Ministry of Forests, Lands,
Natural Resource Operations,
and Rural Development

Order: KFC2021-033
File: FOR-14340-30

BC WILDFIRE SERVICE
AREA RESTRICTION ORDER
Thomas Creek Wildfire (K51794)

Under Section 11(1) of the *Wildfire Act,* and pursuant to the authority delegated to me by the Minister of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development, to address a public safety concern arising from the Thomas Creek Wildfire (K51794) and in order to avoid interference with fire control, I, Glen Burgess, Deputy Fire Centre Manager, hereby designate the area described below as a restricted area.

Under this Order and section 11(2) of the *Wildfire Act*, a person must not remain in or enter the restricted area without the prior written authorization of an official designated for the purposes of the *Wildfire Act*, unless the person:

Enters the area only in the course of:
(a) Travelling as a person acting in an official capacity;
(b) Travelling for the purpose of supporting wildfire suppression activities;
(c) Travelling to or from his or her principle residence, that is not under an evacuation order;
(d) Travelling to or from his or her private or leased property for the purposes of accessing his or her secondary residence or recreational property, that is not under an evacuation order;
(e) Using a highway as defined in the *Highway Act;* or,
(f) Engaging and/or participating in agricultural activities pertaining to livestock or agriculture management on Crown Range, Crown Grazing Lease, private or leased property.

This Order applies to Crown land **within** the geographic boundaries described below and as outlined in heavy black dotted and shaded grey line on the attached map:

Western Boundary: Commencing at Point #1 (W119°29.39'; N49°17.66') at the eastern boarder of VASEUX PROTECTED AREA, travel north along eastern edge of conservation land properties to the southern border of MCTAGGART-COWAN/NSEK'INIW'T WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA (Point #2: W119°30.43'; N49°20.79'). Continue travelling north along eastern edge of MCTAGGART-COWAN/NSEK'INIW'T WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA to where MCTAGGART-COWAN/NSEK'INIW'T WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA meets unnamed rough road travel north (Point #3: W119°27.58'; N49°26.03').

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Northern Boundary: Commencing at Point #3, travel east along the Beaverdell Road to where Beaverdell Road meets 201 Forest Service Road (FSR) (Point #4: W119°21.64'; N49°28.03'), then travel 3.4 km at 167.37 degrees to the intersection with SAUNIER CREEK FSR (Point #5: W119°20.198'; N49°26.495'). Continue on the SAUNIER CREEK FSR, north and easterly to intersection with Okanagan Shuswap Natural Resource District Boundary (Point #6: W119°12.728'; N49°29.508').

Eastern Boundary: Commencing at Point #6, travel south along Okanagan Shuswap Natural Resource District Boundary to the junction of TUZO RD and CP 214 SOLCO LK Road Permit (Point #7: W119°15.393'; N49°21.588'). Continue north along CP 214 SOLCO LK Road Permit to junction with CP 4M SOLCO LK Road Permit (Point #8: W119°15.496'; N49°21.813'), then proceed south along an unnamed rough road to junction with Solco Creek (Point #9: W119°16.94'; N49°20.72'). Proceed south along Solco Creek to Point #10 (W119°17.71'; N49°19.50'), then take a bearing of 137.67 degrees and travel approximately 120m to Solco FSR (Point #11: W119°17.65'; N49°19.46'). Proceed south along Solco Road Permit, continuing west along R200 Road Permit to the junction of Solco Creek (Point #112: W119°18.56'; N49°17.17').

Southern Boundary: Commencing at Point #12, travel west along Solco Creek then continue west along Vaseau Creek to the intersection of Vaseau Creek and the eastern boundary of VASEUX PROTECTED AREA (Point #13: W119°24.02'; N49°15.15'). Travel north along the eastern boundary of VASEUX PROTECTED AREA to the northern edge of VASEUX PROTECTED AREA parcel boundary (Point #14: W119°29.38'; N49°17.10'). Take a bearing of 359.73 degrees and travel 10.5 Km to Point #1.

This Order takes effect at 12:00 Pacific Daylight Time (PTD) on August 13, 2021 and remains in force until the earlier of 12:00 noon (PTD) on October 15, 2021 or until the Order is rescinded.

