
Livingston Ranger District News Release



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A Portion of Mill Creek Road Closed for Hazard Tree Removal Project

Livingston, MT – The Livingston Ranger District of the Gallatin National Forest will be closing Mill Creek Road #486 at Snowbank Campground starting on Monday, September 15th to allow for removal of hazard trees resulting from the 2007 Wicked Creek wildfire. The hazard tree removal project starts at Snowbank Campground and extends to the upper portions of the Dutch Creek Road #2508 and the administrative road #2508 in the Upper Passage Falls area. The road closure is necessary to allow for safe and efficient removal of the hazard trees.

The hazard tree removal work on the lower portion of the road (from Snowbank Campground to the #486-#2508 junction) should be completed before the beginning of the big game rifle hunting season. After October 15th, the lower portion of the road will be opened, but the upper road #486 at its junction with road #2508 will be closed. The entire project is expected to be completed by late November, and what is not completed by then will begin again in late spring or early summer of 2009.

For additional information, please contact the Livingston Ranger District at (406)222-1892.