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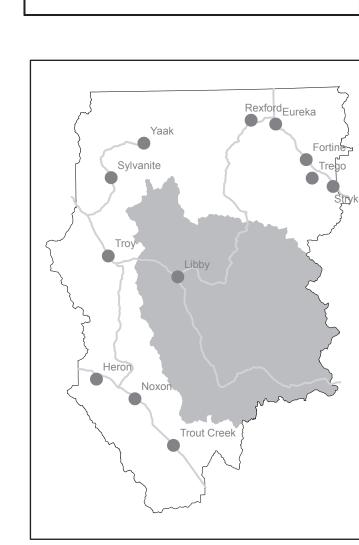
Libby Ranger District

National Forest Kootenai

Use Map Motor Vehicle

VICINITY MAP





INFORMATION SOURCES

For various reasons access condtitions may change during the year. To assure you have the most current information, please contact the Libby Ranger District. Libby Ranger District Canoe Gulch Ranger Station 12557 Hwy 37

Libby, MT 59923

Phone: 406-293-7773 Other Information Sources: Forest Supervisor's Office 31374 US Hwy 2

Libby, MT 59923 Phone: 406-293-6211 www.fs.usda.gov/kootenai Rexford & Fortine Ranger Districts

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 Travel and recreate with minimal impact. Respect the environment and the rights of others. - Educate yourself, plan and prepare before you go. 1-800-TIP-MONT - Allow for future use of the outdoors by leaving it 1-800-847-6668 better than you found it.

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PURPOSE AND CONTENTS OF THIS MAP

The designations shown on this motor vehicle use map (MVUM) were made by the responsible official pursuant to 36 CFR 212.51; are effective as of the date on the front cover of this MVUM; and will remain in effect until

superceded by next year's MVUM.

It is the responsibility of the user to acquire the current MVUM. This MVUM shows the National Forest System roads, National Forest System trails, and the areas on National Forest System lands in the Libby Ranger District that are designated for motor vehicle use pursuant to 36 CFR 212.51. This MVUM also identifies the vehicle classes allowed on each route and in each area; and any seasonal restrictions that apply on those routes and in those areas.

by a particular class of vehicle under 36 CFR 212.51 should not be interpreted as encouraging or inviting use or implying that the road, trail, or area is passable, actively maintained, or safe for travel. Motor vehicle designations include parking along designated routes and at facilities associated with designated routes when it is safe to do so and when not causing damage to National Forest System resources. Seasonal weather conditions and natural

events may render designated roads and trails impassable for extended periods. Designated areas may contain dangerous or impassable terrain. Many designated roads and trails may be passable only by high-clearance vehicles or four-wheel-drive vehicles. Maintenance of designated roads and trails will depend on available resources, and many may receive little maintenance.

and areas designated for motor vehicle use under 36 CFR 212.51 for the purpose of enforcing the prohibition at 36 CFR 261.13. This is a limited purpose. The other public roads are shown for information and navigation purposes only and are not subject to designation under the Forest Service travel management regulation.

Forest Stystem lands.

PROHIBITIONS

It is prohibited to possess or operate a motor vehicle n National Forest System lands on the Libby Ranger <u>District other than in accordance with these</u> lesignations (36 CFR 261.13)

Violators of 36 CFR 261.13 are subject to a fine of up to \$5,000, imprisonment for up to 6 months, or both (18 U.S.C. 3571(e)). This prohibition applies regardless of the presence or absence of signs.

This map does not display nonmotorized uses, oversnow vehicle uses, or other facilities and attractions on the Libby Ranger District. Obtain forest visitor information from the local national forest office.

Designated roads, trails and areas may also be subject to temporary, emergency closures. As a visitor, you must comply with signs notifying you of such restrictions. A national forest may issue an order to close a road, trail or area on a temporary basis to protect the life, health, or safety of forest visitors or the natural or cultural resources in these areas. Such temporary and/or emergency closures are consistent with the Travel Management Rule (36 CFR 212.52 (b), 36 CFR 261 subpart B).

OPERATOR RESPONSIBILITIES

roads, National Forest System trails, and in areas on National Forest System lands carries a greater including State requirements for licensing, registration, and operation of the vehicle in question.

Motor vehicle use, especially off-highway vehicle use, involves inherent risks that may cause property damage, serious injury, and possibly death to participants. Drive cautiously and anticipate rough surfaces and features, such as snow, mud, vegetation, and water crossings common to remote driving conditions. By your participation, you voluntarily assume full responsibility for these damages, risks, and dangers. Take care at all times to protect yourself and those under your responsibility.

assistance may not be readily available. Cellular telephones do not work in many areas of the Kootenai National Forest. Take adequate food, water, first-aid supplies, and other equipment appropriate for the

DESIGNATED ROADS AND TRAILS AND IN DESIGNATED AREAS.

for clarification.

