FOREST ORDER NO. 0513-19-08

SEQUOIA NATIONAL FOREST
KERN RIVER RANGER DISTRICT
LOWER KERN RIVER CAMPING RESTRICTION

Pursuant to 16 USC 551 and 36 CFR 261.50(a), and to protect natural resources, the following act is prohibited within the Kern River Ranger District in the Sequoia National Forest. This Order is effective from May 19, 2019 through May 18, 2021.

Camping in the Lower Kern River Camping Restriction Area, except within a developed campground or in a designated dispersed camping area, described below and shown on the attached map. The Lower Kern River Camping Restriction Area consists of the following three segments on the Lower Kern River:

1. Segment 1 includes the area within 500 feet on either side of the Kern River from its intersection with the eastern section line of Section 11, Township 27 South, Range 32 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, then west to its intersection with the southern section line of Section 10.

2. Segment 2 includes the area west of Borel Road and north of Kern Canyon Road from its intersection with the southern section line of Section 10, then west to their intersection with Delonegha Day Use Area.

3. Segment 3 includes the area 500 feet north of the Kern River and the area 1,000 feet south of Highway 178, beginning at the Delonegha Day Use Area, then continuing west to the Forest Boundary.

36 CFR 261.58(e).

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this Order:

1. Persons with a permit from the Forest Service specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act.

2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.

This prohibition is in addition to the general prohibitions in 36 CFR Part 261, Subpart A.

A violation of this prohibition is punishable by a fine of not more than $5,000 for an individual or $10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than six months, or both. 16 USC 551 and 18 USC 3559, 3571, and 3581.

Done at Porterville, California this 22nd day of April, 2019.

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