



File: FOR-12430-20/EH ORV

**Section 58 Order
Motorized Closure for the Elephant Hill Fire Area**

This order takes effect on May 17, 2018

Pursuant to Section 58 (1) of the *Forest and Range Practices Act*, the District Manager of the Thompson Rivers Forest District and the District Manager of the 100 Mile House Forest District order that the area known as the Elephant Hill Fire area indicated on the attached map is closed to use by motorized vehicles (including automobiles, trucks, motorcycles and all types of off-road recreational vehicles (wheeled or tracked)) except on existing roads. This order is in effect from May 17, 2018 to December 31, 2018.

This order does not apply to:

- 1) Non-recreational users performing activities associated with agreements awarded pursuant to provincial statute;
- 2) Snowmobiles operating on a minimum of 0.5 m of snow; and
- 3) The following existing recreation trails:
 - Green Lake Snowmobile Trail (REC6246)
 - 70 Mile – Green Lake Trail (REC6897)
 - Interlakes Snowmobile Trail (REC6951)

The purpose of this order is:

- 1) Restore previously impacted portions of the Elephant Hill Fire grasslands and sensitive ecosystems; and
- 2) Maintain and enhance resource values through the management of motorized access on sensitive ecosystems.

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