

ORDER NO. 08-04-05-386

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

CHEROKEE NATIONAL FOREST

Developed Trail Restriction

Pursuant to 36 CFR, Section 261.50 (b), it is hereby ordered that the prohibition hereinafter set forth apply to the Appalachian Scenic Trail within the Cherokee National Forest, shown on the attached map.


1. Using a bicycle or motorized vehicle. **36 CFR 261.55(b)**
2. Riding, hitching, tethering, or hobbling a horse or other saddle or pack animal. **36 CFR 261.58(aa)**
3. Shortcutting a switchback. **36 CFR 261.55(e)**

The above-prohibited act is set forth in Title 36 C.F.R. Section 261.58.

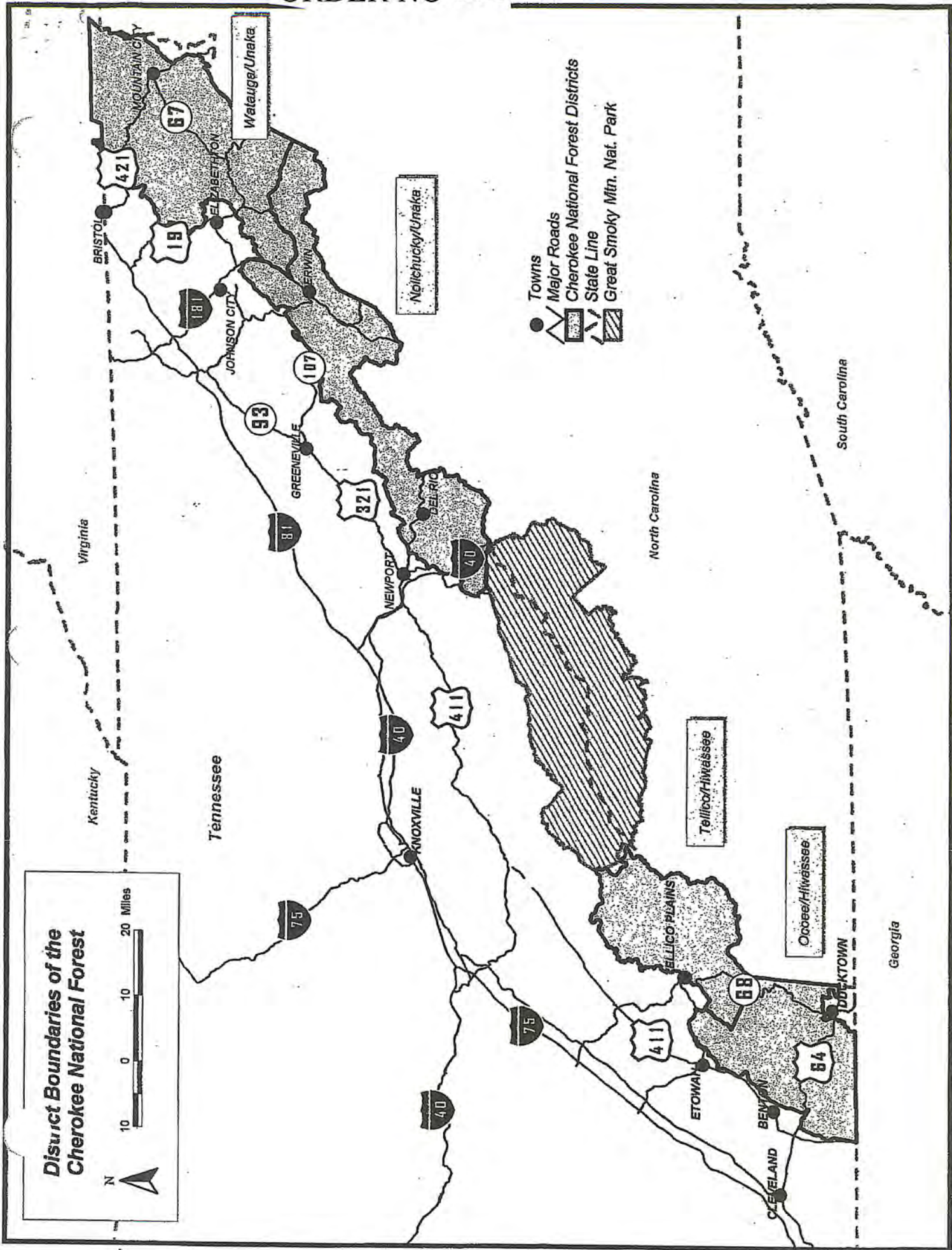
Pursuant to 36 CFR, Section 261.50 (e), the following persons or areas are exempt from this Order:

1. Persons with a special use permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission, issued by the District Ranger.
2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.

Executed in Cleveland, Tennessee, this 23 day of may, 2016.


Derrick JaSal Morris
Forest Supervisor
Cherokee National Forest

Violation of these prohibitions set forth above is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000 for an individual and \$10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months, or both. See 16 U.S.C. 551, 18 U.S.C. 3559 and 3571.



District Boundaries of the Cherokee National Forest



- Towns
- Major Roads
- Cherokee National Forest Districts
- State Line
- Great Smoky Mtn. Nat. Park

Tennessee

Virginia

Kentucky

North Carolina

South Carolina

Georgia

Watauga/Unaka

Nelchucky/Unaka

Tellico/Hiwassee

Ocoee/Hiwassee

Tellico Plains

MOUNTAIN CITY

ELIZABETH ON

JOHNSON CITY

GREENEVILLE

NEWPORT

KNOXVILLE

ETOWAH

BENJAMIN

CLEVELAND

DUCKTOWN

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321

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