

**ORDER NO. FPNG-99-01**

**USE OF VEHICLES OFF OF FOREST DEVELOPMENT ROADS**

**FORT PIERRE NATIONAL GRASSLAND**

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50 (a) and (b) the following acts are prohibited on the areas and roads described in this order within the Fort Pierre National Grassland, South Dakota (as shown on the attached map labelled Exhibit A):

- 1) On and between September 1 and November 30 of each year, possessing or using a motorized vehicle except on Forest Development Roads designated with a sign showing the FDR road number. Where developed parking sites are not provided and where not otherwise prohibited, direct travel not to exceed 30 feet from the edge of the road surface to a suitable parking location is permitted. (36 CFR 261.56)
- 2) Possessing or using a motorized vehicle within the Richland Wildlife Enclosure except on FDR 234 or to access or use designated parking sites as shown on the attached map labelled Exhibit B, and as located within Sections 5, 8, and 9, Township 2 North, Range 31 East, BHM. (36 CFR 261.54a)
- 3) Operating or using any internal or external combustion engine without a spark arresting device properly installed, maintained and in effective working order meeting either Department of Agriculture, Forest Service Standard 5100-1a; or appropriate Society of Automotive Engineers (SAE) recommended practice J335(b) and J350(a). (36 CFR 261.52j)

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50 (e), the following persons are exempt from this order:

- 1) Persons with a permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission, including handicapped persons for whom vehicle access is reasonably required.
- 2) Any federal, state, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.

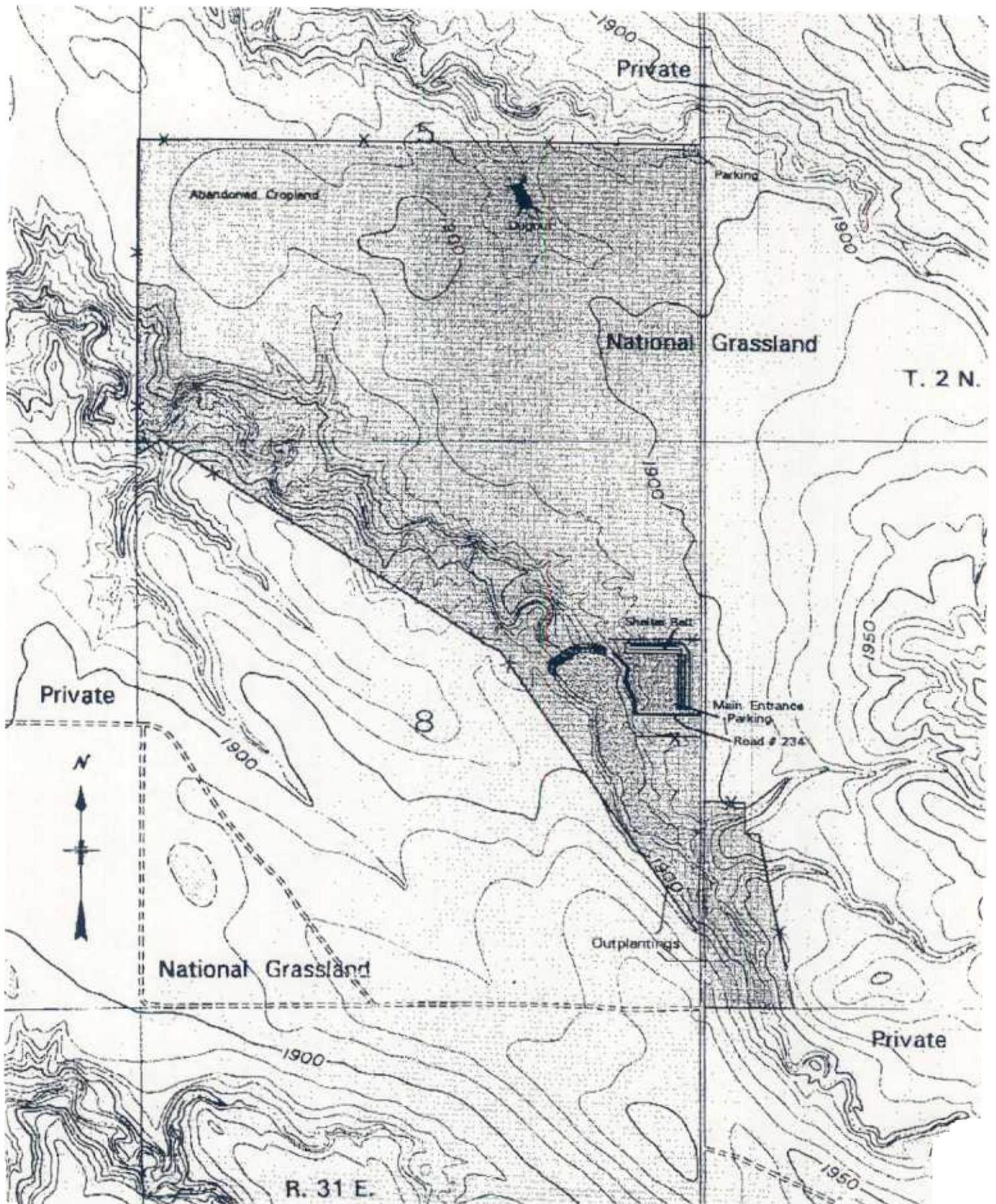
This order supercedes an unnumbered Special Order dated June 24, 1977 and signed by W.H. McCrum, Regional Forester.

Done at Chadron, Nebraska this 16th day of March, 1999.

  
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Mary H. Peterson  
Forest Supervisor  
Ft. Pierre National Grassland

Violation of these prohibitions is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5000 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months, or both. (Title 16 USC 551, Title 18 USC 3571 and 3559).

# MICHLAND WILDLIFE AREA



10. COMPLETE THE ORDER USING THIS CHECK LIST. When complete, forward the original request to the SO, Attn.: Law Enforcement. The request will be routed to the appropriate staff officer, Public Information Officer, and Forest Supervisor.

Reviewed: \_\_\_\_\_  
District Ranger Date

Reviewed: [Signature] 3-10-99  
District Law Enforcement Officer Date

Reviewed: LLP 3-10-99  
Supervisory Law Enforcement Officer Date

Reviewed: [Signature] 3/12/99  
Public Information Officer Date

\*Reviewed: [Signature] 3/12/99  
Zone Engineer Date

Reviewed: [Signature] 3/16/99  
Forest Staff Officer Date

\*For road closures only