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Determination of Temporary Closure

36 CFR 1.5 Closures and Public Use Limits

(a) Consistent with applicable legislation and federal administrative policies, and based upon a determination that such action is necessary for the maintenance of public health and safety, protection of environmental or scenic values, protection of natural or cultural resources, aid to scientific research, implementation of management responsibilities, equitable allocation and use of facilities, or the avoidance of conflict among visitor use activities, the Superintendent may:

(1). Establish, for all or a portion of a park area, a reasonable schedule of visiting hours, impose public use limits, or close all or a portion of a park area to all public use or to a specific use activity.

1. Temporary Closure Location: The bridge known as Tocaloma or Old Platform Bridge, which runs parallel to Sir Francis Drake Blvd, at the intersection with Platform Bridge Road.
2. Duration of Temporary Closure: Until further notice
3. Who is affected by the Temporary Closure: All vehicular traffic
4. Justification for Temporary Closure: The bridge is being closed to vehicular traffic due to structural deficiencies that make the weight of a vehicle unsafe to cross over the bridge.
5. Additional Justification: This bridge serves as access to the Cross Marin Trail and is heavily utilized by pedestrians and cyclists. A public highway bridge that accommodates vehicular traffic is located approximately 150ft to the west. Separating pedestrians and cyclists from sharing a roadway (bridge) with motor vehicles should reduce the potential for conflicts between the user groups.

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