

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
FOREST SERVICE**

**HUMBOLDT-TOIYABE NATIONAL FOREST  
CARSON RANGER DISTRICT**

**FIRE RESTRICTION ORDER**

**A. PROHIBITIONS**

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited on the area, roads, and trails as described in this order, within the Carson Ranger District, Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest, beginning July 1, 2008 at 12:01 a.m. and continuing until further notice.

1. **Building, maintaining, attending or using a fire, campfire, or stovefire.**  
[36 CFR 261.52(a)]
2. **Smoking, except within an enclosed vehicle or building, a developed recreation site, or while stopped in an area at least three feet in diameter that is barren or cleared of all flammable material to mineral soil.**  
[36 CFR 261.52(d)]
3. **Welding, or operating an acetylene or other torch with open flame.**  
[36 CFR 261.52(i)]
4. **Using an explosive.**  
[36 CFR 261.52(b)]

**B. EXEMPTIONS**

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(e), each of the following persons are exempt from this order.

1. Portable stoves using gas, jellied petroleum or pressurized liquid fuel.
2. Persons using campfires within the approved fire pits or grills provided in Developed Recreation Sites as listed in Exhibit C.
3. Persons with a permit specifically exempting them from the effect of this Order. Annual California Campfire Permit, form LE-63, is not considered a permit for the purposes of exemption to this Order.
4. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of a organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.

**C. AREA DESCRIBED**

All areas, roads and trails, as show on Exhibit A, Map that are outside of Developed Recreation Sites listed in Exhibit C, within the boundaries of the Carson Ranger District, Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest.

**D. PURPOSE**

The purpose of this order is to protect public health, well being and safety.

**E. IMPLEMENTATION**

1. Exhibit A, Map, Exhibit B, Definitions, and Exhibit C, Developed Recreation Sites where Campfires are allowed, are attached and incorporated into this order.
2. This Special Order implementing Fire Restrictions is effective at 12:01 A.M. on July 1, 2008, and shall remain in effect until resinded.

**Violation of these prohibitions is punishable as a class B misdemeanor, by a fine of not more than \$5000.00 for an individual or \$10,000.00 for an organization and/or imprisonment of not more than 6 months [Title 16 USC 551, 18 USC 3571(b)(6), Title 18 USC 3581 (b)(7)].**

Done at Sparks, Nevada this 27th day of June, 2008.

