

Authorities and Purposes for Temporary Closures, Recreation and NLCS

Authority	Purpose	Applies to	NEPA Required?	Process
43 CFR 8364.1 Closure or Restriction Order	Protect persons, property, and public lands and resources	Areas and uses/activities identified	Yes	Federal Register Notice Posting on Site Posting at Local BLM Office
43 CFR 8341.2 Off- Road Vehicle (ORV) Special Rules	Immediately close to ORV use when ORVs are causing considerable adverse effects.	ORV use in areas identified	Yes*	Posting on Site Posting at Local BLM Office
43 CFR 8351.2-1 Wild & Scenic Rivers	Carry out the intent of the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act.	Lands and surface waters areas identified within boundary of Wild and Scenic River	Yes	Written Order Posting on Site
43 CFR 6302.19 Wilderness	Carry out the intent of the Wilderness Act	Lands or waters within the boundaries of a designated Wilderness Area	Yes	Federal Register Notice Posting on Site Posting at Local BLM Office

*(Consult with Washington Office, Division of Decision Support, Planning and NEPA (WO-210), Council on Environmental Quality; in an emergency, the National Environmental Policy Act or similar analysis prepared after closure.)