

WHITE MOUNTAIN NATIONAL FOREST
NEW HAMPSHIRE-MAINE

TRAILS AND AREAS TO BE CLOSED TO SNOWMOBILES

FROM DECEMBER 15, 1973 TO APRIL 30, 1974

CFR Title 36, Chapter II, Part 295

1. Appalachian Trail - The entire length of the Appalachian Trail across the White Mountain National Forest from Highway 2 near Shelburne, N.H. to Highway 25C near Warren, N.H.
2. Mt. Moosilauke - National Forest land in the vicinity of Mt. Moosilauke. Starting at Route 112 from its junction with Route 118, west along Route 112 past Kinsman Notch, to the junction of Route 112 and Tunnel Brook Road and Trail; south along the east side of Tunnel Brook Road and Trail to the junction with National Forest land on Slide Brook at Glencliff; south on the Forest boundary from Slide Brook to Bald Hill Brook; east on a line from this point to the summit of Chockecherry Hill; a straight line from Chockecherry Hill, east to Route 118 at its junction with Forest Service Road #53, (except the Moosilauke Carriage Road which will be open to snowmobiles across National Forest land); and Route 118 northeast to its junction with Route 112. Includes the following trails: Benton Trail and Glencliff Trail.
3. Bowen Brook - National Forest land in the towns of Landaff and Easton within the Bowen Brook drainage north of Route 112 including the Bowen Brook Road.
4. Mt. Kinsman Trail - From the intersection of the Mt. Kinsman Trail with White Mountain National Forest land to the top of Kinsman Mountain.
5. Coppermine Trail - Beginning 0.8 mile from Highway 116 and ending at Bridal Veil Falls.
6. Mt. Garfield Trail - From the bridge over the south branch of the Gale River, from the South Branch Road, up to Garfield Trail to Mt. Garfield.
7. Gale River Trail - Beginning 1/4-mile west from the junction of the South Gale Road and the North Branch Road (that road which extends from the North Branch of the Gale River to the South Branch of the Gale River) continuing up the Gale River Trail to the Garfield Ridge Trail.
8. Zealand Trail - From the south end of the Zealand River Road to the Ethan Pond Trail (snowmobiles are allowed on the Zealand River Road).

NOTE: Lands not under Forest Service jurisdiction closed to ORV use include Franconia Notch State Park and Crawford Notch State Park.

