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104 Airport Road  
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**Firewood Cutting Area**

*Grangeville, ID* – Forest Development Roads 9449 and 9451, located on the Clearwater Ranger District, will be open to the public from July 7 through August 30 for personal use firewood gathering. The areas are located in lower Mill Creek, accessed by Forest Road 279. An area map is available at the Nez Perce National Forest Headquarters office located at 104 Airport Road.

A personal use firewood permit is required and all conditions of the permit apply.

An existing closure order has been amended to open these areas to the public. Restrictions will go back into affect after August 30. All other forest development roads and trails within the closure order will be unaffected by the amendment.

If you have questions please contact Barry Ruklic or Scott Godfrey at (208) 983-1950.

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