

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
FOREST SERVICE
MANTI-LA SAL NATIONAL FOREST
SANPETE RANGER DISTRICT**

Crooked Creek fire area, road and trail closure

PROHIBITIONS:

Pursuant to Title 36 CFR 261.50(b) the following acts are prohibited in the area, on the roads and sections of roads and the trail described in this Order, all within the Sanpete Ranger District, Manti-La Sal National Forest.

1. Being in the area, 36 CFR 261.52(e).
2. Being on the road, 36 CFR 261.54(e).
3. Being on the trail, 36 CFR 261.55(a)

EXEMPTIONS:

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

1. Persons with a permit specifically exempting them from the effect of this Order.
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. Federal or State administrative personnel in the performance of an official duty.
4. Owners or lessees of land in the area closure with an incident escort.

AREA DESCRIPTION:

The area within the boundary starting at the junction of Forest Trail 053(Oak Creek Trail) easterly and northerly along the trail to Forest Road 0138; thence from the junction of Forest Trail 053 and Forest Road 0138 easterly to the junction of forest Road 0138 and 0150(Skyline Drive); thence North to South San Pitch Creek; thence westerly along South San Pitch Creek to the Forest Boundary); thence southerly along the Forest Boundary to the point of beginning at the intersection with Forest Trail 0053.

ROAD DESCRIPTION

Forest Road 0138 (Oak Creek Ridge Road): entire length from junction Skyline Drive (Forest Road 0150)

Forest Road 1178 (Dry Creek Ridge Road): entire length from junction with Forest Road 0138

Forest Road 1048: entire length from junction Forest Road 0138

Forest Road 1049: entire length from junction Forest Road 0138

TRAIL DESCRIPTION:

Forest Trail 0053(Oak Creek trail): entire length of trail the Forest Boundary to the Junction with Forest Road 0138

Forest Trail 048(Dry Creek Trail): entire length from the forest Boundary to the Junction with Forest Road 1178

PURPOSE:

To prevent potential injury to the public during fire operations in the described closure area. To provide for firefighter safety on the road and trails described during the wildland fire fighting operation.

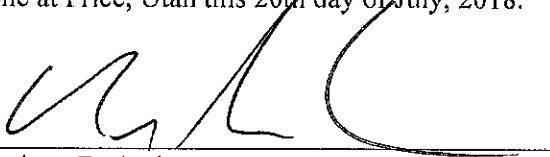
DEFINITION:

See the attached map for a visual representation.

IMPLEMENTATION:

1. This Order will be in effect from 0600 hours July 20th, 2018 and shall remain in effect until 0000 hours October 1st, 2018 or until rescinded, whichever is earlier.
2. Violation of the above prohibition(s) is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000.00 for an individual or \$10,000.00 for an organization, and/or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months. [Title 16 USC 551, Title 18 USC 3571(b) (6), Title 18 USC 3581 (b) (7)].
3. Further information regarding this Order may be obtained at the Sanpete Ranger District Office, (435) 283-4151 and the Manti-La Sal National Forest Supervisors Office, (435) 637-2817.

Done at Price, Utah this 20th day of July, 2018.



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