

FOREST ORDER NUMBER 2008-03
Temporary Fire Restrictions in the High Hazard Area
Stanislaus National Forest

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(a) and (b), and to protect public safety and natural resources, the following acts are prohibited within the High Hazard Area of the Stanislaus National Forest. The High Hazard Area is shown on Exhibit A, and is described in Exhibit B. This Order is effective from June 25, 2008, through the end of the official 2008 fire season.

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

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

1. Persons with a permit from the Forest Service specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission. Persons with a valid California Campfire Permit are not exempt from the prohibitions listed above. However, persons with a valid California Campfire Permit may use a portable stove or lantern using gas, jellied petroleum, or pressurized liquid fuel.
2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.
3. Persons with a Special Use Permit from the Forest Service for a recreation residence on National Forest System lands within the High Hazard Area may use a campfire or stove fire at their recreation residence.

These prohibitions are in addition to the general prohibitions in 36 CFR Part 261, Subpart A.

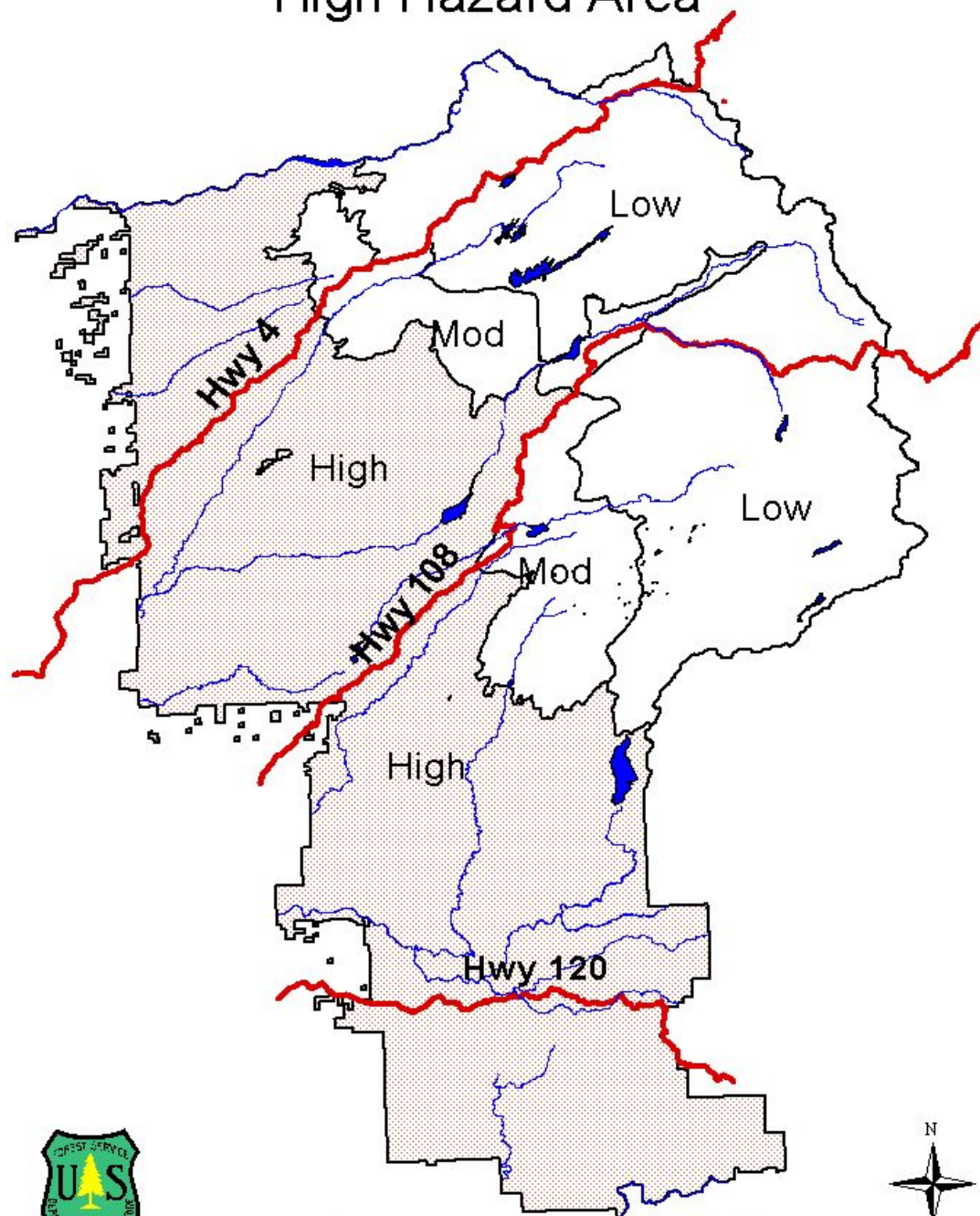
Done at Sonora California, this 17th day of June, 2008.

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Stanislaus National Forest

A violation of these prohibitions is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000.00 for an individual or \$10,000.00 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than six months, or both. 16 USC 551 and 18 USC 3559, 3571 and 3581.

EXHIBIT A
HIGH HAZARD AREA MAP
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High Hazard Area



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EXHIBIT B
HIGH HAZARD AREA DESCRIPTION
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The High Hazard area consists of all of the Stanislaus National Forest System lands that are west of the Moderate and Low Hazard Areas. The eastern boundary of this area is a line starting from the South Shore of Salt Springs Reservoir and then following the wilderness boundary south and east to the section line between sections 4 and 5 of Township 7 North, Range 17 East, then continuing southwest to the east end of Forest Road No. 7N16, then continuing west to Forest Road No. 7N09, then continuing southwest to Forest Road No. 7N23, then continuing south across Highway 4 and then continuing east to the Calaveras/Tuolumne county line, then continuing south to Big Rattlesnake Creek and then continuing east to Forest Road 6N17 and south on Forest Road 5N14, then continuing east to Forest Road 6N05, then continuing north to Shoofly Creek, then continuing east to the Middle Fork of the Stanislaus River, then continuing south to Highway 108, then continuing south to the Summit/MiWok Ranger District boundary, then continuing east to Forest Road 4N33, then continuing south to Forest Road 3N01, then continuing southeast to the Emigrant Wilderness boundary, then continuing southeast to the Yosemite National Park boundary, then continuing south along the Stanislaus National Forest boundary and ending at the Sierra National Forest Boundary. All Stanislaus National Forest lands that are west of the above described line are included in the High Hazard Area.

EXHIBIT C
DEVELOPED RECREATION SITES WITHIN THE HIGH
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MIWOK RANGER DISTRICT:

1. Fraser Flat Campground
2. Hull Creek Campground
3. River Ranch Campground
4. Riverside Picnic Area
5. Sand Bar Flat Campground

GROVELAND RANGER DISTRICT:

1. Carlon Day Use Area
2. Cherry Valley Campgrounds
3. Dimond O Campground
4. Lost Claim Campground
5. Lumsden Campground
6. Lumsden Bridge Campground
7. Middle Fork Day Use Area
8. Moore Creek Group Campground
9. Rainbow Pool Day Use Area
10. South Fork Campground
11. Sweetwater Campground
12. The Pines Campground
13. The Pines Group Campground
14. Peach Growers Tract

CALAVERAS RANGER DISTRICT:

1. Cottage Springs Picnic Area
2. Crescent Cove Picnic Area
3. Sourgrass Campground

SUMMIT RANGER DISTRICT:

1. Cascade Campground
2. Beardsley Lake Day Use Area
3. North Beardsley Campground