



United States Department of the Interior

NATIONAL PARK SERVICE
Crater Lake National Park
P.O. Box 7
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Memorandum

Date: July 24, 2024

To: All Park Visitors, Employees and Residents

From: Superintendent, Crater Lake National Park

Subject: Middle Fork Fire, Emergency Trail Closure, 36 CFR 1.5(b)

Due to potentially hazardous conditions created by the Middle Fork Fire the following trails will be closed to entry and use until further notice:

- Pacific Crest Trail from its intersection with Dutton Creek Trail to the park's northern boundary

This closure will remain in effect until further notice. Crater Lake Visitor and Resource Protection and Fire Management staff will be assessing ongoing conditions as the fire progresses.

The trail closures are being implemented to reduce threats to public safety associated with active wild land fire hazards.

This closure is implemented pursuant to the authority described in Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations 1.5(a)(1), 1.5(b) and 1.5(f). Please contact Public Information Officer Marsha McCabe at 541-594-3091 with any questions or for additional information.

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