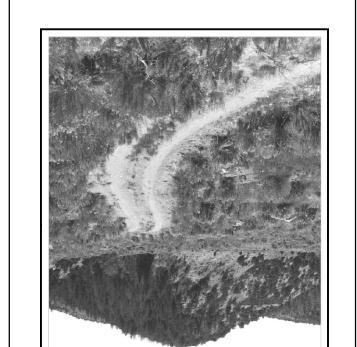
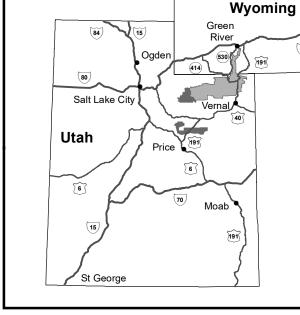
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National Forest **Ashley** Ranger District, Duchesne Use Map Motor Vehicle





## **INFORMATION SOURCES**

**Ashlev National Forest** 355 North Vernal Avenue Vernal, UT 84078 (435) 789-1181 www.fs.fed.us/r4/ashley

**Duchesne Ranger District** 85 West Main Duchesne, UT 84021 (435) 738-2482

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**Emergency Services Utah Highway Patrol Duchesne County Sheriff** 

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#### **PURPOSE AND CONTENTS** Legend **OF THIS MAP**

The designations shown on this motor vehicle use map (MVUM) were made by the responsible official pursuant to 36 CFR 212.51; are effective as of the date on the front cover of this MVUM; and will remain in effect until superceded by the next year's MVUM.

It is the responsibility of the user to aquire the current MVUM. This MVUM shows the National Forest System roads, National Forest System trails, and the areas on National Forest System lands in the Ashley National Forest, Duchesne Ranger District that are designated for motor vehicle use pursuant to 36 CFR 212.51. This MVUM also identifies the vehicles classes allowed on each route and in each area and any seasonal restrictions that apply on those routes and in those areas.

Designation of a road, trail, or area for motor vehicle use by a particular class of vehicle under 36 CFR 212.51 should not be interpreted as encouraging or inviting use, or to imply that the road, trail, or area is passable, actively maintained, or safe for travel. Motor vehicle designations include parking along designated routes and at facilities associated with designated routes when it is safe to do so and when not causing damage to National Forest System resources. Seasonal weather conditions and natural events may render designated roads and trails impassable for extended periods. Designated areas may contain dangerous or impassable terrain. Many designated roads and trails may be passable only by highclearance vehicles or four-wheel drive vehicles. Maintenance of designated roads and trails will depend on available resources, and many may receive little maintenance.

This motor vehicle use map identifies those roads, trails, and areas designated for the motor vehicle use under 36 CFR 212.51 for the purpose of enforcing the prohibition at 36 CFR 261.13. This is a limited purpose. The other public roads are shown for information and navigation purposes only and are not subject to designation under the Forest Service travel management regulation.

These designations apply only to National Forest System roads, National Forest System trails, and areas on National Forest System lands.

## **PROHIBITIONS**

It is prohibited to possess or operate a motor vehicle on National Forest System lands on the Ashley National Forest, Duchesne Ranger District other than in

accordance with these designations (36 CFR 261.13). Violators of 36 CFR 261.13 are subject to a fine of up to \$5,000 or imprisonment for up to 6 months or both (18 U.S.C.

or absence of signs. This map does not display nonmotorized uses, over-snow vehicle uses, or other facilities and attractions on the Ashley National Forest, Duchesne Ranger District. Obtain forest visitor information from the local national forest office.

3571(e)). This prohibition applies regardless of the presence

Designated roads, trails, and areas may also be subject to temporary, emergency closures. As a visitor, you must comply with signs notifying you of such restrictions. A national forest may issue an order to close a road, trail, or area on a temporary basis to protect the life, health or safety of forest visitors or the natural or cultural resources in these areas. Such a temporary and/or emergency closures are consistent with the Travel Management Rule (36 CFR 212.52 (b); 36

The designation "road or trail open to all motor vehicles" does not supersede State traffic law.

# **OPERATOR RESPONSIBILITIES**

Operating a motor vehicle on National Forest System roads, National Forest System trails, and in areas on National Forest System lands carries a greater responsibility than operating that vehicle in a city or other developed setting. Not only must you know and follow all applicable traffic laws, you need to show concern for the environment as well as other forest users. The misuse of motor vehicles can lead to the temporary or permanent closure of any designated road, trail, or area. As a motor vehicle operator, you are subject to State traffic law, including State requirements for licensing, registration, and operation of the vehicle in question.

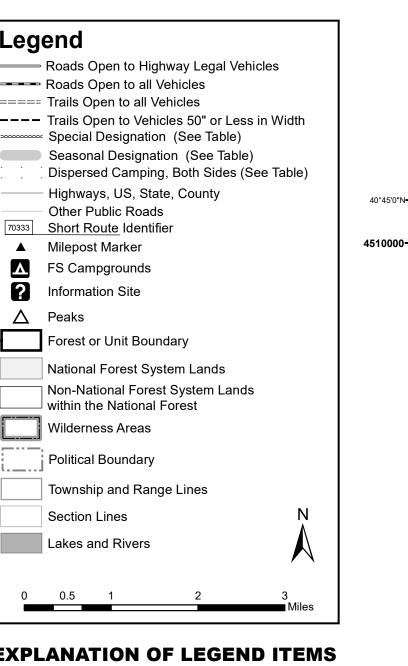
Motor vehicle use, especially off-highway vehicle use, involves inherent risks that may cause property damage, serious injury, and possibly death to participants. Drive cautiously and anticipate rough surfaces and features, such as snow, mud, vegetation, and water crossings common to remote driving conditions. By you participation, you voluntarily assume full responsibility for these damages, risks, and dangers. Take care at all times to protect yourself and those under your responsibility.

