ORDER NO. 13-05-731
KLAMATH NATIONAL FOREST
EMERGENCY CLOSURE

Pursuant to 16 USC 551 and 36 CFR 261.50(a), and to provide for public safety, the following acts are prohibited within the Salmon River Ranger District and Ukonom Ranger District of the Klamath National Forest. This Order is effective from September 11, 2013, until the Forks Complex Fires are fully suppressed.

1. Going into or being upon National Forest System lands within the Forks Complex Closure Area. The Forks Complex Closure Area consists of the two separate sections described below and shown on the attached map.

   a. The boundary of the first section of the Forks Complex Closure Area begins at the intersection of State Highway No. 96 and Forest Road No. 93 (County Road No. 2B01), then continues south along the boundary of the Ukonom and Salmon River Ranger Districts of the Klamath National Forest to its intersection with Forest Road No. 10N04, then continues northeast along but not including Forest Road No. 10N04 to its intersection with Forest Road No. 93, then continues northwest along but not including Forest Road No. 93 back to the starting point.

   b. The boundary of the second section of the Forks Complex Closure Area begins at the intersection of County Road No. 1C01 and Forest Road No. 40N51, then continues northeast/east along but not including County Road No. 1C01 to its intersection with Jackass Ridge, then continues northeast along Jackass Ridge to its intersection with the Marble Mountain Wilderness boundary, then continues west/southwest along the Marble Mountain Wilderness boundary to its intersection with Forest Road No. 40N51, then continues southwest along and including Forest Road No. 40N51 back to the starting point.

   36 CFR 261.53(e).

2. Being on any National Forest System road within the Forks Complex Closure Area, as shown on the attached map. 36 CFR 261.54(e).

3. Being on any National Forest System trail within the Forks Complex Closure Area, as shown on the attached map. 36 CFR 261.55(a).

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

1. Persons with a permit from the Forest Service specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.

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 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 Yreka, California this 10th day of September, 2013.

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This Order supersedes Order No. 2013-05-730, dated August 28, 2013.