

PROHIBITIONS



United States
Department of
Agriculture

ORDER OF FOREST SUPERVISOR

Forest Service
Hot Springs,
Arkansas

OUACHITA NATIONAL FOREST



ORDER NO. OA-MENA-02-2024

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF 16 U.S.C., SECTION 551 AND 36 CFR 261.50(a) AND (b), THE FOLLOWING ACTS ARE PROHIBITED ON THE AREA DESCRIBED IN THIS ORDER AS **WOLF PEN GAP COMPLEX** WITHIN THE OUACHITA NATIONAL FOREST, AS INDICATED BY THE ATTACHED MAP.

THE FOLLOWING PROHIBITED ACTS ARE SET FORTH IN 36 CFR 261.54, 261.55, AND 261.58:

261.54(e) and 261.55(a). Operating an off road vehicle in area after sundown or before sunrise.

261.54(e) and 261.55(a). Operating any motorized vehicle when seasonally closed; closed for maintenance; or closed for short-term resource protection due to wet conditions (wet weather management plan).

261.54(f). Operating any motorized vehicle carelessly, recklessly or without regard for the rights and safety of other persons or in a manner or at a speed that would endanger or be likely to endanger any person or property.

261.54(a) and 261.55(b) Using a tracked vehicle.

261.58(e) Camping in other than designated campsites.

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

THE AREA IS DEFINED AS:

All National Forest Lands within the boundaries east of AR Hwy 375 between the communities of Dallas and Shady, north of Forest Road 25 between Shady and Forest Road 95, west of Forest Road 95 from Forest Road 25 to Polk Co. Road 61, south of Polk 61 between Forest Road 95 and AR Hwy 8, south of AR Hwy 8 from Polk 61 to Polk 44, and south of Polk 44 between AR Hwy 8 and the community of Dallas. See attached map (Exhibit 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 otherwise prohibited act or omission.
- (2) Any Federal, State, or local officer or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.

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

THIS ORDER WILL EXPIRE TWO (2) YEARS FROM DATE OF EXECUTION

Executed in Hot Springs, Arkansas, this 30th day of April, 2024.

DAN OLSEN
Forest Supervisor

Violations of these prohibitions is punishable by a fine of not more that \$5,000 for an individual and \$10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than six months, or both.
16 USC 551 and 18 USC 3559 and 3571

Wolf Pen Gap Project Area Trails and Roads

Legend

- Project Area
- USFS Ownership
- Foot Trail
- Highway System
- Shale Pit Restoration
- Warm-up Trail Obliteration
- Warm-up Trail Relocation

**Wolf Pen Gap Trails
Alternative I**

- Seasonal OHV
- Obliterate

**Wolf Pen Gap Roads
Alternative I**

- Highway Only - Year Round
- Highway and OHV - Year Round
- Highway Year Round/Seasonal OHV
- Seasonal - Highway and OHV
- To Be Closed
- Obliterate
- County, State or Private

The Forest Service uses the most restrictive management plan available. It does not intend to remove any of the following roads, trails, or structures unless it is necessary to protect the health and safety of the public or the environment. The Forest Service will consider all comments and suggestions received during the public comment period. The Forest Service will make the final decision on the management plan for the project area. The Forest Service will provide a final management plan for the project area. The Forest Service will provide a final management plan for the project area. The Forest Service will provide a final management plan for the project area.

