

Flathead National Forest

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Temporary Closures in Place as Work Begins on McGinnis Sale

Temporary road closures for public safety are in effect for the McGinnis Salvage Sale on the Flathead National Forest. The sale involves skyline and tractor activities on a narrow icy road with few pullouts, these conditions prompted the closures due to public safety. The road closures are expected to remain in effect through April 1, 2005. Additional closures may occur throughout the summer as salvage activities continue.

The McGinnis Salvage Sale is located approximately 15 miles north of Columbia Falls. Road #803 McGinnis Creek is closed to all motorized use and traffic including snowmobiles within the sale area boundary.

McGinnis Salvage Sale Road Closure Map

For more information about the area closures, including maps, contact the Hungry Horse and Glacier View District Office at 387-3800 or visit http://www.fs.fed.us/r1/flathead/.