

GMUG National Forest Road and Lake Report  
 March 13th, 2026  
 Grand Valley Ranger District (970)-242-8211

Uncompahgre			
Route Name	Route #	Current Status	Comments
Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until roadbed is dry.			
Divide Road Boundary Gate	402	OPEN	
Divide Road/Telephone Trail Gate	402	OPEN	Closed on 3/27/2025 Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Divide Road/Divide Forks Gate	402	OPEN	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Divide Road/Mesa Creek	402	OPEN	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Divide Road/County Line	402	OPEN	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Big Creek Road	403	OPEN	
Lower Brushy Ridge	409	OPEN	
Mid-Brushy	409/420 Jct.	OPEN	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Lower Dominguez	408	OPEN	
Mid-Dominguez	408/408.1A Jct.	OPEN	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Uranium Road/Indian Creek	404	OPEN	
Nitch aka SOB, Pine Mtn. Road (no gate).	405	OPEN	Mesa County Maintained
Calamity Basin	405.2A	CLOSED	Wildlife Closure Nov.30 – April 16
Cow Mesa/Balloon	405.4A	CLOSED	Wildlife Closure Nov.30 – April 16

Grand Mesa			
Route Name	Route #	Current Status	Comments
Lands End - Hwy 65 side	100	CLOSED	OHVs are prohibited.
Anderson Road (Lands End Observatory)	105	Not accessible by full size vehicle	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Land End (Observatory)	100	Not accessible by full size vehicle	OHVs are prohibited.

Lands End (above Wildrose Picnic Area)	100	Not accessible by full size vehicle	OHVs are prohibited.
Lands End (lower BLM gate)	100	CLOSED	Seasonal Wildlife Closure Dec. 1- May 1
Carson Lake	108	Not accessible by full size vehicle	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Flowing Park	109	Not accessible by full size vehicle	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Trickel Park Road/aka Bonham Reservoir/Big Creek. Reservoir, Cottonwood Lakes, Atkinson Reservoir access from Collbran	121	CLOSED	Closed for active logging. Not accessible by full size vehicle. Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Trickel Park/Young's Creek Gate	260	Not accessible by full size vehicle	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Trickel Park/Upper Bonham Gate	121	Not accessible by full size vehicle	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Cottonwoods Silver Lake	257	Not accessible by full size vehicle	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Neversweat & Big Meadows Reservoirs	258	Not accessible by full size vehicle	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Trickle Park Hwy 65 side Eggleston Lake gate	121	Not accessible by full size vehicle	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Park Creek Vega State Park access (no gate)	262	Not accessible by full size vehicle	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry. Caution creek levels can be high in afternoon.
Old Grand Mesa Road from the north side of GM/town of Mesa (no gate).	251	Not accessible by full size vehicle	OHVs are prohibited.
Atkinson Reservoir Road	114	Not accessible by full size vehicle	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Atkinson Reservoir Gate	121	Not accessible by full size vehicle	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Weir & Johnson Road	126	Not accessible by full size vehicle	OHVs are prohibited.
Leroux Creek Gate	128	CLOSED	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry
Surface Creek Gate	125	CLOSED	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Old Grand Mesa Road Gate / Cedaredge side	123	CLOSED	OHVs are prohibited.
Haypark Road	129	Not accessible by full size vehicle	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Buzzard Divide (Hightower Gate)	265	CLOSED	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Buzzard Divide (Bird Creek Gate)	265	Not accessible by full size vehicle	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.
Leon Lake/Marcott	127	CLOSED	Closed to all vehicles over 50" wide until road bed is dry.

Island Lake (no gate)	116	Not accessible by full size vehicle	OHVs are prohibited
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Fruita Division			
Route Name	Route #	Current Status	Comments
Fruita Res. #1	400.2C	OPEN	Open to all vehicles over 50" wide.
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Lake Report			
Route Name	Route #	Current Status	Comments
Jumbo	Grand Mesa	MELTING	
Beaver	Grand Mesa	MELTING	
Sunset	Grand Mesa	MELTING	
Glacier Springs	Grand Mesa	MELTING	
Island Lake	Grand Mesa	MELTING	
Cobbett	Grand Mesa	MELTING	
Eggleston	Grand Mesa	MELTING	
Baron	Grand Mesa	MELTING	
Young's Creek #1, 2, 3	Grand Mesa	MELTING	
Ward Creek	Grand Mesa	MELTING	
Waterdog	Grand Mesa	MELTING	
Griffiths	Grand Mesa	MELTING	
Bonham Reservoir	Grand Mesa	MELTING	
Big Creek Reservoir	Grand Mesa	MELTING	
Trickel Park	Grand Mesa	MELTING	
Kiser Slough	Grand Mesa	MELTING	
Mesa Lakes Recreation Area	Grand Mesa	MELTING	
Fruita Reservoirs # 1,2,3	Grand Mesa	MELTING	Fruita Reservoir 2 is dry.
Vega State Park	Vega State Park	OPEN WATER	Shoreline fishing allowed. Call Colorado Parks and Wildlife at (970) 487-3407