

## **Flathead National Forest**

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## **Renovation of Upper Stillwater Campground has Temporary Closures**

The Upper Stillwater Campground on the Tally Lake District of the Flathead National Forest will be closed Monday through Friday for renovation beginning Monday, June 23. The boat launch will be open most weekends during renovation. On the weekends, users will be allowed to launch boats and use the parking area for day use only. Camping will not be allowed during the renovation.

Tally Lake District Resource Assistant Becky Smith-Powell said, "The renovation includes an improved boat launch, expanded day parking for vehicles and boat trailers, new tent site and four camping sites with new picnic tables and fine rings." Smith-Powell says the road on National Forest System lands from the railroad tracks to the campground will also be improved with drainage ditches and grading.

The renovation is anticipated to be completed by late summer. Smith-Powell requests that everyone adhere to the weekday closure so the contractor can successfully and timely complete the renovation.

For more information about the renovation and public access at the Upper Stillwater Campground, please contact the Tally Lake District at 758-5204.