ORDER No. MH -2014-12

FOREST ORDER

WILDFIRE CLOSURE

MT. HOOD NATIONAL FOREST
Clackamas River Ranger District

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(a) and 36 CFR 261.50(b), and effective immediately the following act is prohibited until further notice, on the area depicted in **Attachment A** of this order within the Mt. Hood National Forest located in Clackamas County, Oregon. This Forest Order is in effect until rescinded.

(1)	Being on a closed trail	36 CFR 261.55 (a)
(2)	Being on a closed road	36 CFR 261.54 (e)
(3)	Going into or being upon the area	36 CFR 261.53 (e)

The fire closure includes the following Forest Trails

(1) Trail #502 – Old Baldy
(2) Trail #505 – Fanton Trail
(3) Trail #521 – Huxley Lake Trail.
(4) Ladee Flats OHV Trails # 800, #801, #802, #803, #804, #805, #806.

The fire closure includes the following Forest Roads and State Highways:

(5) State Highway 224
(6) Forest Road 4610 from its junction with Hwy 224 to its junction with Plaza Creek
(7) Forest Road 4611
(8) Forest Road 4612
(9) Forest Road 4613
(10) Forest Road 45 from its junction with the western Forest boundary to its intersection with Hwy 224 near Lazy Bend Campground

The fire closure includes the following Forest Service Developed Recreation Sites;

(1) Lazy Bend Campground and Compound
(2) Big Eddy Day Use Area
(3) Carter Bridge Campground and Day Use Area
(4) Lockaby Campground
(5) Armstrong Campground
(6) Fish Creek Campground and Day Use Area

The fire closure includes the following area as depicted on Attachment A:

(1) From the Clackamas River at Promontory Park going east along the Clackamas River to the junction with the Mt. Hood National Forest boundary;
(2) From the Forest boundary heading south to the junction with Forest Road 45;
(3) Heading south, then east and then north along and including Road 45 to its crossing with Helion Creek;
(4) From Helion Creek and its junction with the Clackamas River;

Violations of these prohibitions are 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 6 months, or both. (16 U.S.C. 551, and 18 U.S.C 3559 and 3571)

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(5) From the Clackamas River upstream heading east to its junction with the Roaring River;
(6) Heading northeast along the Roaring River to its junction with Plaza Creek;
(7) Heading north on Plaza Creek to its junction with Forest Road 4610 and the Salmon Huckleberry Wilderness;
(8) Heading northwest along the Salmon Huckleberry Wilderness boundary to Forest Road 4614;
(9) Heading west on Forest Road 4614 to its intersection with Forest Road 4614-120;
(10) Following Forest Road 4614-120 south to its crossing of Bee Creek;
(11) Following Bee Creek west to its junction with North Fork of the Clackamas River;
(12) Following the North Fork of the Clackamas River to its crossing of State Highway 224.

These prohibitions are in addition to the general prohibitions in 36 CFR Part 261, Subpart A.

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

1. Persons with a permit specifically authorizing the 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.

Done at Sandy, Oregon this 14th day of September, 2014.

Lisa A. Northrop
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Mt. Hood National Forest

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