*/s/ Edward Monnig*

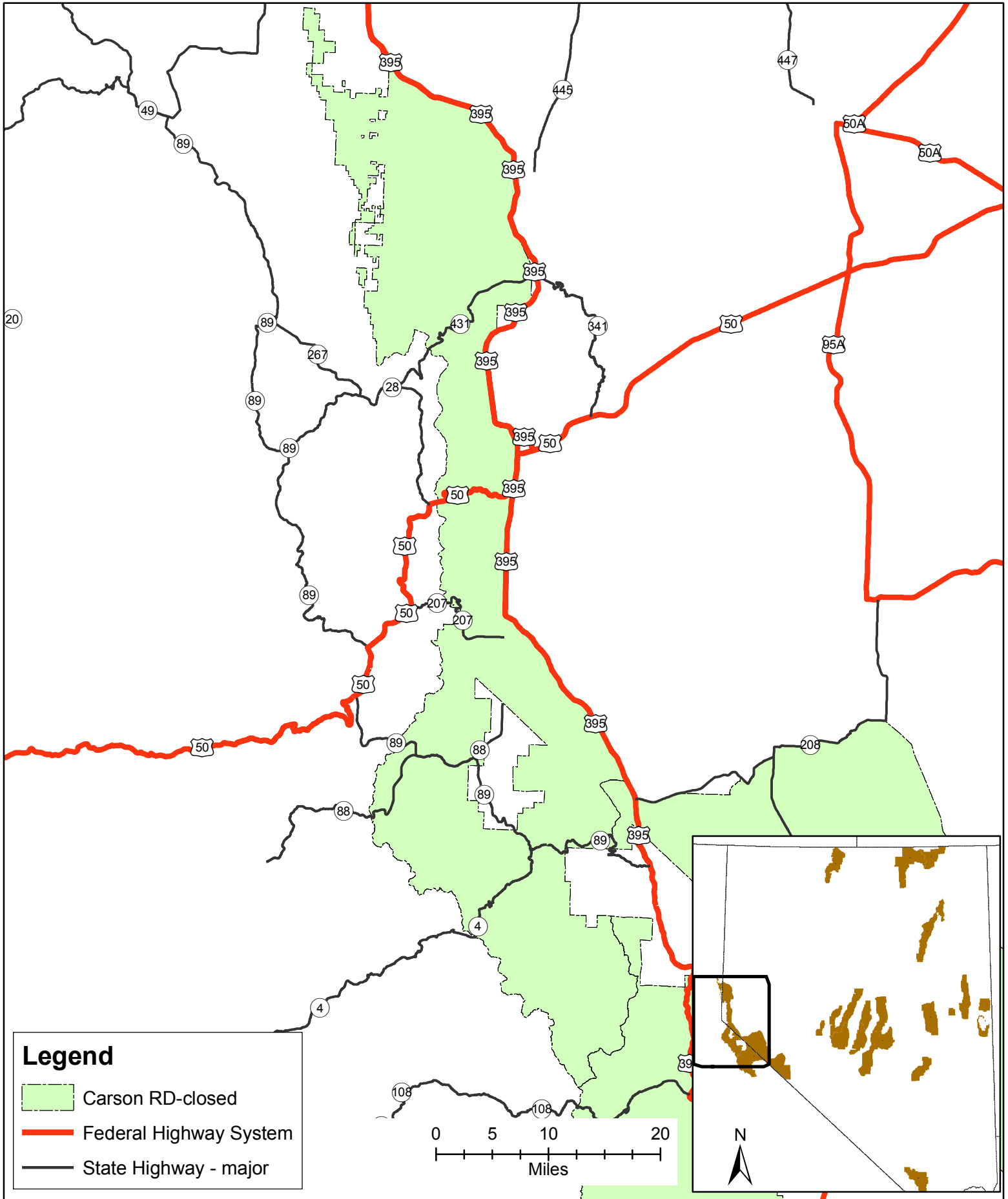
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**EXHIBIT B**

**DEFINITIONS**

**Fire Restrictions**

**AREA:** Means a discrete, specifically delineated space that is smaller, and in most cases much smaller, than a Ranger District.

**CAMPFIRE:** A fire, not within any building, mobile home, or living accommodation mounted on a motor vehicle, which is used for cooking, branding, personal warmth, lighting, ceremonial, or esthetic purposes.

**STOVE FIRE:** A campfire built inside an enclosed stove or grill, a portable brazier, or a pressurized liquid or gas stove including a space heating device.

**DEVELOPED RECREATION SITE:** An area which has been improved or developed for recreation. (A developed recreation site is signed as an agency-owned campground or picnic area and identified on a Forest Service map as a site developed for that purpose).

**FOREST SERVICE ROAD OR TRAIL:** Means a road or trail wholly or partly within or adjacent to and serving the National Forest System that the Forest Service determines is necessary for the protection, administration, and utilization of the National Forest System and the use and development of its resources.

**PERMIT:** Means authorization in writing by a forest officer.

For further definitions or clarification of definitions, refer to Title 36 Code of Federal Regulations 261.2.

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**EXHIBIT C**

**DEVELOPED RECREATION SITES  
ALLOWING CAMPFIRES**

**Fire Restrictions**

Silver Creek Campground  
Markleeville Campground  
Crystal Springs Campground  
Kit Carson Campground  
Hope Valley Campground  
Mount Rose Campground  
Lookout Campground