

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
FOREST SERVICE  
NATIONAL FORESTS IN NORTH CAROLINA  
Nantahala National Forest**

**Order Number 11-03-04**

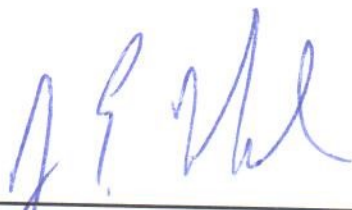
Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50 (a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited on the Wayah Bald Observation Area and the Wayah Bald Picnic Area on the Nantahala Ranger District of the Nantahala National Forest. This order will be in effect from January 12, 2016 until rescinded by the Forest Supervisor.

- 1. Building, maintaining, attending or using a fire or campstove. 36 CFR 261.52(a)**
- 2. Camping. 36 CFR 261.58(e)**

Pursuant to 36 CFR, Section 261.50 (e), the following persons or areas are exempt from this Order:

1. Persons with a special use permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission, issued by the District Ranger.
2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.

Executed in Asheville, North Carolina, on this 14<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2016.



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