

Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument Road Report

Monday, March 10, 2025

All road conditions can change RAPIDLY due to weather.

Please contact the nearest [GSENM Visitor Center](#) or visit [Monument Travel Advisories](#) for updated conditions.



Roads to the East

Name	Date	Road	Comments
Burr Trail	3/3/2025	2WD	Wet pavement from recent snow squall.
Notom-Bullfrog	3/6/2025	4WD	Conditions unknown! Travel not recommended due to incoming moisture! Per Capitol Reef NPS Report.
Road to Bullfrog Marina	3/6/2025	4WD	Conditions unknown for crossing. Per Capitol Reef NPS report.
Wolverine Loop	2/18/2025	2WD High Clearance	Road is dry, recommend 2WD High Clearance.
Cedar Wash	3/7/2025	2WD High Clearance	Road is in good condition but watch for sandy spots.
Hole in the Rock	3/7/2025	2WD High Clearance	Good condition, 2WD High Clearance recommended! Recommend HC-4WD for last 7 miles.
Spencer Flat	1/22/2025	2WD High Clearance	Though not strictly necessary, 4WD is handy for some sandy and/or steep sections of the road. Graded a couple of months ago and still in good condition.

Roads to the North

Name	Date	Road	Comments
Hells Backbone	3/6/2025	4WD	Conditions unknown! Not recommended!
Posey Lake to Loa	3/6/2025	4WD High Clearance	Snow and ice; likely impassable over the top
Whites Flat (FR #152)	3/6/2025	4WD High Clearance	Unknown Conditions! Travel not recommended!
Griffin Top	3/6/2025	4WD High Clearance	Unknown Conditions! Not recommended!
North Creek (FR #149)	3/6/2025	4WD	Unknown Conditions! Travel not Recommended!
Main Canyon	2/24/2025	2WD, 4WD	Unknown Conditions! Travel not recommended!

Roads to the Central Areas

Name	Date	Road	Comments
Smoky Mountain - Alvey Wash	2/27/2025	2WD High Clearance	Dusty, rugged, remote, be prepared
Left Hand Collet	2/24/2025	4WD High Clearance	Not recommended due to ice buildup in canyon!
Croton	2/27/2025	4WD High Clearance	4WD High Clearance required and large vehicles (full size trucks) will struggle because recent rockfalls have made the road narrow and steep in spots.
Smoky Hollow	2/21/2025	2WD High Clearance	Some rough spots at drainages.

Roads to the West

Name	Date	Road	Comments
Cottonwood	3/9/2025	2WD	Dry, but with ruts from the week of 03/06.
Skutumpah	3/6/2025	Impassable	Unknown conditions! Travel not advised!
Glendale Bench	2/19/2025	2WD	A dry track throughout but melting snow on the shoulders.
Paria Movie Set	2/11/2025	2WD High Clearance	Rough in spots.
House Rock Valley	2/23/2025	2WD	Dry with washboards! Watch your speed!
White House	2/13/2025	2WD	In good shape.