

**USDA FOREST SERVICE
SHASTA-TRINITY NATIONAL FOREST
FOREST ORDER NO. 14-24-18
SILVERTHORN EMERGENCY CLOSURE**

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(a) and (b), and to provide for public safety, the following acts are prohibited within the Shasta-Trinity National Forest. This Order is effective from August 14, 2024, through August 14, 2026.

1. Going into or being upon any National Forest System lands within the Silverthorn Emergency Closure Area, as described in Exhibit A and shown on Exhibit B. 36 C.F.R. § 261.53(e).
2. Being on National Forest System Road Nos. 33N85 (Silverthorn Road) and 33N85D (Water System Access Road) within the Silverthorn Emergency Closure Area, as described in Exhibit A and shown on Exhibit B. 36 C.F.R. § 261.54(e).

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

1. 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.
2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire-fighting force in the performance of an official duty.

These prohibitions are in addition to the general prohibitions in 36 C.F.R. Part 261, Subpart A.

A violation of these prohibitions is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than six months, or both. 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 18 U.S.C. §§ 3559, 3571, and 3581.

Executed in Redding, California this 13th day of August, 2024.

RACHEL A. BIRKEY
Forest Supervisor

This Forest Order supersedes Forest Order No. 14-22-09, which was issued on August 12, 2022.

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Exhibit A**

The Silverthorn Emergency Closure Area boundary begins at the gate across Forest Road 33N85 (Silverthorn Road) (Section 31, Township 34N, Range 3W, Mount Diablo Meridian) (MDM), continuing north to the water's edge of Shasta Lake (Section 31, Township 34N, Range 3W, (MDM) and continuing west along the water's edge of Shasta Lake to the inlet east of Silverthorne Day Use Area (Section 31, Township 34N, Range 3W, (MDM), then continues due south to the intersection of Forest Road 33N85 and 33N85B (intersection of Silverthorn Road and Silverthorn Day Use Area Road) (Section 31, Township 34N, Range 3W, (MDM) then continues south 200 feet from the intersection and then continues east maintaining a distance of 200 feet south of 33N85 to a point 200 feet due south of the starting point and then continues north to the starting point, as shown on the attached map.