

EMERGENCY CLOSURE ORDER

Bureau of Land Management Roseburg District, Swiftwater Resource Area

Action: Pursuant to 43 CFR 9212.2, the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) hereby provides notice that the BLM administered-public lands described below are closed to all forms of public access. This action is in response to multiple fires currently active in the area. The BLM is closing public lands in order to provide for public safety, reduce conflicts with emergency crews, and allow for fire suppression and burned area site recovery.

Affected Area: All BLM public lands within T.24 S., R.01 W. sections 1, 2, 11, 12, 13, 14, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 35. As well as T.25 S., R.01 W. sections 1, 11, 14, 23, and 24. The Scaredman Recreation Site is excluded from this closure and remains Open (Please see attached map).

Prohibitions: The public must not enter the closure area. All uses within the closure area are prohibited. You must not enter by any means of motorized or non-motorized transportation, to include foot traffic.

Exemptions: Pursuant to Title 43 CFR 9212.3, the following persons are exempt from the provisions of this Order:

- 1. Any Federal, State, or Local Officer, or member of an organized medical, rescue or firefighting force engaged in fire, emergency, or law enforcement activities, or public utility employees engaged in emergency repairs.
- 2. BLM employees, contractors, agents or other individuals engaged in official duties.
- 3. Individuals operating within the scope of their official and legitimate governmental duties.
- 4. Individuals with valid existing rights for access (e.g. Reciprocal and Unilateral Right of Way agreement holders or internal landowners).
- Parties who carry written approval signed by the BLM Authorized Officer allowing access to the described public lands. Exemption requests must be submitted to the Roseburg District Office 777 NW Garden Valley Blvd, Roseburg, OR 97471, telephone (541) 440-4930

Penalties: (43 CFR 9212.4) Any person who knowingly and willingly Violates the regulations of this title shall, upon conviction, be subject to a fine not more than \$1,000 or to imprisonment of not than 12 months, or both.

Effective Dates: This Order is effective immediately upon signature and will remain in effect until such time as conditions allow for safe use of the affected public lands.

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