



**U.S. Department of Agriculture, U.S. Forest Service
Lolo National Forest
Missoula Ranger District
Temporary Road Closure**

PROHIBITIONS

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(b), the following act is prohibited on the National Forest System (NFS) land in the Missoula Ranger District, Lolo National Forest, Missoula County, Montana described below and shown on the attached map incorporated into this order as Exhibit A (the Described Roads).

1. 36 CFR § 261.54(e). Being on the Described Roads.

EXEMPTIONS

Pursuant to 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this Order:

1. Employees of Clark Fork Coalition, Patterson Enterprises Inc., their contractors and subcontractors 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(e).
2. Persons with Forest Service Permit No. FS-7700-48 (Permit for Use of Roads, Trails, or Areas Restricted by Regulation or Order), specifically exempting them from this Order or a written determination by a Forest Service authorized officer that a permit is not required under 36 C.F.R. § 251.50(e)(1) or (2).
3. Any Federal, State, or Local Officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting resource in the performance of an official duty.

DESCRIBED ROADS

Granite Creek Road, National Forest System Road #9942, from milepost 0.00 at the intersection of the Fish Creek Road #343 (T11N, R23W, Sect. 6) to milepost 4.92 at the end of construction (T11N, R24W, Sect. 22). As shown on the attached map, Exhibit A.

PURPOSE

The purpose of this order is for public health and safety due to hazardous road conditions.

IMPLEMENTATION

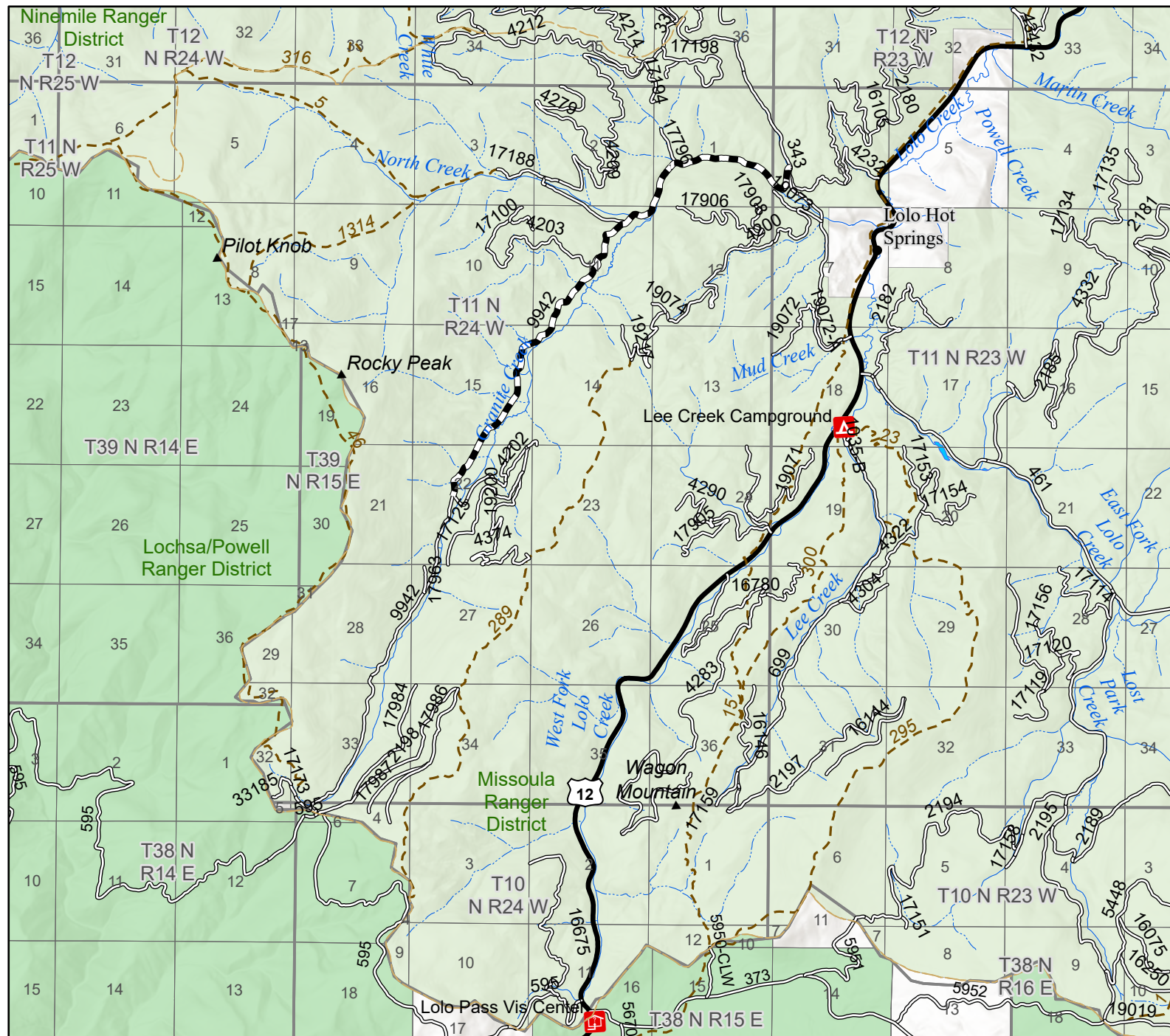
1. This Order shall be in effect from June 9th, 2025, through July 24th, 2025, unless rescinded. This order is in effect on weekdays from 0600 Monday to 1900 Friday each week.
2. A map identifying the Described Road is attached and made part of this Order as Exhibit A. For a digital version of this Order and Exhibit A, go to <https://www.fs.usda.gov/r01/lolo/alerts>.
3. Unless otherwise expressly defined in this Order, the terms used in this Order are defined by the regulations of the Secretary of Agriculture, 36 C.F.R. Chapter II, Parts 200-299. If there are terms in this Order that are not expressly defined in the Order or 36 C.F.R. Chapter II, Parts 200-299, their meaning shall be determined by their plain language definitions.
4. A violation of the above prohibitions is punishable as a Class B misdemeanor by a fine of not more than \$5,000 for individuals and \$10,000 for organizations, or by imprisonment for not more than six months, or both. 16 U.S.C. § 551; 18 U.S.C. §§ 3559, 3571, and 3581.
5. Contact the Missoula Ranger District (406) 329-3814, and Lolo National Forest Supervisor's Office (406) 329-3750, for more information about this Order.

Signed and issued on _____.

Forest Supervisor
Lolo National Forest



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— National Forest System Roads

- - - National Forest System Trails

- - - Ranger District Boundary

Lolo National Forest

Other National Forests

Other Jurisdiction



For more information
contact: Missoula Ranger
District, 406-329-3814

Vicinity Map

