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Sierra Pacific Industries Southwest Washington Forestland Closed to Public Access Due to Fire Danger

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Centralia, WA –Due to dry, warm weather that has resulted in elevated fire danger, Sierra Pacific Industries (SPI) has closed its forestlands in southwest Washington. This closure applies to all lands in Lewis, Cowlitz and Clark Counties including the West Fork Tree Farm. This closure is effective immediately and will remain in effect until further notice.

“SPI takes pride in allowing non-motorized public access for hunting and other recreational values but must take this action to protect the resources and for public safety,” said Lisa Perry, SPI’s Washington Community Relations Manager.

This follows similar announcements by other forestland owners and managers throughout the state. To learn more about the company’s recreation access policies and current closure restrictions, visit <http://spi-ind.com/OurForests/RecreationAccess>.

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Sierra Pacific Industries is a third-generation, family-owned forest products company based in Anderson, California. The firm owns and manages over 2 million acres of timberland in California and Washington and is one of the U.S. largest lumber producers. The company also produces millwork, windows, and renewable energy.