

Order Number 04-19-203

UNITED STATES DEPARMTENT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE 8230 FEDERAL BUILDING, 125 SOUTH STATE STREET SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH 84138

SPECIAL ORDER OF FOREST SUPERVISOR UINTA-WASATCH-CACHE NATIONAL FOREST SALT LAKE RANGER DISTRICT

Winter Recreation Travel Maps

PROHIBITIONS: Pursuant to Title 36 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 261.50 (a), and (b) **the following acts are prohibited** in the areas described in this Order, and on National Forest System roads, trails and areas as described below. All lands affected are located on the Salt Lake Ranger District, Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest. This order is in effect until further notice:

- 1. Using any type of vehicle on a road where such use has been restricted or prohibited on the WINTER RECREATION TRAVEL MAP portion of the Order (36 CFR 261.54(a)).
- 2. Using any type of vehicle on a National Forest System trail where such use has been restricted or prohibited on the WINTER RECREATION TRAVEL MAP portion of the Order (36 CFR 261.55(b)).
- 3. Using any type of vehicle on a National Forest System road which is in violation of Utah State Law, to wit; Title 41 of Utah Criminal and Traffic Code (36 CFR261.54 (a)).
- 4. Using or possessing a vehicle off existing and established forest system roads/trails where such use has been restricted or prohibited on the WINTER TRAVEL MAP portion of the Order (36 CFR 261.56).
- 5. Using any type of vehicle on roads unless such use is allowed by official Forest Service signs posted on the ground or as shown on the WINTER TRAVEL MAP portion of the Order (36 CFR 261.54(a)).

EXEMPTIONS: Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this order:

- 1. Persons with a Forest Service permit specifically exempting them from the effect of this Order.
- 2. Persons commissioned by the Forest Service and engaged in the execution of a contract in the area, or road, or trail that is closed.
- 3. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.

Albion Basin Specific – See Attached Map

- 4. Grizzly Gulch residents who travel on the route designated on the map below as the "24 Hour over snow vehicle Route" at any time during the winter season.
- 5. Residents in the Albion Basin, Albion Alps, and Cecret Lake area who travel on the designated routes shown below during the hours of 5:00 p.m.to 8:30 a.m., or at any time when the ski area is not open for public operations.

AREA DESCRIBED: All National Forest System Lands located within the boundaries of the Salt Lake Ranger District of the Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest and all National Forest System roads and trails as designated and/or shown on the Salt Lake Ranger District as shown on the attached maps.

IMPLEMENTATION

- 1. This closure is for public safety and protection of soil, vegetation, wildlife, and other resources of the Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest.
- 2. Violation of these prohibitions is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000.00 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization, and/or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months. [Title 16 USC 551, Title 18 USC 3571(b)(6), and Title 18 USC 3581(b) (7)].
- 3. This Order will be in effect when signed and shall remain in effect until further notice.
- Further information regarding this Order may be obtained at the Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest Supervisors Office, (801) 236-3400or the Salt Lake Ranger District. (801) 733-2660.
- 5. This order supercedes any previous orders prohibiting the same or similar acts in the above described areas on the Salt Lake Ranger District.

Done at Salt Lake City, Utab this 17th day of December, 2010

Brian Felebee

Forest Supervisor

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REFER TO TITLE 36 CFR 261 FOR ADDITIONAL REGULATIONS CONCERNING USE OF NATIONAL FOREST LANDS.

This information applies to National Forest Lands. For information regarding travel regulations outside the Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest, contact the appropriate federal, state, county, community office or private land owner.



Winter Recreation Travel Map Salt Lake Ranger District Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest



This map describes winter motorized travel opportunities and restrictions for the Salt Lake Ranger District on the Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest. Motorized travel is only allowed during the dates shown on this map when snow depth is adequate to prevent resource damage. Additional closures or restrictions may be made at any time for resource protection or public safety. For current travel information, contact the sources listed below.

DEFINITIONS

RESOURCE DAMAGE – Includes, but is not limited to the rutting of roads, trails, or other surfaces by any type of vehicle during wet or muddy conditions, damaging any type of fish or wildlife habitat, harassing any wildlife or damaging vegetation.

OFF HIGHWAY VEHICLE (OHV) – Any motorized vehicle designed for or capable of cross-country travel on or immediately over land, water, snow, sand, ice, marsh, swampland, or other terrain. This includes, but is not limited to, four-wheel-drives, motorcycles, snowmobiles, ATVs, and air-cushion vehicles.

OVER-SNOW VEHICLE (OSV) – A self propelled vehicle intended for travel primarily on snow, having a curb weight of not more than 1,000 pounds, driven by a track or tracks in contact with the snow, and steered by a ski or skis in contact with the snow.

MOTORIZED ACCESS ROUTE – A designated travel route providing motorized access through a non-motorized area.

SNOWLINE – The lowest elevation on a motorized access route with at least 2 inches of compacted snow.

Tread Lightly! Pledge:

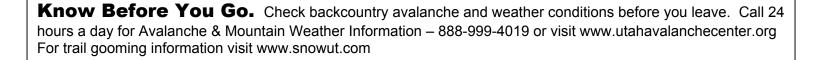
Travel and recreate with minimum impact.

Respect the environment and the rights of others.

Educate yourself, plan and prepare before you go.

Allow for future use of the outdoors, leave it better than you find it.

Discover the rewards of responsible recreation



For more information contact:

Salt Lake Ranger District

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