

SPECIAL AREA CLOSURE

DESCHUTES NATIONAL FOREST

Pursuant to 16 USC 551, 36 CFR§261.50 (a) and (b), the following special restrictions and prohibitions are established within the specific area known as the Summit Springs Complex, within the Deschutes National Forest, Sisters Ranger District, in the State of Oregon, contained within the boundary lines described as follows, and where signed and/or depicted on the attached map, hereby incorporated in this Order as Page 3 of 3.

- The area encircled within a boundary line beginning at the intersection of Forest Road 14 and Forest Road 1490, thence along Forest Road 1490 in a clockwise direction to its intersection with Forest Road 1140 to its intersection with Forest Road 1140-600, thence continuing in a clockwise direction along Forest Road 1140-600 to its intersection with Forest Road 1140-625, thence along Forest Road 1140-625 to its intersection with Forest Road 1140-627, thence down the ridge due East to Forest Road 14 at its junction with intersection at Forest Road 1400-640, thence along Forest Road 14 to the beginning.
- Forest Road 1490 will be closed to travel from its intersection at Forest Road 14 to Forest Road 1140. Forest Road 1140 will be closed to travel from its intersection at Forest Road 1490 to Forest Road 1140-600. Forest Road 1140-600 will be closed to travel from its intersection at Forest Road 1140 to Forest Road 1140-625. Forest Road 1140-625 will be closed to travel from its intersection at Forest Road 1140-600 to Forest Road 1140-627.

PROHIBITIONS

It is prohibited to go into or be upon any of the above described lands which are closed for the protection of public health and safety, including all National Forest System roads and trails therein. 36 CFR § 261.53(e)

Being on a forest system road. 36 CFR § 261.54(e)

This restriction is in addition to those prohibitions enumerated in Subpart A of 36CFR§261 and any other special restrictions pertaining to the described lands`.

EXEMPTIONS

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

1. Personnel with written authorization by a Forest Officer, which specifically authorizes the otherwise prohibited act.

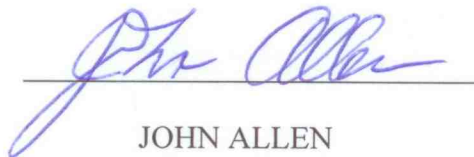
2. Any Federal, State, or local Officer in the performance of an official duty.
3. Persons or their invitees who live or own property within the closure area, and permittees who have a legitimate need to access their permitted allotment.
4. The **Lower Bridge Campground and access to the campground** are opened to public use. Access roads to be opened are defined as:
 - Forest Road 14 from its intersection at Forest Road 1499 to the junction at Forest Road 12.
 - Forest Road 12 from its intersection at Forest Road 1200-995 to the junction at Forest Road 14.
 - Lower Bridge and trail access of 100 feet to the Lower Bridge will be open.

This closure is enacted due to firefighting activities taking place within the closure area, the limited access to privately owned land in proximity to the fire area, and for the protection of public and employee safety.

This Order becomes effective at 8:00 AM, August 25th, 2008, and will remain in force until rescinded.

This Order supercedes Order DES – 2008 – 004, which is hereby rescinded.

