

- Wilderness is for travel by foot and stock only. Motorized and mechanized equipment is prohibited, including: motorbikes, bicycles, strollers, chainsaws, carts, hand gliders, rock drills, aircraft and other non-primitive tools and modes of transportation. **36CFR261.18a**
- Travel on established trails as much as possible to reduce impacts. Cutting switchbacks causes erosion and trail damage. Protect trails by not cutting switchbacks. **36CFR261.55e**
- Do not graze, tether, highline, hitch or picket stock within 200 feet (approximately 74 adult steps) of water or trail, except for loading and unloading. **36CFR261.58aa**
- Storing or caching equipment or supplies for more than 48 hours is prohibited. Geocaches are prohibited in wilderness. **36CFR261.57f**
- Do not fire any weapon capable of injuring others within 150 yards of trails, occupied areas or across water. **36CFR261.10d**
- Certified weed free feed is required for all stock animals while recreating on public land. Help prevent the spread of invasive weed species in the backcountry. **36CFR261.58t**

SITE SPECIFIC REGULATIONS

Designated Campsites: camping is prohibited within the general area except within 15 feet slope distance of a post or sign designating an approved campsite within the following areas: North Matthieu Lake, South Matthieu Lake, Green Lakes, Moraine Lake, Otter Lake, Erma Bell Lakes, Jefferson Park Area, Duffy Lake, Pamela Lake Area, Wasco Lake and Square Lake. **36CFR261.58e**

Fire Ban: Building, attending, maintaining a campfire or stove burning solid fuels in the following areas: Obsidian Falls Area, South Matthieu Lake, Golden Lake, Husband/Eileen Lakes, Chambers Lakes Area, Green Lakes, Moraine Lakes, Sisters Mirror Lakes, Table Lake, Rockpile Lake, Jefferson Park Area, Marion Lake, Ann Lake and Pamela Lake Area. **36CFR261.52a**

Dog Leash Law: Dogs must be on leash while traveling on the following trails: Broken Top Trail (#10), Crater Ditch Trail, Todd Lake Trail (#34), Soda Creek Trail (#11), Green Lakes Trail (#17), Moraine Lake Trail (#17.1) and South Sister Climbers Trail (#36). **36CFR261.58s**

DETACH THIS SHEET AT THE PERFORATION – KEEP THIS COPY WITH YOU

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Wilderness Self-Issue Permit

OFFICIAL USE COPY

MARKING INSTRUCTIONS

- Use a No. 2 pencil / ink pen.
- Make solid marks that fill the response completely.
- Erase cleanly any marks you wish to change.
- Make no stray marks on this form.

This permit is not valid unless completely filled out before entering the Wilderness.

A permit is required for all individuals and/or groups entering the Wilderness and must be in their possession at all times.

THIS PERMIT IS FOR:

1. Day or overnight visitors from Memorial Day through October 31st.

Please fill out the information below, remove the "VISITOR COPY" and keep it with you at all times. Deposit the "OFFICIAL USE COPY" in the drop box after reviewing the **VISITOR COPY** portion of this permit.

WHAT TRAIL HEAD ARE YOU AT? _____

NAME/GROUP LEADER: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____

COUNTRY: _____

ZIP:

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ENTRY DATE:

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EXIT DATE:

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Number of People: (Not to exceed 12 people) 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

Number of Stock: (Not to exceed 12 stock) (Mark One) 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

Number of Dogs: 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

Is your trip day or overnight? day overnight use

PLEASE DO NOT WRITE IN THIS AREA



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YOU ARE ENTERING CONGRESSIONALLY DESIGNATED WILDERNESS. HELP PROTECT YOUR WILDERNESS BY KNOWING AND FOLLOWING THESE STEWARDSHIP PRINCIPLES:

- All groups and/or individuals must have a completed wilderness permit for all day and/or overnight trips. [36CFR261.57a](#)
- Group size is limited to 12 people and 12 stock. Protect the wilderness landscape and other visitors' experiences by keeping your group size to 12 people and 12 stock. If you have more than 12 people or 12 stock in your group, you must adjust your group's size to a group of 12 or less. The remaining members of the oversized group must use a different trail head and follow a completely separate trip itinerary from your own ensuring that your groups will not travel together or stay/use a common destination for the duration of your trip. [36CFR261.58a](#)
- Campfires are not allowed within 100 feet (approximately 37 adult steps) of any water or trail. Campfires increase campsite size, can result in wildfires and negatively impact riparian areas. When fires are needed, please use existing fire rings, gather only dead and downed wood that is wrist sized or smaller. Be aware of special fire ban areas noted below. [36CFR261.52a](#)
- Pack out all garbage including food waste. Do not burn or bury any garbage, food waste or food wrappers. [36CFR261.11b](#)
- Do not cut trees, snags or boughs. Please use dead and down wood that is wrist sized or smaller if you need a campfire. [36CFR261.6a](#)
- Bury human and pet waste at least 200 feet (approximately 74 adult steps) from all water and trails into an 8–12 inch deep cat hole. Make sure to strain waste water into an 8–12 inch deep cat hole. [36CFR261.57g](#)
- When you arrive at your destination, use existing campsites rather than making a new site. Look for campsites that are at least 100 feet (approximately 37 adult steps) from water or trail. Do not walk or camp in areas closed for restoration. These areas have been replanted to restore natural conditions. [36CFR261.58e](#)

All of the regulations listed on the visitor copy are 36CFR261 federal laws enforceable by fine and or time in jail. For actual Code of Federal Regulation language please visit any wilderness trail head, National Forest Ranger Station or National Forest Website.

I agree to abide by all laws, rules, and regulations which apply to designated Wilderness and will be responsible to see that everyone in our group does likewise.

Visitor Signature: _____ Date: _____

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