Order Number: 04-13-16-584

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
FOREST SERVICE
SALMON-CHALLIS NATIONAL FOREST
NORTH FORK RANGER DISTRICT

STEIN FIRE
Emergency Area Closure

PROHIBITIONS: Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50 (b), the following act is prohibited on the area, roads, and trails as described in this order, all within the North Fork Ranger District, Salmon-Challis National Forest until further notice:

1. Going into or being upon the fire area as described below and depicted on the attached map that is closed for the protection of public health or safety. **36 CFR 261.53(e)**

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

1. Persons with a permit specifically exempting them from the effect of 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.
3. Residence or Owners of the Private Property within the closure area.

AREA DESCRIBED:

From Morgan Mountain, south along the Continental Divide Trail (CDT) #611 to its intersection with Carmen Creek Trail #6138 in Section 28, T 24 N R23E, BM, then southwesterly down Carmen Creek to the Salmon-Challis National Forest boundary line in Section 13, T23N R22E, BM; then proceeding northwesterly along the Salmon-Challis National Forest Boundary to its intersection with HWY 93 near Wagonhammer Spring in Section 27, T24N R21E; then continuing north along HWY 93 to the intersection of Sheep Creek Road #60077, then easterly up Sheep Creek Road #60077 to Morgan Mountain, the point of beginning.

All trails and roads that are within and those that make up the boundaries to this area closure are **closed** due to the Stein Fire.

The above-described area is within the proclaimed and administrative boundaries of the North Fork Ranger District, Salmon-Challis National Forest, Lemhi County, Idaho.

PURPOSE:

This closure is necessary to provide protection to forest visitors from the current fire safety hazards associated with the **Stein Fire**.

IMPLEMENTATION:

1. This Order will be in effect when signed and shall remain in effect until further notice.
2. A map identifying the closure area is attached and made part of this Order.
3. Any violation of this prohibition is punishable by a fine of not more than $5,000.00 for an individual or $10,000 for an organization, and/or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months. [Title 16 USC 551, Title 18 USC 3571 (b)(6), Title 18 USC 3581 (b)(7)].
4. This Order supersedes any previous orders prohibiting the same acts covered by this Order in the above-described area.

Done at Salmon, Idaho this
18th day of August, 2016

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CHARLES A. MARK
Forest Supervisor
Salmon-Challis National Forest

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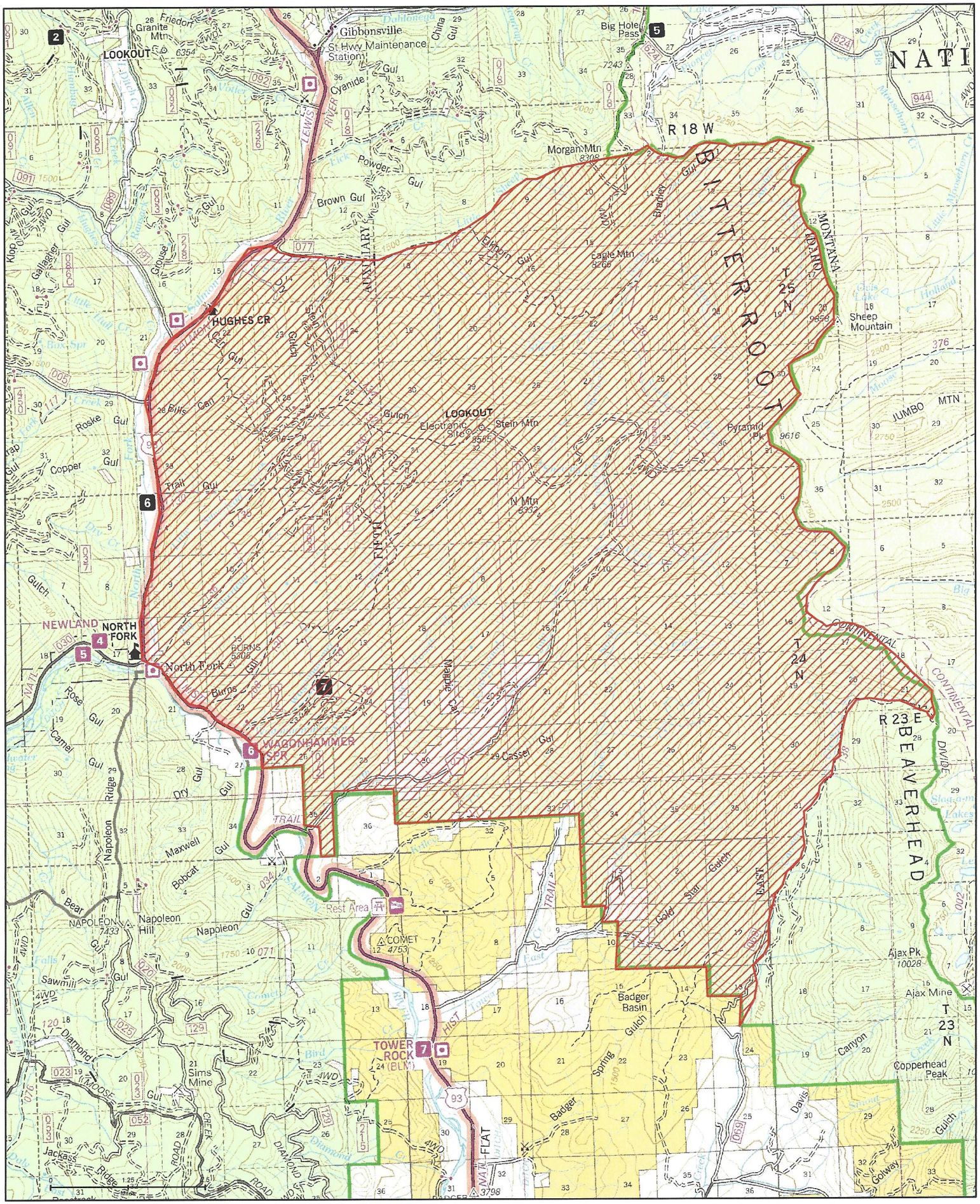
Stein Fire Closure Area

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