

ORDER NO. 14-13

**SEQUOIA NATIONAL FOREST
KERN RIVER RANGER DISTRICT
NICOLLS FIRE CLOSURE**

Pursuant to 16 USC 551 and 36 CFR 261.50(a) and (b), and to provide for public safety, the following acts are prohibited within the Kern River Ranger District of the Sequoia National Forest. This Order is effective July 12, 2014, until the Nicolls Fire has been fully suppressed.

1. Going into or being upon the Nicolls Fire Closure Area. The boundary of the Nicolls Fire Closure Area is the Kiavah Wilderness boundary on the Sequoia National Forest, as shown on the attached map. 36 CFR 261.53(e).
2. Being on any National Forest System trail within the Nicolls Fire Closure Area, as shown on the attached map. 36 CFR 261.55(a).
3. Being on the Pacific Crest National Scenic Trail within the Nicolls Fire Closure Area, as shown on the attached map. 36 CFR 261.55(a).
4. Being on any National Forest System road within the Nicolls Fire Closure Area, as shown on the attached map. 36 CFR 261.54(e).

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this Order:

1. Any Federal, State or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.
2. Persons with a permit from the Forest Service specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.

These prohibitions are in addition to the general prohibitions in 36 CFR 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 USC 551 and 18 USC 3559, 3571 and 3581.

Executed in Kernville, California this 12 day of July 2014.



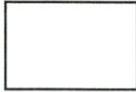
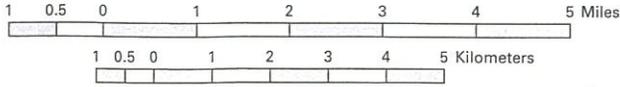
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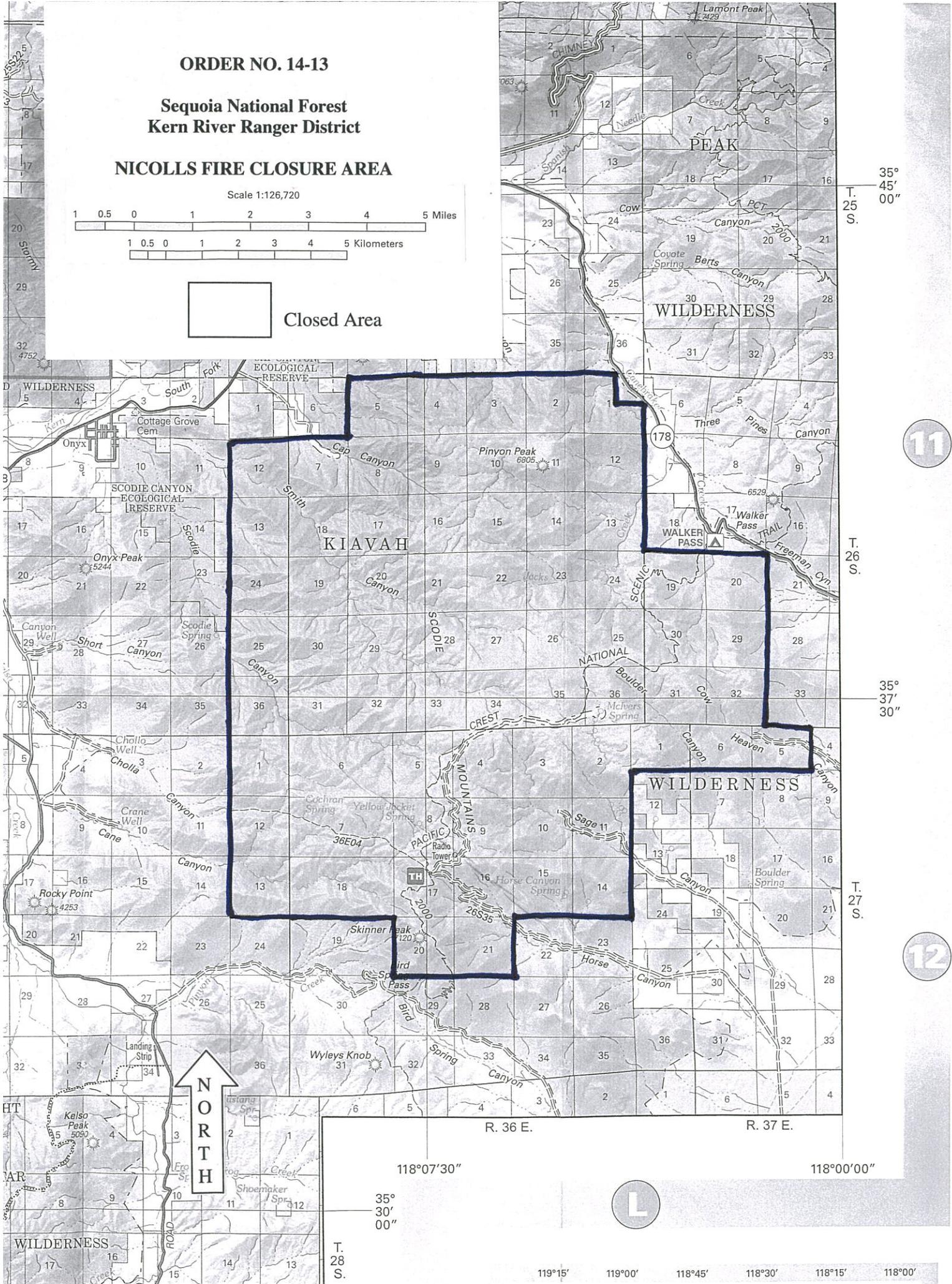
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NICOLLS FIRE CLOSURE AREA

Scale 1:126,720



Closed Area



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119° 15' 119° 00' 118° 45' 118° 30' 118° 15' 118° 00'

35° 45' 00"

T. 25 S.

T. 26 S.

35° 37' 30"

T. 27 S.

R. 36 E.

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118° 07' 30"

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