

**GIFFORD PINCHOT NATIONAL FOREST
Vancouver, Washington**

ORDER NO. 06-03-08-05

**NATIONAL FOREST SYSTEM ROADS
SPECIAL AREA CLOSURE**

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited on the areas and roads within and/or administered by the Gifford Pinchot National Forest, until further notice:

1. Being on the road. For the purpose of this order, this restriction applies to National Forest System Roads depicted in Exhibit A of this order. (36 CFR 261.54(e))
2. Going into or being upon an area that is closed for the protection of public health and safety. For the purpose of this order, this restriction applies to areas within 15 feet of National Forest System Roads depicted in Exhibit A of this order. (36 CFR 261.53(e))

ROAD & AREA DESCRIPTION

The following description serves as the exterior boundary and closes portions of National Forest System (NFS) Roads 99 and 26 as depicted in attached Exhibit A:

From a point of beginning at the Bear Meadows Viewpoint gate on NFS Road 99 in Section 27, T10N, R6E, WM to the end of NFS Road 99 at Windy Ridge Viewpoint in Section 23, T9N, R5E, WM including the roadway and the area within 15 feet of the road edge. From a point of beginning at the Ryan Lake gate on NFS Road 26 in Section 16, T10N, R6E, WM to the intersection with NFS Road 99 in Section 5, T9N, R6E, WM including the roadway and the area within 15 feet of the road edge.

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

- (1) Persons with a permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.
- (2) Any Federal, State, or local officer, or a member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.

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

Executed in Vancouver, Washington this 17th day of October 2008.

for 
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Acting Forest Supervisor
Gifford Pinchot National Forest

Violation of these prohibitions is 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 6 months, or both. (16 USC 551 and 18 USC 3559 and 3571).

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EXHIBIT A

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