

To the Shoshone National Forest Travel Management Team,

I would like to comment on the Russell creek road proposed seasonal closure. Adjusting the dates from May 1st to July 1st is a bad decision. This road has been used for many decades by the public to spring bear hunt, antler hunt, and just to access the forest. The spring bear season starts May 1st. You would be taking this access away. This road melts off very quickly in the spring, and is mostly rock, with the exception of one small section, that remains muddy for a while. I would suggest getting with the OHV club and doing some maintenance on the muddy section, and keeping the may 1st opening. This road has not changed for decades.

Thank you,

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