



The Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation  
**MEMORANDUM**



Wednesday, May 10, 2017

TO: Michael Marchand, Chairman *A.J.*

FROM: Cody Desautel, Natural Resources Director

SUBJECT: Road Closure Lifted

Tribal staff have continued to monitor road, watershed and forest conditions over the past two months. While areas of the reservation still have significant runoff and groundwater concerns, many areas have improved. We understand many activities require access during certain seasonal windows. It's the recommendation of the Natural Resource Division to reopen roads to both staff and the public.

We encourage users to exercise good judgement when traveling on forest roads for both public safety reasons, and resource concerns. Please direct questions to Cody Desautel at 509-634-2249 (office) or 509-690-1259 (cell). We appreciate the patience and understanding of those impacted by the closure.