Aug 12/21
Date Signed

Glen Burgess
Kamloops Deputy Fire Centre Manager
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Attachment: Appendix A

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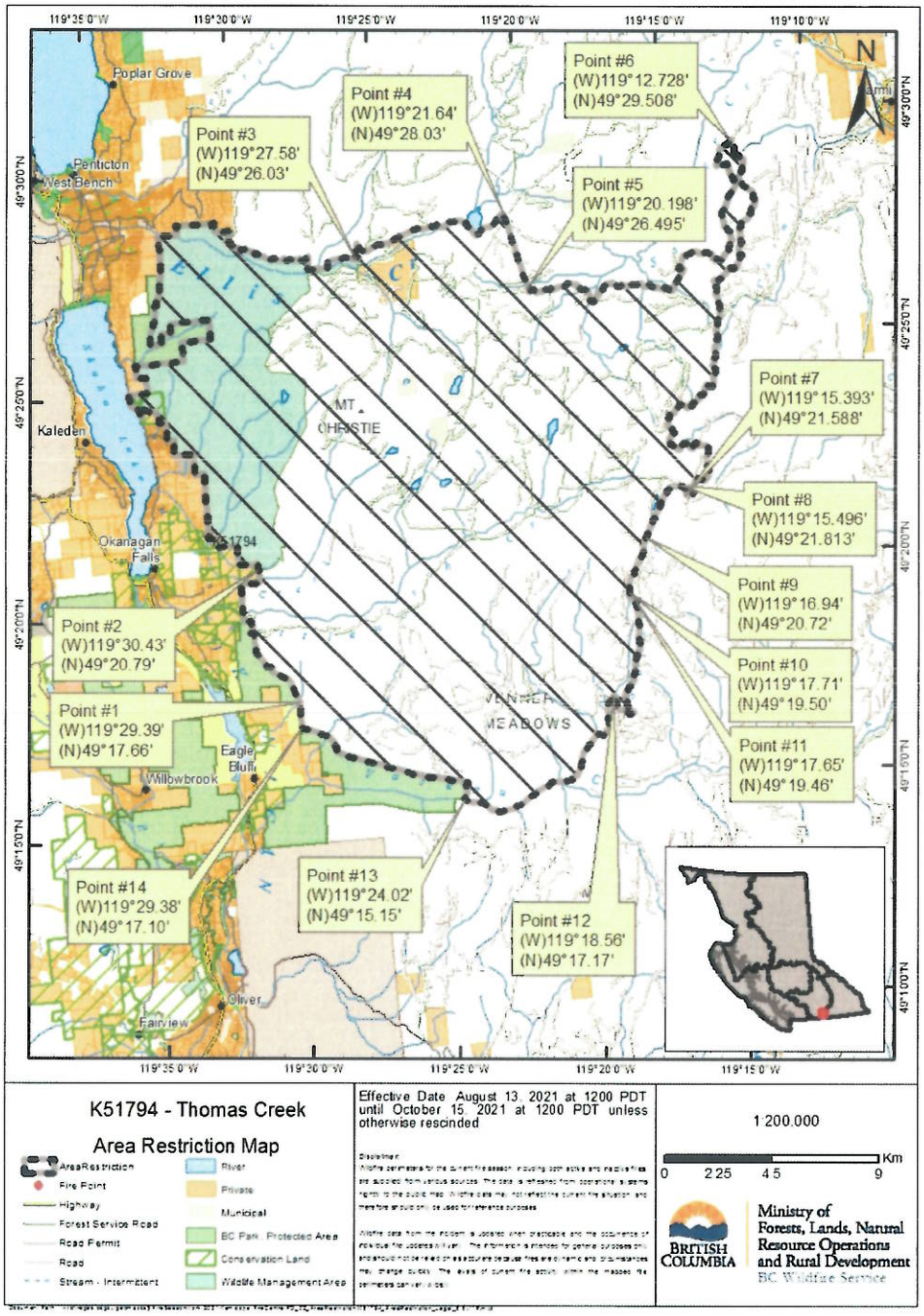
MAP



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