As a motor vehicle operator on a National Forest System road, trail, or area you must comply with this map, as well as all Federal, State, and local laws and regulations. Compliance with these rules is your



Motor vehicles may be parked up to 30 feet from the edge of the road surface when it is safe to do so without causing damage to NFS resources of facilities, unless prohibited by state law, a traffic sign, or an order. (36 CFR 261.54) activity, in any program or activity conducted or funded by USDA (not all bases apply to all programs) Remedies and complaint filing deadlines vary by program or incident.

languages other than English. To file a program discrimination complaint, complete the USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form, AD-3027, found online at https://www.usda.gov/about-usda/general-information/staff-offices/

Legend — Roads Open to Highway Legal Vehicles · · · · Trails Open to Motorcycles Only Seasonal Designation (See Table)

Forest Supervisor, Kootenai National Forest

Designation of a road, trail, or area for motor vehicle use

This motor vehicle use map identifies those roads, trails,

These designations apply only to National Forest System roads, National Forest System trails, and areas on National

EXPLANATION OF LEGEND ITEMS

under State law for general operation on all public roads

These trails are open only to motorcycles. Sidecars are

This symbol, used in conjunction with one of the other road or

trail symbols, indicates that the road or trail is open only during certain portions of the year. Refer to Seasonal and Special

These symbols are used to show routes the Forest Service

does not have jurisdiction over and has not designated for motorized use. These symbols are part of the reference layers

showing connections to towns and cities outside the forest

This symbol is used for roads that are too short to show a symbol type on the map. The symbol contains the number of the road or trail. Users should refer to the corresponding number in the Short Route Table for designation information.

This symbol indicates a trailhead for access to a motorized

route. Not all motorized routes have trailheads and those

that do may range from primitive to developed.

Trails Open to Motorcycles Only:

Designation Table for further instructions.

————Highways, U.S., State, County

Other Public Roads and Trails:

boundary.

Short Route Identifier:

Motorized Trail Access:

Other Public Roads

Seasonal Designation:

——— Highways, US, State Other Public Roads

70333 Short Route Identifier

▲ FS Campground

Motorized Trailhead

Picnic Area

△ Peaks

FS Rental Cabin/Lookout

Forest or Unit Boundary

Wilderness Areas

Political Boundary

Major Streams

Lakes and Rivers

National Forest System Lands

within the National Forest

Township and Range Lines

Non-National Forest System Lands

Roads Open to Highway Legal Vehicles Only: These roads are open only to motor vehicles licensed

The designation "road or trail open to all motor vehicles" does not supersede State traffic law.

Operating a motor vehicle on National Forest System responsibility than operating that vehicle in a city or other developed setting. Not only must you know and follow all applicable traffic laws, you need to show concern for the environment as well as other forest users. The misuse of motor vehicles can lead to the temporary or permanent closure of any designated road, trail, or area. As a motor vehicle operator, you are also subject to State traffic law,

Much of the Libby Ranger District is remote. Medical conditions and expected weather.

ALWAYS REMEMBER TO RESPECT PRIVATE LAND! PROTECT YOUR PRIVILEGE. STAY ON

Read and understand this map in its entirety. If you have questions, please contact the Libby Ranger District



or harming (such as driving over) trees or vegetation is not allowed to access dispersed camping spots. (CFR 261.15) It is prohibited to operate any vehicle off National Forest System, State or County Roads in a manner which damages or unreasonably disturbs the land, wildlife,

or vegetative resources. (CFR 261.15(h)) Moving, going around or over or past barriers on roads (i.e., gates, rocks, berms, barriers, signs, etc) is not allowed. (CFR 261.12) Discover the rewards of responsible recreation. In all developed recreation sites such as developed

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campgrounds, picnic sites, trailheads, boat launches,

etc., it is prohibited to operate or park a motor vehicle

or trailer except in places developed or designated

Parking

for that use. (CFR 261.16 (m))

Dispersed Camping

Campsite selection must be completed by non-motorized means, and then accessed by the most direct route

itnout causing resource damage. Cutting, damaging

Motor vehicle use off of designated roads and/or trails

for the purpose of dispersed camping is permitted on National Forest Lands for up to 300 feet from the

centerline of the road and/or trail.

Campgrounds All roads within the McGillivray, McGregor Lake and Howard Lake campgrounds are open when the campground is open.

