

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

UNITED STATES FOREST SERVICE

CHATTAHOOCHEE – OCONEE NATIONAL FOREST

OCONEE RANGER DISTRICT

ORDER NUMBER CO—13-31

OCCUPANCY AND USE

Pursuant to Title 36 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Section 261.50 (a) and (b), the following acts or omissions are prohibited on lands around the Office and Work Center, as described on attached map, located on the Oconee Ranger District within the Chattahoochee – Oconee National Forest. This closure is effective from July 25, 2013 through July 25, 2023.

1. Discharging a firearm, air rifle, or gas gun. 36 CFR 261.58 (m)
2. Hunting. 36 CFR 261. 58 (v)

Pursuant to the provisions of Title 36 C.F.R, Section 261.50 (e), the following persons are exempt from the above prohibition:

1. Any Federal, State, or Local Law Enforcement Officer or firefighter or organized rescue, U. S. Forest Service Employee or designee, or Military personnel engaged in the official performance of their duties.
2. Persons with a permit specially authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.

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Violations of this prohibition is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5000.00 for an individual and \$10,000 for an organization or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months or both. Title 16 USC 551 and Title 18 USC 3559 and 3571.