

Order No.F15-032-LOLO-D3.

**LOLO NATIONAL FOREST  
24 Fort Missoula Road  
Missoula, Montana 59804-7297**

**FOREST SUPERVISOR'S ORDER**

Pursuant to Title 36 Code of Federal Regulations 261.50(b), the following act is prohibited as described below within the Missoula Ranger District of the Lolo National Forest. These restrictions are in addition to those enumerated in Subpart A, Part 261, Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations, and become effective August 13, 2015 and will remain in effect until rescinded.

**36 CFR – Special Closures**

**It is prohibited to go into or be upon the area (36 CFR 261.53(e)).**

The closure cited in this order is to protect the public from potential harm from wildfires and firefighting operations associated with the Scotsman's Gulch fire.

**Description of Closed Areas:**

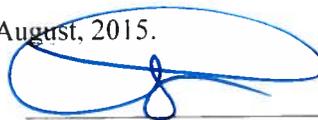
**This area closure applies to the Lolo National Forest and closes the following area; Starting from National Forest System Trail #228 at the Sandstone Ridge Trailhead to the junction with Trail #268 and Trail #268 in its entirety back to the west to Rock Creek road, Rock Creek road back to Sandstone Ridge Trailhead and all lands contained within the perimeter that is made by Trail #268, Trail #228 and Rock Creek road.**

**Exemptions:**

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

1. Persons with a permit issued by a forest officer specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.
2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.

Signed in Missoula, Montana, this 13 day of August, 2015.



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Timothy Garcia  
Forest Supervisor  
Lolo National Forest

**Penalty:** Violation of these prohibitions is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5000 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or both (16 USC 551 and 18 USC 3559 and 3571).

**Notification:** A copy of this order shall be posted as prescribed in 36 CFR 261.51.