9. Franconia - Pemigewasset Area - From the point where the Kancamagus Highway crosses the East Branch of the Pemigewasset River; west along the Kancamagus Highway to the Osseo Trail; north along the Osseo Trail to the Flume Slide Trail; west on the Flume Trail to the Forest Boundary at the Flume, following the Forest Boundary north to the Skookumchuck Brook Trail to Garfield Ridge; east on Garfield Ridge to South Twin Mountain, Zealand Ridge and the Ethan Pond Trail to the Forest Boundary at Crawford Notch; then south along the Boundary to Route 302; Route 302 to the Sawyer River Road, follow the Sawyer River Road west from the junction of 302 and the Sawyer River Road to the Carroll County-Grafton County line; then north to the summit of Mt. Saunders, along the ridge line to Mts. Lowell and Anderson; a straight line from Mt. Anderson to Norcross Brook at the Nancy Pond Trail Crossing. Follow the north bank of Norcross and Anderson brooks to the intersection of the Wilderness, Desolation, and Shoal Pond Trails at Stillwater junction; then follow the north side of the Wilderness Trail until it crosses to the south side of the East Branch of the Pemigewasset River; and then along the south bank of the River to the Kancamagus Highway. Snowmobilers will be allowed to use the road on the south side of the East Branch of the Pemigewasset River and the Shoal Pond Trail from the Pemigewasset River to Shoal Pond.
10. Presidential - Dry River Area - Starting at the junction of the Carroll County-Coos County line and Razor Brook in the town of Bartlett and north along the county line to Route 16; Route 16 north to the Randolph Road; the west side of the Randolph (Dolly Copp) Road to the Forest Boundary at Randolph Station; the Forest Boundary west to the Jefferson Notch Road along the east side of the Jefferson Notch Road in a southerly direction to the junction of the base station road and the Mt. Clinton Road; and south along the east side of the Mt. Clinton Road. South along the Forest Boundary separating Crawford Notch State Park and the National Forest; continuing south along the Hadleys Purchase line to the junction with the Forest Boundary and then east to Razor Brook (except for lands necessary for a trail in Randolph to connect the Jefferson Notch and Randolph Roads). (The base station road to Cog RR is private land, and the FS has no control over access.)
11. Bog Dam Road Area - National Forest land in the towns of Berlin and Randolph enclosed by the Forest Service Bog Dam and York Pond Roads. Both the Bog Dam and York Pond Roads remain open to snowmobilers.
12. Kilkenny Area - The Pilot Range and Pliny Range west of the town of Berlin including the following areas: Mt. Waumbek, Pliny Mt., Mt. Weeks, Terrace Mt., Mt. Cabot, the Bulge, the Horn, Rogers Ledge, Deer Ridge, and Unknown Pond. The York Pond Trail from Garland Brook to York Pond will remain open for snowmobiling. The Unknown Pond Trail from Unknown Pond to York Pond Road will remain closed to snowmobiles.
13. Carter Notch - Wild River Area - Starting at the junction of Route 16 and the Forest Boundary north of Jackson following north along Route 16 to Route 2 at Gorham; Route 2 east to the Shelburne Trail, a line 500 feet westerly and paralleling the Shelburne Trail south to the north bank of the Wild River; south along the north bank of Wild River to the Wild River Trail at Cypress Brook, a line 500 feet north of and parallel to the Wild River Trail to its junction with the Bog Brook Trail, and the East Branch Trail; south on the west side of the East Branch Trail to the East Branch Saco Road; south along the road to the Slippery Brook Road; west along this road to the end of National Forest land; then north on a random line following the Forest Boundary to Highway 16. Snowmobiles will be allowed on the East Branch Saco Road and the East Branch Trail. The Highwater Trail from Evans Notch Road to Cypress Brook will be closed to snowmobiles except for a crossing at the Shelburne Trail. The Wild River Trail from Cypress Brook to the junction of the Bog Brook Trail and the East Branch Trail will be used both by snowmobilers and other winter trail users. A right-of-way for snowmobilers to cross National Forest land in the vicinity of Mt. Winthrop (Shelburne) will be granted.
14. Highwater Trail - The Highwater Trail from Highway 113 (Evans Notch Rd.) to the junction with the Shelburne Trail.
15. Caribou Mountain - The Mud Brook Trail beginning at the Evans Notch Road, Highway 113, to Caribou Mountain.
16. Kearsarge Area - Starting on the east side of the Forest Service Slippery Brook Road at the Bartlett Town line, north to its junction with the Forest Service East Branch Saco Road, in a southeasterly direction along the ridge line to the summits of Mt. Shaw, Mt. Gemini, Rickers Knoll and Kearsarge North; south on a line 500 feet west of and paralleling the Kearsarge North Trail to the Forest Service Boundary at Kearsarge; north following the Forest Boundary to the Slippery Brook Rd.
17. Sawyer Pond Area - Sawyer Pond Trail - Beginning on the east side of the Sawyer River Bridge beyond the Sawyer River Trail along the Sawyer Pond Trail to Sawyer Pond. The Sawyer Pond Scenic Area. From Sawyer Pond on the Sawyer Pond Trail to the Kancamagus Highway. (Snowmobilers will have access to the Sawyer River Trail over the Sawyer River Bridge.)
18. Waterville - Kancamagus - Wonalancet Area - Beginning at Whiteface Intervale north on the McCrillis, Flat Mt. Pond Trail; north on Flat Mt. Pond Trail to the north end of Flat Mt. Pond; then north in the Flat Mt. Pond drainage to Lost Pass. The entire drainage area of the Mad River. From Mt. Osceola down the Pine Brook drainage to the Kancamagus Highway; Kancamagus Highway from Pine Brook east to the Oliverian Brook Trail south and 100 feet west of the Oliverian Brook Trail to the Old Mast Road to the Forest Boundary; west on the Forest Boundary to the McCrillis Trail; the McCrillis Trail west to Whiteface Intervale. Snowmobilers will be allowed to use the McCrillis Trail from Ferncroft site to Whiteface Intervale.
19. National Forest land above 4000 feet in elevation. This is in accord with the New Hampshire State Snowmobile Law.