



**United States Department of the Interior**  
**Redwood National Park**  
1111 Second Street  
Crescent City, California 95531

W22 REDW-VRP  
Closure Order  
#23-002  
3/28/2023

Closures, restrictions, and public use limits:

Closure Order - Portion of a Park Area: Under the authority provided to the Superintendent of Redwood National and State Parks and under authority of Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.5(a) and Section (a)(1), the following park areas and facilities are closed, effective March 28, 2023 until the closure order is rescinded:

- **Tall Trees Road, Tall Trees Trail, and Emerald Ridge Trail-** To include the entire road surface from the gate intersection at Bald Hills Road to the Trailhead parking lot and the entirety of both trails from the trailhead to the intersection of Redwood Creek and Dolason Trail respectively
- **Skunk Cabbage Trail** – To include the entire trail from the trailhead to Gold Bluff Beach
- **Dolason Trail-** To include entire trail from the trailhead to its intersection with Emerald Ridge.
- **Lyon's Ranch Trail-** To include the entire trail from the trailhead to the homestead site.
- **Coyote Basin-** To include all the trails within the Coyote Basin and drainage.

Authority: 36 CFR 1.5(a)(1)

Notice: This administrative closure order applies to all individuals subject to the regulatory authority of the National Park Service (NPS) within the boundaries of Redwood National and State Parks, including park visitors. Exceptions to the closure order are provided for authorized employees of the National Park Service (NPS), authorized employees of the California Department of Parks and Recreation (CDPR), park partners,

permittees, and other essential employees in the community.

Finding: Redwood National and State Parks issues this administrative closure order for the purposes of maintaining public safety due to extensive impacts of winter storms. Tree fall, snow load, high wind, and heavy rain have obstructed access at the identified locations. Maintenance efforts requiring extensive road plowing, and trail clearing operations will present hazards to visitors.

This order is effective March 28, 2023 and will remain in effect until rescinded. The effectiveness of this order will be assessed on an ongoing basis and will be modified or removed when conditions warrant.

Approval:	<u>Steve Mierz</u>	<u>March 28, 2023</u>
	Superintendent	Date