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**PARTIAL RECISSION OF EMERGENCY PUBLIC LANDS CLOSURE**

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Prineville District, Oregon.

**ACTION:** Removal of Temporary Closure of Public Lands

**SUMMARY:** This notice rescinds a portion of the emergency closure of BLM-administered lands in the Central Oregon Field Office issued on July 20, 2024, near the Lone Rock and Battle Mountain Complex Fires. Pursuant to 43 CFR 8364, the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) hereby provides notice that effective at 5 p.m. Pacific on August 12, 2024, the public lands described below are **OPEN TO PUBLIC ACCESS**. The BLM is opening these public lands as the emergency crews have completed active fire suppression in this area.

**AFFECTED AREA:** The BLM-managed lands in Wheeler County and Grant County in the following described area:

All BLM-administered lands along the main stem John Day River corridor from Service Creek to Kimberly.

All BLM-administered lands along the North Fork John Day River corridor from Kimberly to Monument.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** The Prineville District Front Desk, at 541-416-6700 or BLM\_OR\_PR\_Mail@blm.gov. This notice and the removal of closure notice will be available online.

**DISCUSSION OF THE RULES:** All allowable uses within the area are open for the authorized use of the area. These lands all remain under applicable public use restrictions.

**EFFECTIVE:** This is effective at 5 p.m. Pacific on August 12, 2024.

District Manager, Prineville District

Aug 12, 2024

Date