any type of pack/saddle stock, on forest development trail #1917. CFR 261.55(c).

Closed portion of Trail #1917 - Beginning at the junction of Forest Road #6220500 in T.3S., R.41E., Section 8 and going north to the junction of the Bell Creek Trail #1936 in T.2S., R.41E., Section 31, Willamette Meridian.

Definitions: Motorized vehicle with one or more wheels, capable of being operated on forest system trails.

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

1. Any Federal, State, or local law enforcement officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.
2. Persons with a permit authorizing the otherwise prohibited act.
3. Forest Service trail maintenance personnel and equipment in the performance of an official duty.

Done at Baker City, Oregon, this 18 day of May, 1993.



R. M. Richmond
Forest Supervisor

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Violation of this prohibition is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5000.00 or imprisonment for not more than six months, or both. Title 16 USC Section 551.

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The USDA Forest Service has announced that the Indian Cr. Trail 1917 will be closed to all motorized vehicles and all pack/saddle stock until further notice, Beginning at the junction of road 6220500, north to the junction of the Bell Cr. Trail 1936.

This trail lies partially within the Indian Creek Research Natural Area; which is an area that has been established to provide an unmodified setting for educational and research opportunities. This action will help to lower the potential for adverse impacts and the introduction of non-native elements into this area; while at the same time, allowing for the continued use of this trail to be in line with the current forest plan.

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LaGrande Ranger District

LAW ENFORCEMENT PLAN

Date 5-19-93

SUBJECT: Trail Closure 1917

Enforcement for the Indian Cr.Trail 1917 will be accomplished by our District Law Enforcement personnel, and other Ranger District personnel working in the closure area.