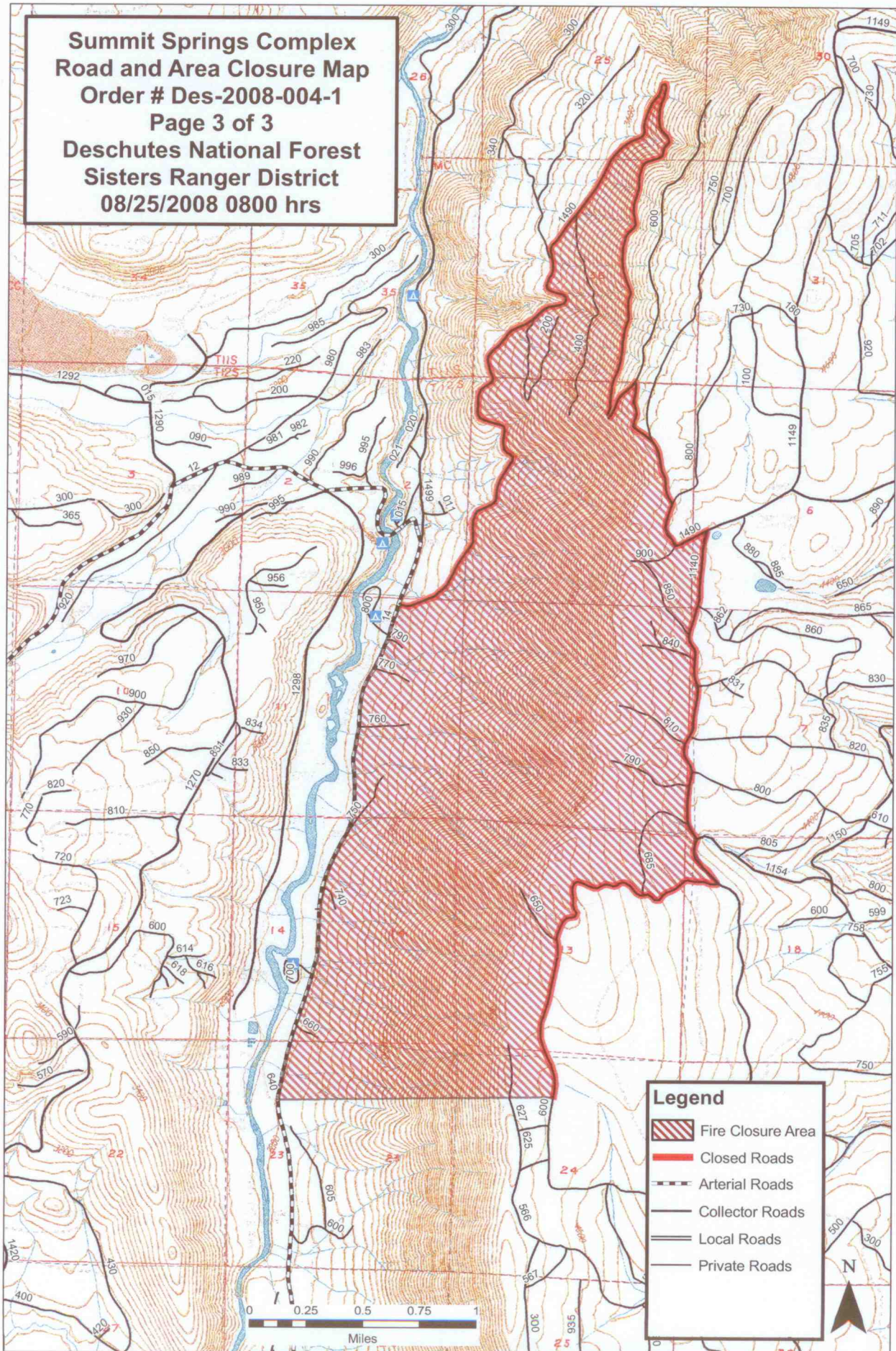
Done at Bend, Oregon, this 24th day of August, 2008



JOHN ALLEN
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VIOLATION OF THESE PROHIBITIONS IS PUNISHABLE AS A CLASS B MISDEMEANOR, BY A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$5,000 FOR AN INDIVIDUAL OR \$10,000 FOR A LEGAL ENTITY OTHER THAN AN INDIVIDUAL, OR IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN SIX (6) MONTHS, OR BOTH. TITLE 16 USC, SECTION 551; TITLE 18 USC, SECTION 3551.

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Sisters Ranger District
08/25/2008 0800 hrs**



Legend

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- Closed Roads
- Arterial Roads
- Collector Roads
- Local Roads
- Private Roads