

Hungry Horse Ranger District Trail Condition Report

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Trail Conditions Report:

Please see table below for detailed trail information.

Trail conditions can change quickly, we are starting to get snow in the higher elevations. Trails that have been cleared may continue to experience downfall after the reported clearing date. Please visit www.fs.usda.gov/flathead for more information. If you have questions, please call the Hungry Horse/Glacier View Ranger District at **406-387-3800, M-F 8am-4:30pm.**

HIKERS AND HUNTERS, YOU MUST KNOW THE STATUS OF WILDFIRES AND TRIALS/AREA CLOSURES BEFORE ENTERING ANY AREA. EVAN THOUGH TEMPERATURES ARE DROPPING AND MOISTURE IS INCREASING, WILDFIRE CREWS AND EQUIPMENT ARE STILL ACTIVE. PLEASE USE CAUTION AND KNOW BEFORE YOU GO.

Detailed Trail Information for the Hungry Horse District

Trail No.	Trail Name	Total Miles	Miles Cleared	Date Cleared	Remarks, Projects, Safety	
1	Graves Creek	6.5	.5	7/17/17	Cleared from Jct. w/392 to Black Lake	
7	Alpine 7	7.53	3			Trail cleared from junction 717 to Alpine Lake.
			1.5	6/30/17		Trail cleared from the junction with trail #8 to trail #723
			6	7/8/17		Trail cleared from Camp Misery to Crater Lake
			.5	7/10/17		Cleared from Jct. of 68 & 7 to Jct. 7&392
			1.1	7/17/17		Cleared from Jct. 8&7 to Jct. 7&1
			1.5	7/17/17		Cleared from Jct. w/717 to Birch Lake
			1.5	7/15-16/17		Cleared from Jct. w/Trail #8 to Jct. w/Picnic Lakes #392
			1.3	7/22/17		Cleared from junction with trail #723 to boundry with Swan Lake Ranger District.
			2	7/23/17		Cleared from Jct.w/ Trail #52 to Jct. w/Trail #295
			1	7/31/17		
			.1	8/10/17		Trail cleared from the junction with 724 to Birch Lake
			.1	9/20/17	Trail cleared from the junction with Birch Lake #724 to Crater Lake.	
8	Noisy Notch	0.6	2.5	7/03/17	Cleared from the TH to Twin Lakes.	
			.25	7/28/17	Cleared from Camp from Camp	

			2	9/11/17	Misery TH to Twin Lakes. Trail cleared from TH to Junction
49	Flossy Creek	5.07			
51	Columbia Mtn. Loop	12.46	2 miles up and 3.3 in	6/1/17	Cleared the front side of the trail from the TH to 2 miles. And cleared the backside of the trail from the TH to 3.3 miles in.
52	Doris Ridge	2.47	2.5	7/31/17	Cleared from trailhead to Jct. w/7
55	Tongue Mountain	2.5	1.5	7/06/17	Trail cleared from Clayton Lake – west TH to 1 and a half miles in, passed the switchbacks.
			1.0	9/11/17	Trail cleared from 1 mile past Junction with trail #420 to Junction with trail #49.
57	Wounded Buck	3.69			
58	Black Lake	0.1			
62	Logan-Dirty face	12.77	3.75	6/24/17	Trail cleared from the Logan TH to 3 and ¾'s of a mile up the trail. Thank you BCH!
63	Baptiste Lookout	5.84	6	6/24/17	Trail cleared from the TH to Baptiste LO.
64	Wheeler Creek	2.75			
65	Spruce Crossing	1.86			
68	Picnic Cutoff	0.7	.7	7/3/17	Trail cleared from the junction with Trail 8 to the junction with Trail #717.

				.7	9/11/17	Cleared from the junction with Trail #8 to junction with Trail #392.
71	Pioneer Ridge	7.48		4	6/16/17	Trail cleared from the TH to 4 miles in.
117	Tunnel Creek	2.36				
146	Stanton Lake	2.5		2.25 200 yards	6/28/17 8/17/17	Cleared trail from TH. Cleared a blow down of 15 trees from TH to 200 yards.
149	Dickey Creek	2.74		2.74	6/29/17	Trail cleared from the TH to the ridge below Dickey Lake.
		2.14				Cleared from TH to lake
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150	Marion Lake	20.68		10 2.125	9/13/17 5/30/17	Trail cleared from TH to the Lake. Trail cleared from Bear Creek TH to 3 miles past Spruce Park Cabin
151	Essex Creek	5.14				
152	Sheep Elk Loop	15.09		1	7/10-16/17	Cleared for 1 mile, then scouted further down trail. The canyon below/
155	Big River			7 ½ mile	6/14/17 8/11/17 8/27/17	156 to ½ mile shy of the 25 mile creek past Granite Cabin. Trail cleared from Granite Creek Junction to Vinegar Creek. Trail cleared from the Granite/Big River Jct to the Big Rive Shortcut
156	Granite Creek	5.37		6 2.5	8/7/17 9/28/17	Trail cleared from the TH to the Granite Cabin. Trail cleared from TH to 2.5 miles in.
156 A	Granite Shortcut	0.22				
158	Java Mountain	4.05				
159	25 Mile Creek	6.62		3	7/2/17	Trail cleared from Road 1651 intersection to 5 mile past trail 260.

