

Double Lake Recreation Area to temporarily close

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Double Lake Recreation Area will temporarily close to the public from Jan. 1, through early spring 2017, according to Sam Houston National Forest District Ranger Warren Oja.

“Double Lake is transitioning to a new concessionaire and the closure time is needed to assess and complete any needed repairs or maintenance such as site furnishings, signs, bathroom fixtures and any required inspections,” Oja said. “We apologize for such short notice and it is unfortunate the popular recreation area has to close at the end of the year, but the concessionaire will need time to train personnel and to become familiar with the recreation area.”

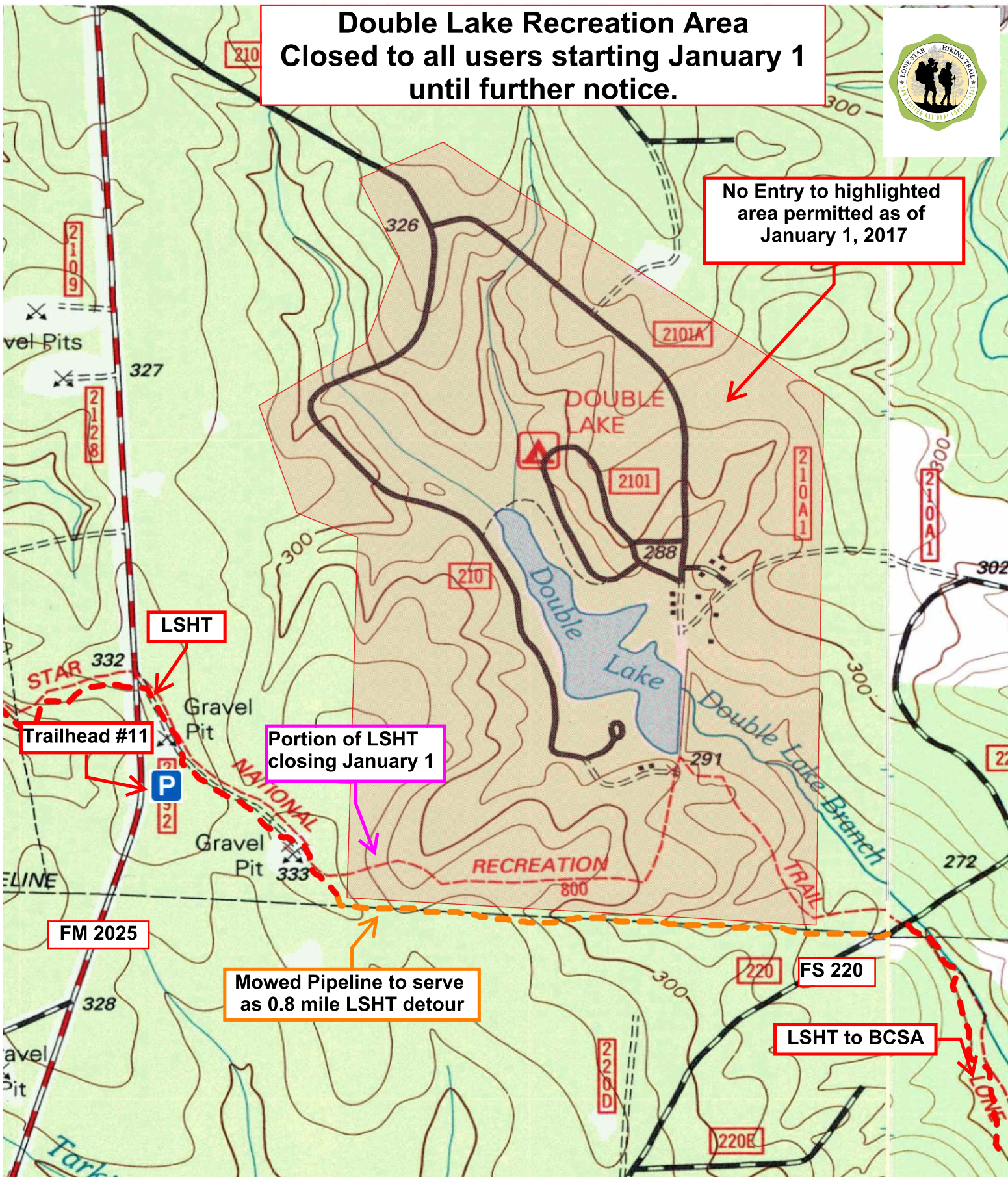
The closure includes camping, day-use, the entire mountain bike trail and the section of Lone Star Hiking Trail within Double Lake Recreation Area.



**Double Lake Recreation Area
Closed to all users starting January 1
until further notice.**



**No Entry to highlighted
area permitted as of
January 1, 2017**



LSHT

Trailhead #11

**Portion of LSHT
closing January 1**

FM 2025

**Mowed Pipeline to serve
as 0.8 mile LSHT detour**

FS 220

LSHT to BCSA