

Order No. F16-014-LOLO-D5

**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(a & b), the following act is prohibited as described below within the Plains/Thompson Falls 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A, Part 261, Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations, and become effective upon signing and will remain in effect until rescinded.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 Copper King Fire.

Description of Closed Areas:

Clark Memorial Campground in its entirety. Section 27, T. 22 N., R. 28 W.

Copper King Campground in its entirety. PB 52 (Section 33), T. 22 N., R. 28 W.

36 CFR – National Forest System Roads

It is prohibited to be on the road (36 CFR 261.54(e)).

The closure cited in this order is to protect the public from potential harm from wildfires and firefighting operations associated with the Copper King Fire.

Description of Closed Roads:

Spring Creek Road, NFSR #5587, beginning at its junction with Weeksville Road #887 (section 24, T. 21 N., R. 27 W.) to the end of the road.

ACM Road, NFSR #9991, beginning at its junction with Thompson River Road No. 56 (section 7, T. 21 N., R. 28 W.) to its junction with Plains Thompson Road No. 7512 (section 23, T. 23 N., R. 27 W.)

36 CFR – National Forest System Trails

It is prohibited to be on the trail (36 CFR 261.55(a)).

The closure cited in this order is to protect the public from potential harm from wildfires and firefighting operations associated with the Copper King Fire.

Description of Closed Trails:

Todd Creek Trail, NFST #345, beginning at its junction with Road 45227 (section 33, T. 22 N., R. 26 W.) to its junction with Big Hole Lookout Trail #368 (section 4, T. 21 N., R. 27 W.).

Big Hole Lookout Trail, NFST #368, beginning at its junction with Spring Creek Road #5587 (section 15, T. 21 N., R. 27 W.) to its junction with Bay State Creek Trail #1268 (section 4, T. 21 N., R. 27 W.).

Spring Creek Trail, NFST #370, beginning at its junction with Bay State Creek Trail #1268 (section 5, T. 21 N., R. 27 W.) to its junction with Wilde Side Road #18477 (section 25, T. 21 N., R. 27 W.)

Munson Creek Trail, NFST #372, beginning at its junction with Munson Creek Trailhead Road #18943 (section 25, T. 21 N., R. 28 W.) to its junction with Spring Creek Trail #370 (section 8, T. 21 N., R. 27 W.)

Kookoosint Trail, NFST #445, beginning at its junction with Bay State Creek Trail #1268 (section 5, T. 21 N., R. 27 W.) to the end.

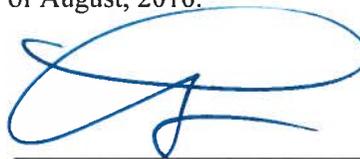
Bay State Trail, NFST #1268, beginning at its junction with ACM Road #9991 (section 23, T. 22 N., R. 28 W.) to its junction with Big Hole Lookout Trail #368 (section 4, T. 21 N., R. 27 W.)

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 1st day of August, 2016.



Timothy Garcia
Forest Supervisor
Lolo National Forest

Penalty: Violation of these prohibitions is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5000 for and 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.