

Order No. F08-007-Lolo-D3

Lolo National Forest
Building 24, Fort Missoula
Missoula, MT 59804

Special Restrictions
Blue Mountain Recreation Area

Missoula Ranger District, Lolo National Forest
Missoula County, Montana

Pursuant to Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations 261.50 (a) and (b) the following acts are prohibited as described below, within the Lolo National Forest. These restrictions are in addition to those enumerated in Subpart A, Part 261, Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations, and become effective when signed and remain in effect until revoked.

This Forest Supervisor's Order rescinds Order No. F07-077-Lolo-D3 dated Dec. 12, 2007.

36 CFR 261.54 – National Forest System Roads

Using any type of vehicle or use by any type of traffic prohibited by the order.
[Title 36, CFR 261.54 (a) or (b)]

It is prohibited to use a snowmobile on any road within the area described below.

36 CFR 261.55 – National Forest System Trails

Using any type of vehicle prohibited by the order.
[Title 36, CFR 261.55 (b)]

It is prohibited to use a snowmobile on any trail within the area described below.

36 CFR 261.56 – Use of Vehicles Off National Forest System Roads

Possessing or using any motorized vehicle off National Forest System roads.
[Title 36, CFR 261.56]

It is prohibited to use or possess a snowmobile off National Forest System roads in the area described below.

Area Description:

Blue Mtn Recreation Area: Section 3, 4 and 9, T12N, R20W, and Sections 34 and 35, T13N, R20W, PMM, and east of a line running south from the junction of Blue Mtn. Nature Trail No. 4.01 and Rd. 365, then south (downhill) along the east ditch of Rd. 365 to Trail No. 3.26 to trail junction S, then south and east along Trail 3.26 to trail junction R, then along Trail 3.22 to trail junctions E, then south along Trail 3.05 to trail junctions V and U, then south along Trail 6.03 to trail junction GG, then east on un-numbered forest access road 1/8 mile to the Forest boundary,

then along the Forest boundary back to Blue Mtn. Nature Trail No. 4.01. (36 CFR 261.54(a), 261.55(b), 261.56). See the map (Exhibit A) which is attached and hereby made a part of this order.

Exemptions:

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

1. Persons with a permit authorizing the otherwise prohibited restriction.
2. Any Federal, State, or local Officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.

/s/ Deborah Austin
DEBORAH L. R. AUSTIN
Forest Supervisor
Lolo National Forest

May 27, 2008
Date

Penalty:

Violations of these Prohibitions are punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than six months, or both. [16 U.S.C. 551, and 18 U.S.C. 3559 and 3571]

Notification:

A copy of this order shall be posted as prescribed under 36 CFR 261.51.