

Danger warning for people recreating in Angora burn area

The U.S. Forest Service Lake Tahoe Basin Management Unit is urging the public to use caution within the Angora Fire area and avoid areas with large concentrations of dead standing trees.

Forest Service staff working in the area report that trees are falling on a regular basis. Windy conditions increase the hazard.

Hikers, bikers, and other recreationists are advised standing dead trees and damaged live trees weakened by the fire may suddenly snap or fall without warning.

Portions of the fire area remain closed through Oct. 7 to allow for the completion of the Angora Hazard Tree Removal project.

For more information on the closure, [click here](#) and look for the closure order under Angora.

For additional information, visit the Forest Supervisor's office at 35 College Drive, South Lake Tahoe, or call (530) 543.2694. The office hours are Monday through Friday, 8am to 4:30pm.