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Gifford Pinchot National Forest Pauses Commercial Huckleberry Permit Program For 2025

****No work for commercial huckleberry pickers on the Gifford Pinchot National Forest for the 2025 season.**

The Gifford Pinchot National Forest will not offer commercial huckleberry harvest permits this season. Personal berry use gathering and commercial mushroom permits will continue under existing guidelines.

The Forest Service is continuing conversations with impacted parties to develop long term management solutions for commercial huckleberry picking. This summer will allow the agency to assess conditions without commercial harvest and discuss strategic restoration efforts to improve huckleberry sustainability with the wild food industry, local partners and tribal governments.

A final decision on commercial huckleberry harvesting beyond 2025 will be informed by ongoing assessments and conversations this fall.

To join the conversation, send an email or feedback to SM.FS.r6_gp_forest@usda.gov.

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