

Huron-Manistee National Forests  
Huron Shores Ranger Station Private Road Easement

David Demos currently maintains a private road easement from Trask Lake Road to his property line and has held the easement since January 25, 2007 providing legal access to his private lands and authorizing minor maintenance of two roads across the Huron National Forest.

The roads are located in Section 4 of T26N R8E, Michigan Meridian, Gustin Township, Alcona County, Michigan. From Trask Lake Road east of Barton City follow FDR 4020, approximately 1 mile to Forest Road 3210 which is the ¼ mile long access road to the Demos property.

The current Huron-Manistee National Forests easement has approved year-round use and maintenance of both of these existing Forest Service Roads 4020 and 3210 to access private lands on the Harrisville Ranger District.

The roads have been maintained as level 2 roads, encouraging high clearance to passenger vehicles. Maintenance by the private landowner has included grading, cleaning out ditches, spot graveling, brushing vegetation, and snowplowing.

The Forest proposes to authorize through the terms of the Demos Private Road Easement to allow him to maintain a gate on Forest Road 3210 at the intersection of Forest Road 4020, closing to the general public use with motor vehicles the 1/4 mile of Forest Road 3210 to his private property line.

No new road construction or disturbance outside the existing road area will be allowed by this decision. Total National Forest System land involved in this decision is closing to public motor vehicle use 0.29 acres. Forest Plan Management Area 2.1, Roaded Natural Rolling Plains and Morainal Hills.

Forest Road 3210 has been posted effective October 27, 2008.

If you have any comments or additional information regarding this road please contact Gordon Haase, at the Huron Shores Ranger Station, 5761 North Skeel Avenue, Oscoda, Michigan 48750, (989) 739-0728.