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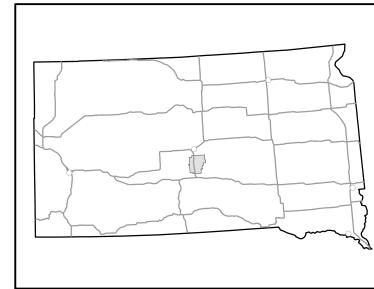
# America's Great Outdoors



National Grassland Fort Pierre Use Map

**VICINITY MAP** 

Motor Vehicle



# **INFORMATION SOURCES**

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# **PURPOSE AND CONTENTS OF THIS MAP**

The designations shown on this motor vehicle use map (MVUM) were made by the responsible official pursuant to 36 CFR 212.51; are effective as of the date on the front cover of this MVUM; and will remain in effect until superceded by the next year's MVUM.

It is the responsibility of the user to acquire the current MVUM. This MVUM shows the National Forest System roads, National Forest System trails, and the areas on National Forest System lands in the Fort Pierre National Grasslands that are designated for motor vehicle use pursuant to 36 CFR 212.51. This MVUM also identifies the vehicles classes allowed on each route and in each area and any seasonal restrictions that apply on those routes and in

Designation of a road, trail, or area for motor vehicle use by a particular class of vehicle under 36 CFR 212.51 should not be interpreted as encouraging or inviting use, or to imply that the road, trail, or area is passable, actively maintained, or safe for travel. Motor vehicle designations include parking along designated routes and at facilities associated with designated routes when it is safe to do so and when not causing damage to National Forest System resources. Seasonal weather conditions and natural events may render designated roads and trails impassable for extended periods. Designated areas may contain dangerous or impassable terrain. Many designated roads and trails may be passable only by highclearance vehicles or four-wheel drive vehicles. Maintenance of designated roads and trails will depend on available resources, and many may receive little maintenance.

This motor vehicle use map identifies those roads, trails, and areas designated for the motor vehicle use under 36 CFR 212.51 for the purpose of enforcing the prohibition at 36 CFR 261.13. This is a limited purpose. The other public roads are shown for information and navigation purposes only and are not subject to designation under the Forest Service travel management regulation.

These designations apply only to National Forest System roads, National Forest System trails, and areas on National Forest System lands.

### **PROHIBITIONS**

on National Forest System lands on the Fort Pierre designations (36 CFR 261.13).

Violators of 36 CFR 261.13 are subject to a fine of up to \$5,000 or imprisonment for up to 6 months or both (18 U.S.C. 3571(e)). This prohibition applies regardless of the presence or absence of signs.

This map does not display nonmotorized uses, over-snow uses, or other facilities and attractions on the Fort Pierre National Grassland. Obtain forest visitor information from the local national forest office. Designated roads, trails, and areas may also be subject to

temporary, emergency closures. As a visitor, you must comply with signs notifying you of such restrictions. A national forest may issue an order to close a road, trail, or area on a temporary basis to protect the life, health or safety of forest visitors or the natural or cultural resources in these areas. Such a temporary and/or emergency closures are consistent with the Travel Management Rule (36 CFR 212.52 (b); 36 CFR 261 subpart B).

The designation "road or trail open to all motor vehicles"

does not supersede State traffic law.

Operating a motor vehicle on National Forest System roads, National Forest System trails, and in areas on National Forest System lands carries a greater responsibility than operating that vehicle in a city or other developed setting. Not only must you know and follow all applicable traffic laws, you need to show concern for the environment as well as other forest users. The misuse of motor vehicles can lead to the temporary or permanent closure of any designated road, trail, or area. As a motor vehicle operator, you are subject to State traffic law, including State requirements for licensing,

registration, and operation of the vehicle in question. Motor vehicle use, especially off-highway vehicle use, involves inherent risks that may cause property damage, serious injury, and possibly death to participants. Drive cautiously and anticipate rough surfaces and features, such as snow, mud, vegetation, and water crossings common to remote driving conditions. By your participation, you voluntarily assume full responsibility for these damages, risks, and dangers. Take care at all times to protect yourself and those

Much of the Fort Pierre National Grassland is remote. Medical assistance may not be readily available. Cellular telephones do not work in many areas of the Fort Pierre National Grassland. Take adequate food, water, first-aid supplies, and other equipment appropriate for the conditions ALWAYS REMEMBER TO RESPECT PRIVATE LAND! PROTECT YOUR PRIVILEGE. STAY ON DESIGNATED

questions please contact the Fort Pierre National Grassland

As a motor vehicle operator on a National Forest System road, trail, or area, you must comply with this map, as well

It is prohibited to possess or operate a motor vehicle National Grassland other than in accordance with these

# **OPERATOR RESPONSIBILITIES**

under your responsibility.

ROADS AND TRAILS AND IN DESIGNATED AREAS. Read and understand this map in its entirety. If you have for clarification.

as all Federal, State, and local laws and regulations.

# **EXPLANATION OF LEGEND ITEMS** Roads Open to Highway Legal Vehicles Only:

Roads Open to Highway Legal Vehicles

Seasonal Designation (See Table)

- Highways, US, State

Other Public Roads

Forest or Unit Boundary

National Forest System Lands

within the National Forest

Lakes and Rivers

Non-National Forest System Lands

70333 Short Route Identifier

Legend

Seasonal Designation: This symbol, used in conjunction with one of the other road or trail symbols, indicates that the road or trail is open only during certain portions of the year. Refer to

Seasonal and Special Designation Table for further

These roads are open only to motor vehicles licensed under

State law for general operation on all public roads within the

# Other Public Roads and Trails:

⁻Highways, U.S., State Other Public Roads

---- Other Public Trails These symbols are used to show routes that the Forest Service does have not jurisdiction over and has not designated for motorized use. These symbols are part of the reference layers showing connections to towns and cities outside the forest boundary.

