

FOREST ORDER

**USDA FOREST SERVICE
ARAPAHO & ROOSEVELT NATIONAL FORESTS
BOULDER RANGER DISTRICT**

**RAINBOW LAKES/CERAN ST. VRAIN TARGETED DISPERSED CAMPING -
OCCUPANCY AND USE RESTRICTIONS**

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(a), the following acts are prohibited on the National Forest System (NFS) lands within the Boulder Ranger District of the Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests described below and depicted on the attached maps incorporated into this Order as Exhibits A and B (the “Restricted Areas”).

The Restricted Areas are all NFS lands:

- Within ¼ mile of either side of Rainbow Lakes Road (Sections 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 33, 34, 35, Township 1 North, Range 73 West, 6th P.M.), excluding Rainbow Lakes Campground, as shown on Exhibit A; and
- Within ¼ mile of either side of South St. Vrain Creek beginning at the Ceran-St. Vrain trailhead and ending ¼ mile from the intersection of South St. Vrain Creek and National Forest System Road 252.1 (Sections 10, 15, 16, 22, Township 2 North, Range 72 West), as shown on Exhibit B.

The purpose of this Order is to protect public health and safety and natural resources.

PROHIBITIONS:

1. Camping. 36 C.F.R. § 261.58(e)
Camping in restricted areas outside of a designated Forest Service recreation site as depicted in Exhibit A.
2. Parking or leaving a vehicle in violation of posted instructions. 36 C.F.R. § 261.58(g)

EXEMPTIONS

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

1. Persons with a Forest Service special use authorization or other authorization specifically exempting them from the effect of this Order.
2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force engaged in the performance of an official duty.

This Order will remain in effect for one (1) year from the date signed, unless amended or rescinded.

Executed in Fort Collins, Colorado this 11th day of May, 2021.

May 11, 2021

MONTE L. WILLIAMS

DATE

Forest Supervisor

Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests

Pawnee National Grassland

A violation of these prohibitions is punishable as a Class B misdemeanor, 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 (6) months, or both. 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 18 U.S.C. §§ 3559, 3571, and 3581.

Exhibit A - Rainbow Lakes Area Closure Map

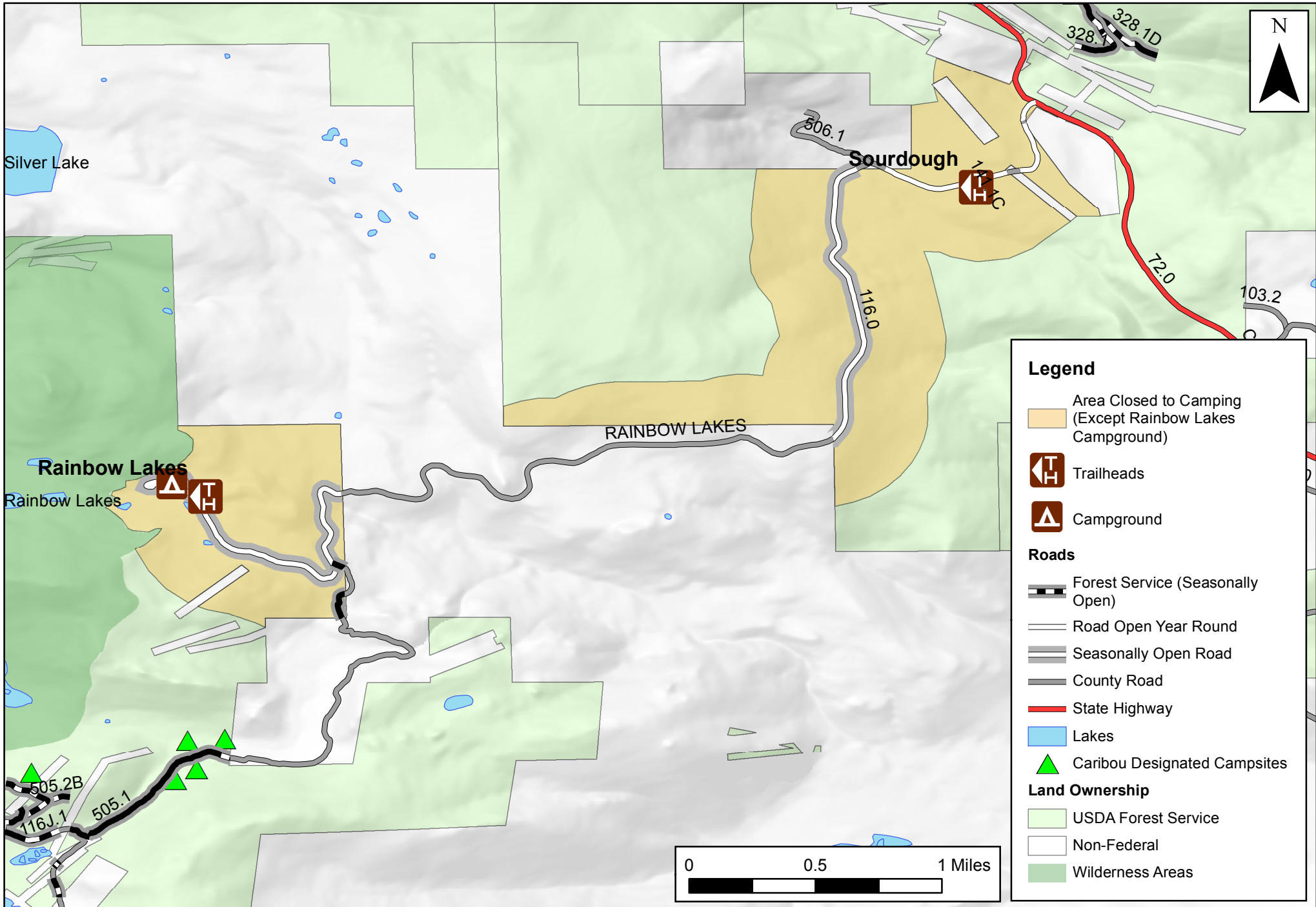


Exhibit B - Ceran St. Vrain Trail Area Closure Map

