

ORDER NO. 0513-21-09

SEQUOIA NATIONAL FOREST
KERN RIVER RANGER DISTRICT
KERN CANYON AND ISABELLA LAKE GLASS CONTAINER PROHIBITION

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(a), and to provide for public safety, the following act is prohibited within the Kern River Ranger District of the Sequoia National Forest. This Order is effective from May 1, 2021 through April 30, 2023.

Possessing or storing food or beverages in glass containers in the Kern Canyon and Isabella Lake Glass Container Prohibition Areas, as described on Exhibit A, and shown on Exhibits B, C, and D. 36 C.F.R. § 261.58(cc).

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

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 C.F.R. 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 U.S.C. § 551 and 18 U.S.C. §§ 3559, 3571, and 3581.

Done at Porterville, California, this 13th day of April, 2021.

Teresa Benson

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EXHIBIT A

The Kern Canyon and Isabella Lake Glass Container Prohibition Area is comprised of three segments.

The boundary of the first segment, the Upper Kern River corridor, begins at a point 500 feet due north of the Johnsondale Bridge in Section 36, Township 22 South, Range 32 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, then continues south along the Kern River at a distance of approximately 500 feet west of the water's edge for 16 miles to its intersection with the Forest Boundary at Riverkern Beach in Section 4, Township 25 South, Range 33 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, then continues north east across the Kern River to a point 500 feet east of the water's edge, then continues north along the Kern River at a distance of approximately 500 feet east of the water's edge to its intersection with County Road Mountain 99, then continues north along County Road Mountain 99 to its intersection with Brush Creek Designated Dispersed Camping Area, then continues north and west around the Johnsondale Bridge at a distance of 500 feet back to the starting point, as shown on Exhibit B.

The second segment is all National Forest System lands from the waterline of Isabella Lake to Sierra Way (County 521), Highway 155 and Highway 178 which encircle Isabella Lake, as shown on Exhibit C.

The boundary of third segment, the lower Kern Canyon corridor, begins at the north end of Black Gulch South in Section 10, Township 27 South, Range 32 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, then continues southeast approximately 2 miles along Borel Road to its intersection with Old Kern Canyon Road, then continues south along the western shoulder of Old Kern Canyon Road to its intersection with the Delonegha Day Use Area and Highway 178, then continues southwest along the northern shoulder of Highway 178 to its intersection with the boundary of the Sequoia National Forest, then continues due west 500 feet, then continues northeast parallel to Highway 178 at a distance of 500 feet, to its intersection with the Delonegha Day Use Area, then continues northeast along the southern shoulder of Highway 178 to a point approximately one mile north of the Sandy Flat Put-In/Take-Out, then continues north parallel to the Kern River at a distance of 500 feet back to the starting point, as shown on Exhibit D.