



ADMINISTRATIVE  
RULES OF  
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**12.11.610 BITTERROOT RIVER**

- (1) Bitterroot River is closed to use of any motorized watercraft except any motorized watercraft powered by 20 horsepower or less are permitted from October 1 through January 31 from the headwaters of the Bitterroot River to the confluence with the Clark Fork River.
- (2) All tributaries, and natural streams, sloughs, and channels flowing into the Bitterroot River between the Woodside Crossing Fishing Access Site and the John and Nancy Owen Fishing Access Site are closed to the use of any motorized watercraft.
- (3) Floating of any kind, including the use of a tube, raft, vessel, or similar device, is prohibited on Fridays from July 1 through September 15 from Painted Rocks Dam to Applebury Forest Service Site.

**Authorizing statute(s):** 87-1-303, MCA

**Implementing statute(s):** 87-1-303, MCA

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**History:** NEW, 2001 MAR p. 18, