

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
UNITED STATES FOREST SERVICE  
NATIONAL FOREST IN NORTH CAROLINA  
PISGAH NATIONAL FOREST  
APPALACHIAN RANGER DISTRICT  
MARS HILL NORTH CAROLINA**

**ORDER NO. 08-11-08-21-119**

**FOREST ORDER**

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 36 CFR 261.53 (e), for the protection of public health and safety, the following acts are prohibited on all lands administered by the **National Forest in North Carolina**. This Order is effective from August 27, 2021 through December 25, 2021 or until terminated by an authorized Forest Service official, whichever occurs first.

This closure provides for various roads and areas on the Pisgah National Forest. Not all measures extend to each road and or area therefore roads and areas are listed individually below with the pertinent closure measures.

**National Forest System Road Numbers and Road Names**

\*Closure area consists of 50 feet each direction from centerline of roadway on each road listed


- 63 – Stoney Fork Road
  - **Using any type of vehicle prohibited by the order. (36 CFR 261.54(a). This includes but is not limited to:**
    - **Horseback riders**
    - **Non-motorized or wheeled conveyance (bicycles)**
    - **All motorized vehicles**
  - **Being on the road. 36 CFR 261.54(e) This includes but is not limited to pedestrians.**
  - **Camping. 36 CFR 261.58(e)**
  
- 74 – Big Ivy Road (also known as Coleman Boundary)
  - **Using any type of vehicle prohibited by the order. (36 CFR 261.54(a). This includes but is not limited to:**
    - **Horseback riders**
    - **Non-motorized or wheeled conveyance (bicycles)**
    - **All motorized vehicles**
  - **Being on the road. 36 CFR 261.54(e) This includes but is not limited to pedestrians.**
  - **Camping. 36 CFR 261.58(e)**
  
- 472 – South Toe Road
  - **Using any type of vehicle prohibited by the order. (36 CFR 261.54(a). This includes but is not limited to:**
    - **Horseback riders**
    - **Non-motorized or wheeled conveyance (bicycles)**
    - **All motorized vehicles**
  - **Being on the road. 36 CFR 261.54(e) This includes but is not limited to pedestrians.**
  - **Camping. 36 CFR 261.58(e)**

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.53(e) the following persons are exempt from the above prohibitions:

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 their official duty.
3. Persons hiking Elk Pen Trail (Forest Service Trail (FST) 166) through to Upper Corner Rock Trail (FST 173), or Walker Creek Trail (FST 165) through to Perkins Trails (FST 175) or Stair Creek Trail (FST 183) through to Bear Pen Trail (FST 176) or Little Andy Trail (174) may cross Big Ivy Road (FSR 74) only where the respective trail and location of Big Ivy Road (FSR 74) intersect.
4. Persons hiking South River Loop Trail (FST 200) may cross South Toe Road (FSR 472) only where South River Loop Trail and the location of South Toe Road (FSR 472) intersect.

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

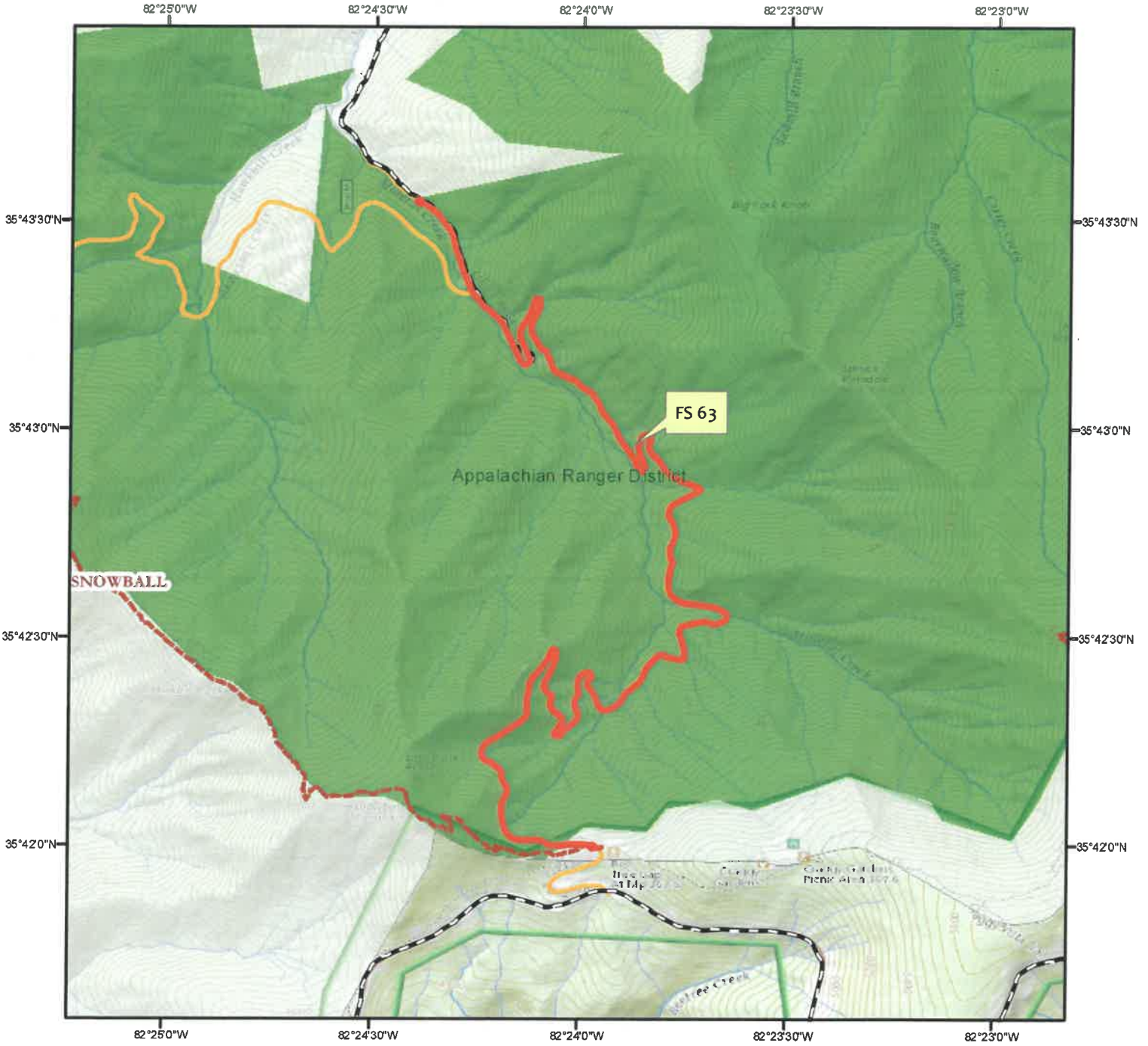
Executed in Asheville, North Carolina, this 27th day of August, 2021.



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National Forests in North Carolina




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 6 months, or both. 16 USC 551 and 18 USC 3559, 3571 and 3581.



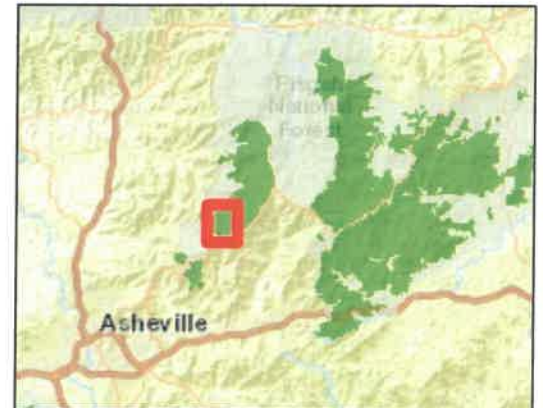
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-  Forest Service Trails
-  Forest Service Roads

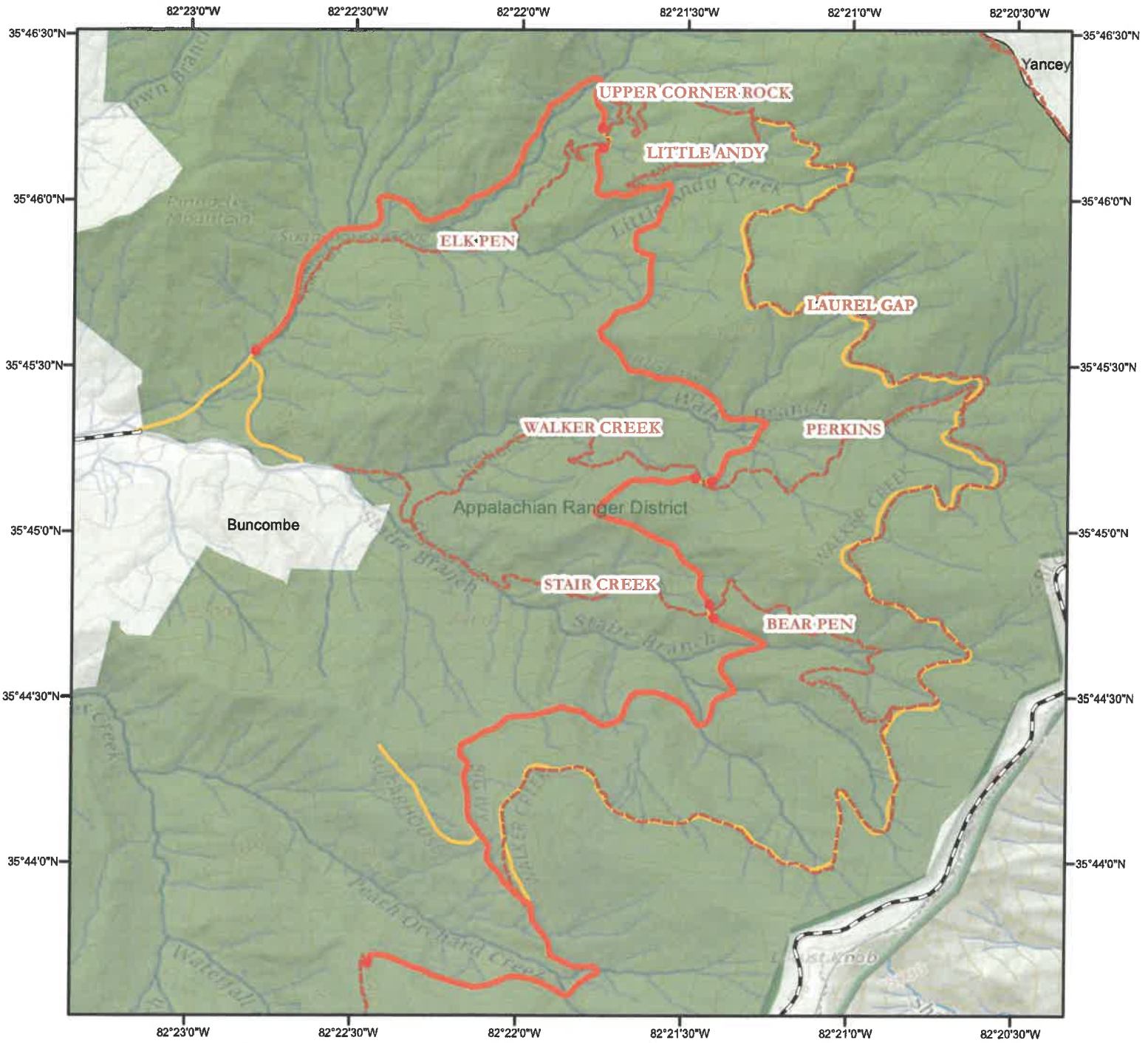
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# Big Ivy Road #74 Area Closure - Order No. 08-11-07-21-119

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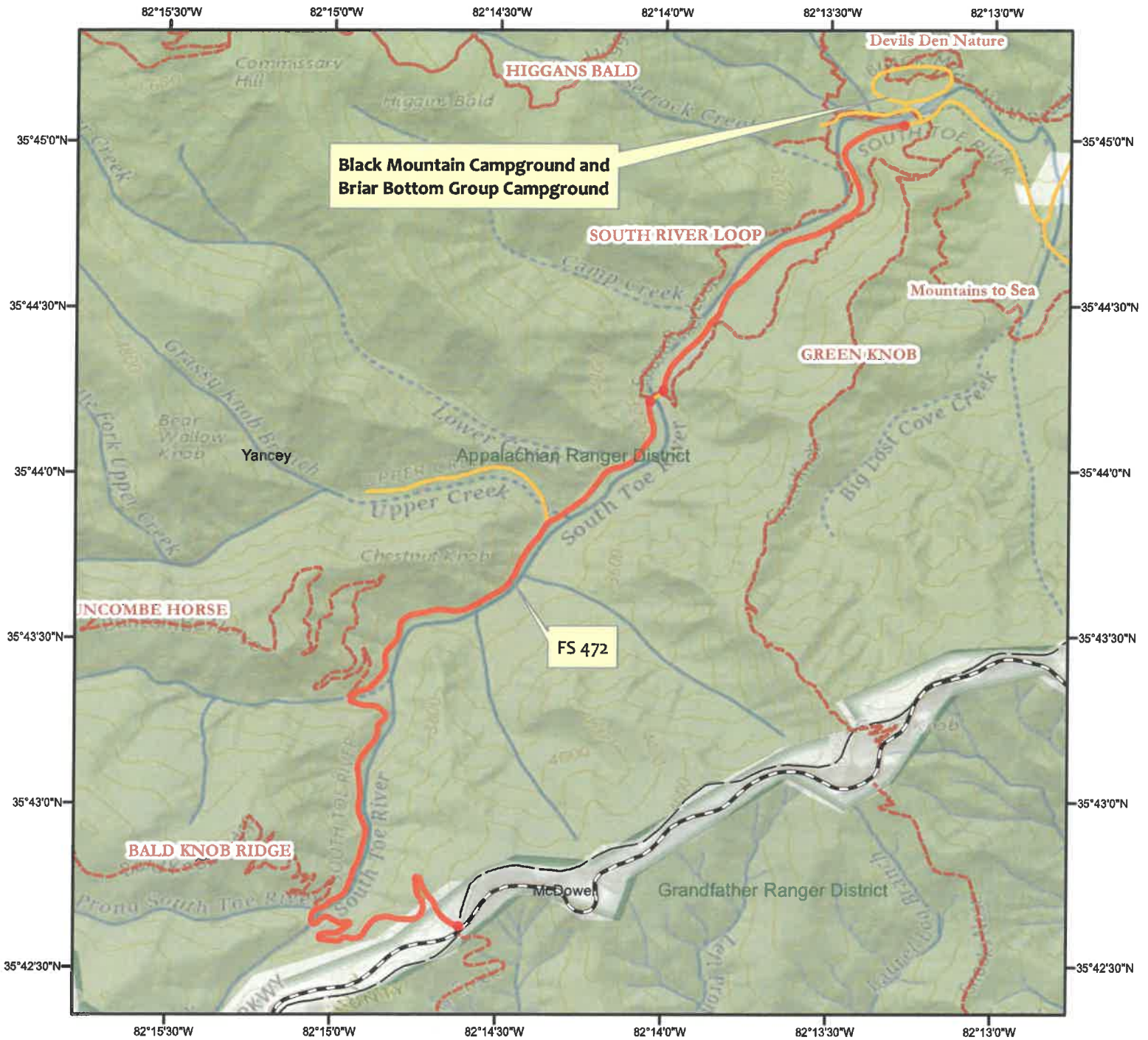
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# South Toe Road #472 Area Closure - Order No. 08-11-07-21-119




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