## Short Route Identifier:

This symbol is used for roads that are too short to show a symbol type on the map. The symbol contains the road or trail number. Users should refer to the corresponding number in the Short Route Table for more information on the designated route.

Roads Too Short to be Seen Clearly on the Map				
Road Number	Route Designation	Length in Feet		
208-A	Routes Open to Highway Legal Vehicles Only	324		



Respect the environment and the rights of others.

Educate yourself plan and prepare before you go.

minimum impact.

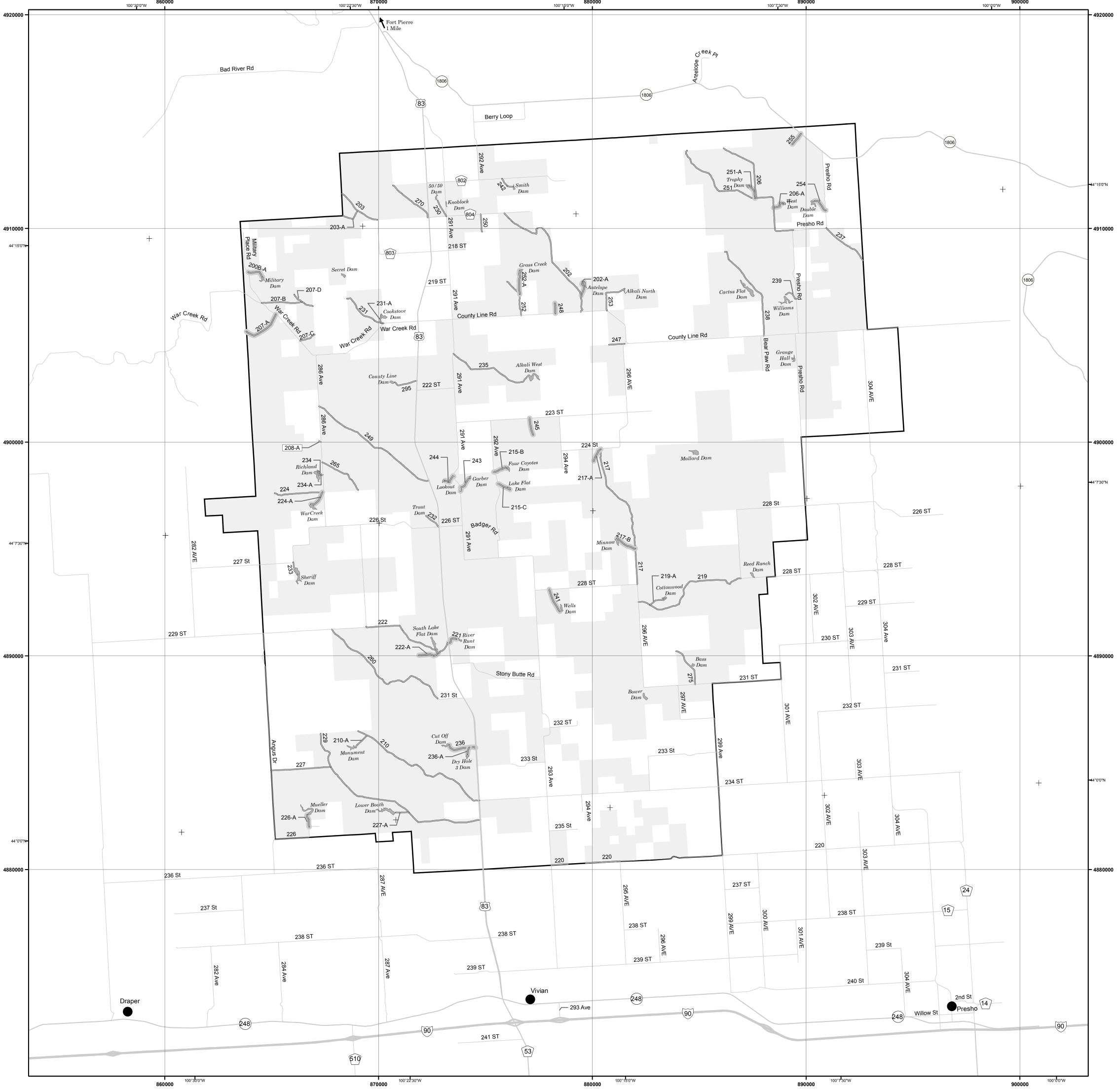
BLANKET STATEMENTS FOR TRAVEL MANAGEMENT

Motorized travel for dispersed camping is allowed within the vehicle use areas adjacent to the Sherriff Dam, Richland Dam and Richland Wildlife areas (208-A).

The FPNG complies with National Policy which welcomes wheelchairs or other exempt vehicles on all NFS lands open to foot travel. Exempt vehicles are defined as "any wheelchair or mobility device, including one that is battery-powered, that is designed solely for use by a mobility-impaired person for locomotion, and that is suitable for use in an indoor pedestrian area" (36 CFR Part 212). Otherwise there are no special provisions allowing motorized access for mobility-impaired persons off of the designated road system.

# **Seasonal and Special Vehicle Designations**

Route Number	Legend	Special Vehicle Designation	Dates Allowed
200B-A, 202-A, 206-A, 215-B, 215-C, 217-B, 221, 224-A, 226-A, 231, 236, 236-A, 241, 243, 244, 251-A, 252-A, 254	Roads open to highway legal vehicles only, with Seasonal Designation	Seasonal Designation	12/01-08/31
207-A, 217-A, 222-A, 245, 248, 255	Roads open to highway legal vehicles only, with Seasonal Designation	Seasonal Designation	06/15-08/31



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