

USDA FOREST SERVICE SAN BERNARDINO NATIONAL FOREST FOREST ORDER NO. 05-12-00-23-05 OCCUPANCY AND USE

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(a), and in order to protect natural resources, the following acts are prohibited within the boundaries of the San Bernardino National Forest. This Order is effective from **September 1**st, 2023, through **August 31**st, 2025.

- 1. Camping for more than 14 days in any 30-day period. 36 C.F.R. § 261.58(a).
- 2. Camping within 1/4 mile of State Highways, developed campgrounds, picnic grounds, developed recreation sites, trailheads, and private property. 36 C.F.R. § 261.58(e).
- 3. Entering or remaining in a campground between 9 p.m. and 7 a.m. except for persons who are camping in such campgrounds. 36 C.F.R. § 261.58(c).
- 4. Parking or leaving a vehicle in violation of posted instructions. 36 C.F.R. § 261.58(g).

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

- 1. Persons with a 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.
- 2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire-fighting resource in the performance of an official duty.

These prohibitions are in addition to the general prohibitions contained in 36 C.F.R. Part 261, Subpart A. A violation of these prohibitions is 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 six months, or both. 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 18 U.S.C. §§ 3559, 3571, and 3581.

Executed in San Bernardino, California on AUGUST 31, 2023.

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