INFORMATION BULLETIN

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Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations
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BC Wildfire Service

Area Restriction for Tremont Creek Wildfire

KAMLOOPS- The BC Wildfire Service has implemented an Area Restriction Order for the vicinity of the Tremont Creek wildfire. The size of the area restriction reflects the continued need to protect the public in areas where there are ongoing fire suppression activities. This Area Restriction takes effect noon on July 18, 2021.

This order will remain in place until noon on October 15, 2020 or until it is rescinded. This order applies to Crown land within the geographic boundaries outlined below and shown on the map posted online http://ow.ly/Sehg30rOaw3.

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 as a person working for Highland Valley Copper Mine to and from the mine site for the purposes of maintaining critical infrastructure at the site.
(d) Travelling to or from his or her principle residence, that is not under an evacuation order.
(e) Travelling to or from private or leased property for the purposes of accessing a secondary residence or recreational property, that is not under an evacuation order.
(f) Engaging and/or participating in agricultural activities pertaining to livestock or agriculture management on private or leased property.
(g) Using a highway as defined in the *Highway Act* (e.g. use of travelling along Hwy 97C).

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