



# Kootenai National Forest

## Cabinet Ranger District

### Granite Creek Trail #772

Clark Fork River Area (south side of the river)



#### OVERVIEW

Granite Creek Trail #772 follows the Granite Creek drainage and connects Trout Creek National Recreation Trail (NRT) #774 to Black Peak Trail #763. Most visitors access the trail from the trailhead for the Trout Creek NRT #774 located at the end of Hope Valley Road/FSR 214.

#### LENGTH OF TRAIL

3.6 miles

#### ELEVATION

Beginning: 2912' Ending: 5840' Net gain: 2928'

#### DIFFICULTY

More difficult

#### FACILITIES

Users access this trail from the trailhead for the Trout Creek National Recreation Trail #774 located at the end of Hope Valley Road/FSR 214. The trailhead has a few dispersed campsites located along Trout Creek. Be advised FSR 214 is very rough and only suitable to high clearance vehicles. Most stock users park at the Black Peak Trail #763 trailhead (junction of Hope Valley Road and Trout Creek Road) and ride Hope Valley Road/FSR 214 to the trailhead.

#### DIRECTIONS

From Trout Creek travel west on Pine Street for approximately 1.5 miles. Turn south on Trout Creek Road. Travel approximately 3 miles and turn west onto Hope Valley Road. Follow Hope Valley Road 1.5 miles until it turns into FSR 214. The trailhead is at the end of FSR 214.

#### TRAIL CONDITIONS

Granite Creek Trail #772 is a Trail Class 2 trail. Users should expect some blowdown, brush, and minimal tread. The trail is scheduled to be cleared every five years. Please contact Cabinet Ranger Station for current trail conditions.

#### USGS MAP(S)

Larchwood #109

#### TRAILHEAD LAT/LONG

47.789 -115.733

#### STREAM CROSSINGS

The trail crosses Granite Creek numerous times. These crossings can be challenging and dangerous during peak runoff.

#### RESTRICTIONS AND CONSIDERATIONS

**No motorized vehicles.**

Properly possess and store all food, refuse, and other attractants pursuant to Kootenai National Forest Food Storage Order (CFR 261.58 (cc)).

Please practice *Pack-in-Pack-out* and *Leave-No-Trace* ethics.



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Peaks

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Trailheads

**Trails-Designated use**

Motorized Use

Non-motorized use

**OWNER**

FS

Private

Stimson Lumber

**Roads**

Gated/restricted

Barriered

Open

County Roads

Private Roads

Lake

Major Streams

Intermittent Streams

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