			.4	8/27/17	Cleared 17 trees from Big River Jct. to Mt. Bradley Jct.
165	Giefer Creek	4.73	4	9/21/17	Trail cleared from TH to the 25 Mile Creek.
166	Long Creek	9.25	7.5	7/22-7/26	Cleared from Middle Fork crossing to approx.. 7.5 down Long Creek
167	Devil Creek	6.42			
204	Skiumah Creek	1.85	1.85	6/29/17	Trail cleared from the TH to Skiumah Lake.
			.75	8/28/17	Cleared from the TH to .75 mile up.
209	Castle Lake	1.97	Scouted	6/13/17	No snow on the trail to the lake. There are 10 trees down across the trail.
			2	8/27/17	Cleared trail from Big River Jct. to the Lake.
217	Bergsicker Creek	4.23			
242	Wildcat Mountain	1.4			
251	East Skyland	6.21	4	7/10-13/17	Cleared to Rd.1653 to Challenge Ck.
254	Java Creek	2.9			
260	Vinegar Mountain	10.93	1.3	5/30/17	Trail cleared from Spruce Park to 1.3 miles.
			2.25	6/29/17	Then 2.25 from trail 159 junction to Devil Creek Trail Junction.
			5	7/26-7/28/17	Cleared from Devil Ck./Vinegar Mtn. Jct. to Big River 155/Vinegar Mtn. Jct.
264	Puzzle Ridge	4.26	4.61	9/26/17	Trail cleared from TH to TH
285	P-Line	1.07			
286	Larch Spacing	0.25			

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287	Walking with Larch- up	0.89			
288	Walking With Larch- down	0.26			
295	Doris Creek	3.19	1	7/31/17	Cleared from Jct. w/Trail #7 to Road 895A
297	Jimmie Ridge	8.86			
309	Fawn Creek	6.84			
319	Grizzly Creek	1.81	1	9/21/17	Cleared from the junction with Giefer to just past Giefer Creek.
			2	9/27/17	Trail cleared from the junction with Geifer #165 to end of trail.
323	Bradley Mountain	5.32	1	8/27/17	Cleared from 25 mile jct. to 1 mile up the trail.
326	Rescue Creek	1.97			
328	Great Bear Creek	2.26			
330	Charlie Creek	3.23	1.25	9/8/17	Trail cleared from the TH at Big River to 1/8 mile after Spruce Paint Junction.
331	Ousel	2.3	.25	8/17/17	Cleared a few trees from the TH on the way up the trail.
			3	8/22/17	Cleared from TH to Ousel Peak.
			1	9/14/17	Trail cleared from the TH to the Wilderness Boundary.
332	Cy Creek	5.95	.5	8/12/17	Trail cleared from the junction with Big River Trail #155 to Middle Fork of the Flathead River.
339	Grant Ridge	9.19	3.5	6/27/17	Trail cleared from the TH to 3 and a half miles.
			7.5	8/15/17	Cleared from TH to Stanton Lake TH.
349	Hornet LO	.95	Scouted	7/3/17	Trail is pretty much clear with

					some trees still down on the trail.
382	Elkcalf Mountain	10.62	10.62 .5	9/14/17 9/28/17	Trail cleared from TH to the Summit of Elk Calf. Trail worked on from TH to ½ up.
388	Ousel Peak West	4.77	2 7	8/14/17 8/16/17	Trail cleared from the TH to 2 miles up. Cleared from TH to Trails end.
392	Picnic Lakes	1.09	1.1 2.2	7/21/17 9/11/17	Cleared from Jct. with Trail #1 to Jct. with Trail #68 Cleared out and reconstructed 25 water bars from the TH to Trail #1.
410	Forest Creek	1.73			

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417	Squaw Lake	0.18	Approx.. .25	7/15/17	Cleared Jct.w/7 to lake
420	Clayton Creek	4	4	7/06/17	Trail cleared from the west side reservoir TH to Clayton Lake and all the way around lake.
			2.6	8/2/17	Trail cleared from TH to Lake
			.6	9/11/17	Trail cleared from the junction with Trail #71 to the junction with Trail #55.
489	Edna Creek	3.16	3.2	9/6/17	Trail cleared from TH to Tranquil Basin.
498	Cascadilla Creek	1.9			
602	Elk Lake	1.02	1.67	7/24/17	Cleared from Jct. of 167 to Elk Lake
611	Lion Lake	.72	.72	5/15/17	Entire trail cleared thanks go to HH Fire!
660	Snake Loop	4.13	3.5	9/21/17	Trail cleared from the junction with Giefer to the end of the loop connecting back to Giefer.
677	Spruce Lookout	1.64	1.64	9/9/17	Only scouted trail from TH to end of trail at Old Lookout remains. Found many trees on trail 4 to 8 inches in diameter, with 10% being large crosscut trees.
717	Mt. Aeneas	1.75	3		Trail cleared from the TH to the Peak of Mt. Aeneas.
			2		Trail cleared from the Camp Misery TH to the 3 rd switchback on the Mt Aeneas.
			1		Cleared from Jct. of 717, 7, 68, switchback to Microwave Tower
718	Jewel Lakes	0.58			
719	Blackfoot	3.31	3.3	7/21/17	Trail cleared from junction with

	Lake				#55.
721	Twin Lakes	0.36	.5	7/17/17	Cleared from the Jct. of 7&721 to Twin Lakes.
			.5	7/22/17	Trail cleared from junction with Alpine #7 to Twin Lake.
722	Alpine Big Hawk	1.63			
723	Wildcat Lake	0.49	1	7/9/17	Trail cleared from the junction with trail #7 to the lake.
724	Birch Lake	0.79			
740	Mule Ridge	4.01	.5		Alpine #7 to Twin Lake.
			4.01	7/22/17	Trail cleared from Zip's Place Cabin to the junction with 382.
				9/14/17	
			.5	9/28/17	Trail cleared from TH on Skyland to ½ mile west of the TH.