

Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument Road Report

Friday, March 31, 2017

All road conditions can **change RAPIDLY** due to weather.
Please contact the nearest visitor center for the most current conditions.

Roads to the East

Name	Date	Road	Comments
Burr Trail	3/26/2017	2WD, 2WD High Clearance	2WD/2WD High Clearance. Conditions changeable on dirt section due to storms in forecast.
Notom-Bullfrog	3/26/2017	2WD High Clearance	2WD High Clearance. Changeable conditions! Storms in the forecast.(Per Capitol Reef NPS report)
Road to Bullfrog Marina	3/26/2017	2WD High Clearance	2WD High Clearance. Changeable conditions! Storms in the forecast. (per Capitol Reef NPS report)
Wolverine Loop	3/14/2017	2WD	Road is in good condition a few washboards.
Cedar Wash	3/8/2017	2WD High Clearance	Good condition recently graded, watch for sandy spots.
Hole in the Rock	3/24/2017	2WD	Road is wasboarded with a few ruts control speed. Recommend HC-4WD for last 7 miles.
Spencer Flat	3/11/2017	2WD High Clearance	Bumpy

Roads to the North

Name	Date	Road	Comments
Hells Backbone	3/21/2017	2WD High Clearance, Impassable	2WD High Clearance to Posey Lake junction. Hells Backbone impassable due to snow!
Posey Lake to Loa	3/21/2017	Impassable	Impassable due to snow!
Whites Flat (FR #152)	3/21/2017	Impassable	Impassable due to snow!
Griffin Top	3/21/2017	Impassable	Impassable!
North Creek (FR #149)	3/21/2017	Impassable	Impassable due to snow!
Main Canyon	3/21/2017	2WD High Clearance, Impassable	2WD High Clearance, becomes impassable after 9 miles.

Roads to the Central Areas

Name	Date	Condition	Comments
Smoky Mountain - Alvey Wash	3/21/2017	2WD High Clearance, 4WD	Mostly good condition, High Clearance required, 4WD recommended for safety.
Left Hand Collet	3/21/2017	4WD High Clearance	Rocks, sand, etc.
Croton	3/3/2017	4WD	4WD not regularly maintained,seldom traveled,often impassable!
Smoky Hollow	3/8/2017	4WD	4WD conditions unknown! Travel not advised!

Roads to the West

Name	Date	Road	Comments
Cottonwood	3/26/2017	2WD High Clearance	HC2WD. Rough rutted areas. Impassable when wet.
Skutumpah	3/26/2017	2WD High Clearance	HC2WD. Rough rutted areas. Impassable when wet.
Glendale Bench	3/7/2017	2WD	2WD Good Condition!
Paria Movie Set	3/25/2017	2WD	2WD w caution to rough spots. Impassable when wet.
House Rock Valley	3/30/2017	2WD High Clearance	2WD High Clearance. Impassable when wet! Storms in the forecast.
White House	3/25/2017	2WD	None