

EXHIBIT “B”

FOOD STORAGE SPECIAL ORDER INFORMATION AND DEFINITIONS

IT IS REQUIRED THAT:

Human, pet and livestock food (except baled or cubed hay without additives), and garbage shall be attended or stored in an approved bear resistant manner when unattended.

Wildlife carcasses, birds, fish or other animal parts that are within 1/2-mile of any camp or sleeping area shall be stored in a bear-resistant manner during night-time hours. If a wildlife carcass is within an attended camp during daytime hours it may be on the ground.

Attractants (such as garbage, food leftovers or bacon grease) shall not be buried, discarded, or burned in an open campfire.

Approved bear-resistant containers meet the following criteria: A securable container constructed of solid material capable of withstanding 200 foot-pounds of energy applied by direct impact. A bear-resistant container developed commercially must be approved by the USDA, Forest Service, Missoula Technology and Development Center (MTDC). Bear-resistant containers developed for personal use may be inspected for approval by the local District Ranger or their designated representative(s). For commercial operations, the MTDC has an impact testing machine available to evaluate containers for strength.

DEFINITIONS

Attended: At least one adult person (attendee) is physically present within 100 feet of attractants during **daytime hours**. During the **nighttime hours**, all attractants must be stored in a bear-resistant manner.

Attractant: Food as defined below and garbage from human, livestock or pet foods.

Food: Any nourishing substance, which includes human food or drink (canned, solid or liquid), livestock feed (except baled or cubed hay without additives) and pet food.

Attendee: An adult (18 years of age or older) in control of attractants.

Bear-resistant container: A securable container constructed of solid material capable of withstanding 200 foot-pounds of energy applied by direct impact. The container, when secured and under stress, will not have any openings greater than

one-quarter (1/4) inch, that would allow a bear to gain entry by biting or pulling with its claws.

Bear-resistant manner means any attractants, including food and garbage, must be stored in one of the following ways if unattended:

- secured in a hard-sided camper or vehicle trunk or trailer cab;
- secured in a hard-sided dwelling or storage building;
- suspended at least 10 feet up (from the bottom of the suspended item) and 4 feet out from any upright support, i.e. tree, pole;
- stored in an approved bear-resistant container;
- stored in any combination of these methods;
- stored by methods other than those described in Section #6, a-f, that shall be approved in writing by the Forest Supervisor responsible for their area of jurisdiction.

Contained fire stove: a metal stove that completely encloses the fire.

Daytime: 1/2-hour before sunrise until 1/2-hour after sunset.

Nighttime: 1/2-hour after sunset until 1/2-hour before sunrise.

Livestock: A domesticated animal, such as mule, horse, llama, or goat.

Wildlife carcass: The body, or any parts thereof, of any deceased wild animal, bird, or fish.