Order No. WRNF 2016-14

TEMPORARY AREA CLOSURE ORDER

USDA FOREST SERVICE
WHITE RIVER NATIONAL FOREST SYSTEM LANDS RESTRICTION
BLANCO RANGER DISTRICT

For the protection of health and safety to the public pursuant to 16 USC 551 and 36 CFR 261.50 (a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited within the White River National Forest, Blanco Ranger District, Flat Tops Wilderness, Rio Blanco County, in the State of Colorado.

The restricted area is further defined as an area in the Flat Tops Wilderness located at T. 2S R. 90W, Sections 1,2,11,12,13,14 and 23; T. 2S R. 89W, sections 3-9 including Trail #1828 Lost Solar Creek from its junction with trail # 1827 South Fork Trail to the junction of trail 1830 as shown on the attached map. Oyster Lake Trail #1825 will remain open for now.

PROHIBITIONS:

1. Going into or being upon the National Forest System lands within the Lost Solar Creek Fire Closure Area: See Attached Map 36 C.F.R. 261.53(e)
2. Being on the closed portion Trail #1828 Lost Solar Creek. See attached map 36 C.F.R 261.53(e).

EXEMPTIONS:

Pursuant to 36 C.F.R 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this order:

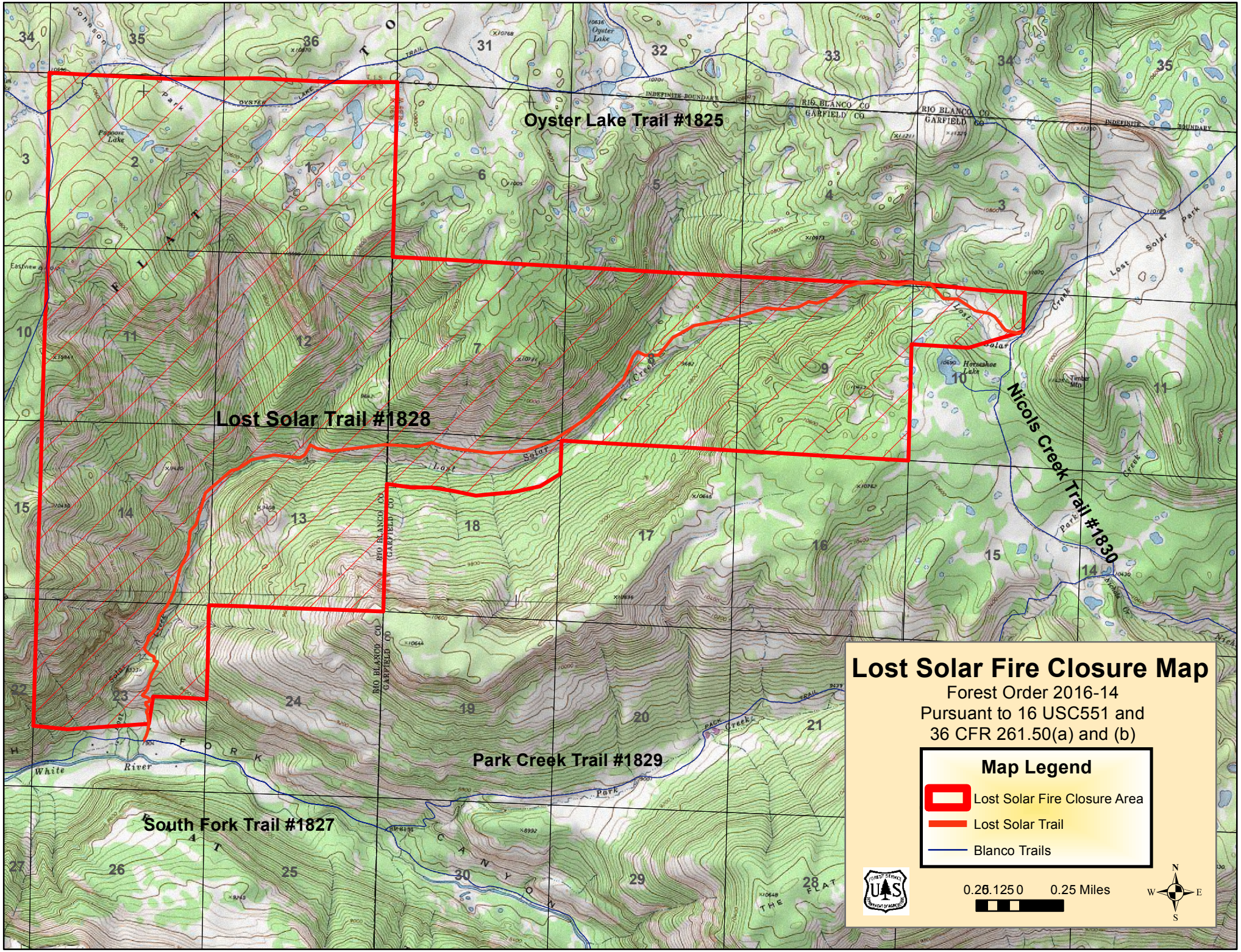
1. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty;
2. Persons with a Forest Service permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.

This order shall remain in effect until rescinded or until December 31, 2016, whichever event occurs first.

Done at Glenwood Springs, this 7th day of September, 2016

Scott Fitzwilliams
Forest Supervisor
White River National Forest Service

Violations of these prohibitions are punishable as a Class B misdemeanor by the fine of not more than $5000 for an individual or $10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or both. (16 U.S.C. 551 and 18 U.S.C. 3559 and 3571).


Lost Solar Fire Closure Map
Forest Order 2016-14
Pursuant to 16 USC551 and
36 CFR 261.50(a) and (b)
Map Legend
Lost Solar Fire Closure Area
Lost Solar Trail
Blanco Trails
0.25 0.125 0 0.25 Miles
N
S
E
W
Oyster Lake Trail #1825
Lost Solar Trail #1828
Nicols Creek Trail #1830
Park Creek Trail #1829
South Fork Trail #1827
RIO BLANCO CO
GARFIELD CO
INDEFINITE BOUNDARY
Oyster Lake
Horseshoe Lake
Papoose Lake
White River
Lost Solar Creek
Park Creek
Nichols Cr
Timber Mtn
Eastview
FLAT TOP
THE FLAT
FORK CANYON