Much of the Ashley National Forest, Duchesne Ranger District is remote, and medical assistance may not be readily available. Cellular telephones do not work in many areas of the Ashley National Forest, Duchesne Ranger District. Take adequate food, water, first aid supplies, and other equipment appropriate for the conditions and expected weather.

ALWAYS REMEMBER TO RESPECT PRIVATE LAND! PROTECT YOUR PRIVILEGE. STAY ON DESIGNATED ROADS AND TRAILS AND IN DESIGNATED AREAS.

Read and understand this map in its entirety. If you have questions please contact the Ashley National Forest, Duchesne Ranger District for clarification.

As a motor vehicle operator on a National Forest System road, trail, or area, you must comply with this map, as well as all Federal, State, and local laws and regulations.



### **EXPLANATION OF LEGEND ITEMS**

Roads Open to Highway Legal Vehicles Only:

Roads Open to all Vehicles

=== Trails Open to all Vehicles

Other Public Roads Short Route Identifier

Forest or Unit Boundary

Wilderness Areas

Political Boundary

Section Lines

Lakes and Rivers

National Forest System Lands

within the National Forest

Township and Range Lines

▲ Milepost Marker **★** FS Campgrounds

2 Information Site

∆ Peaks

Highways, US, State, County

These roads are open only to motor vehicles licensed under State law for general operation on all public roads within the

Roads Open to All Vehicles:

These roads are open to all motor vehicles, including smaller off-highway vehicles that may not be licensed for highway use (but not to oversize or overweight vehicles under State traffic law). Trails Open to All Vehicles:

These trails are open to all motor vehicles, including both highway legal and nonhighway legal vehicles.

These trails are open only to motor vehicles less than 50 inches in width at the widest point on the vehicle.

Trails Open to Vehicles 50 Inches or Less in Width:

Special Vehicle Designation: This symbol indicates the road or trail is open to classes of vehicles other than those listed above. Refer to the Seasonal and Special Designation Table for further instructions.

Dispersed Camping:

Dispersed Camping, Both Sides

This symbol is used along with a designated road or trail to indicate limited cross-country motor vehicle use within a specific distance of that route, solely for the purpose of dispersed camping. The dots indicate where this activity is permitted. They may be on the left, right or both sides of the route. Refer to the Dispersed Camping Table for

specifics. Seasonal Designation:

This symbol, used in conjunction with one of the other road or trail symbols, indicates that the road or trail is open only during certain portions of the year. Refer to Seasonal and Special Designation Table for further

Other Public Roads and Trails:

Highways, U.S., State Other Public Roads

---- Other Public Trails

These symbols are used to show routes that the Forest Service does have not jurisdiction over and has not designated for motorized use. These symbols are part of the reference layers showing connections to towns and cities outside the forest boundary.

Short Route Identifier

This symbol is used for roads that are too short to show a symbol type on the map. The symbol contains the road or trail number. Users should refer to the corresponding number in the Short Route Table for more information on the designated route. Milepost Marker

This symbol is used to display the beginning and ending mileposts of a road that has a change in the designation but not the symbology.

Motorized Trail Access:

This symbol indicates a trailhead for access to a motorized route. Not all motorized routes have trailheads and those that do may range from primitive to developed.

BLANKET STATEMENT FOR TRAVEL

MANAGEMENT

40°30'0"N

All ROADS with special designations are open to: High Clearance Vehicles All Non-Highway Legal Vehicles Wider Than 50 Inches Wheeled Non-Highway Legal Vehicles 50 Inches Wide or Less All TRAILS with a seasonal designation are open from 06/01 to 10/01.

Riparian Areas:

Motor vehicle use off a forest road or trail for purposes of Dispersed Camping shall be at least 100 feet from a stream, wetland or other body of water, unless signed as exempt. (NOTE: This

regulation does not apply to reservoirs.)

Refer to the Seasonal Designation (ROADS) Table

for the ROADS with seasonal use.

HIGH UINTAS WILDERNESS AREA Pyramid Lake UINTA-WASATCH-CACHE NATIONAL FOREST HIGH UINTAS WILDERNESS AREA Francis Lake  $B\hat{r}oadhead\ Lake$ Hades Lake UPPER STILLWATER 148 ROCK CREEK CANYON ROCK CREEK  $\Delta^{\mathsf{Rocks}}$ **VISITORS CENTER** UINTA-WASATCH CACHE NATIONAL FOREST ROCK CREEK THE EAST SLOPE SLOPE WEDGE HOLLON STONE FACE ASPEN Blue Lake MCAFEE BASIN HOLLOW `─KAMAS WINCHESTER MOUNTAIN SHEEP STOCKMORE ARCH UINTA AND OURAY INDIAN RESERVATION DUCHESNE-4 1 S 7 W 510000°52'30"W **DUCHENSE NORTH UNIT** 

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