



**U.S. Department of Agriculture, U.S. Forest Service  
Arapaho National Forest  
Sulphur Ranger District**

**Williams Fork Fire Road and Trail Closure**

**PROHIBITIONS**

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 36 C.F.R. § 261.50 (b), the following are prohibited on the National Forest System (NFS) roads and trails in the Sulphur Ranger District, Arapaho National Forest, described below and shown on the attached map incorporated into this Order as Exhibit A (the "Described Roads" and "Described Trails"):

1. Using any motor vehicle on the Described Roads. 36 C.F.R. § 261.54(a)
2. Using any motor vehicle on the Described Trails. 36 C.F.R. § 261.55(b)

**EXEMPTIONS**

Pursuant to 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this Order:

1. Persons with Forest Service Permit No. FS-7700-48 (Permit for Use of Roads, Trails, or Areas Restricted by Regulation or Order), specifically exempting them from this Order or a written determination by a Forest Service authorized officer that a permit is not required under 36 C.F.R. § 251.50(e)(1) or (2).
2. Any Federal, State, or Local Officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.
3. Persons with valid recreation residence permits who have coordinated with the permit administrator for exemption from this Order.

**DESCRIBED ROADS AND TRAILS**

The Described Roads and Trails are in the vicinity of Parshall, Colorado, within the 2020 Williams Fork Fire burn scar.

The Described Roads and Described Trails are all NFS roads and trails:

1. NFS Roads: 140.3 (Keyser Ridge Road Spur) and 141.1 (Kinney Creek Road) starting from the Kinney Creek Trailhead.
2. NFS Trails: M140 (Keyser Ridge Loop), M141 (Elk Wallow), M142 (K & K

Connection)

**PURPOSE**

The purpose of this Order is to protect public health and safety within burned areas of the 2020 Williams Fork Fire.

**IMPLEMENTATION**

1. This Order shall be in effect from June 15, 2024, at 12:01 AM through November 15, 2024, at 11:59 PM, unless rescinded.
2. A map identifying the Described Roads and Trails is attached and made part of this Order as Exhibit A. For a digital version of this Order and Exhibit A, go to <https://www.fs.usda.gov/alerts/arp/alerts-notice>.
3. Unless otherwise expressly defined in this Order, the terms used in this Order are defined by the regulations of the Secretary of Agriculture, 36 C.F.R. Chapter II, Parts 200-299. If there are terms in this Order that are not expressly defined in the Order or 36 C.F.R. Chapter II, Parts 200-299, their meaning shall be determined by their plain language definitions.
4. A violation of the above prohibitions is punishable as a Class B misdemeanor by a fine of not more than \$5,000 for individuals and \$10,000 for organizations, or by imprisonment for not more than six months, or both. 16 U.S.C. § 551; 18 U.S.C. §§ 3559, 3571, and 3581.
5. Contact the Sulphur Ranger District or the Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests and Pawnee National Grassland Supervisor's Office by phone at 970-295-6600 for more information about this Order.

Signed and issued on June 13, 2024

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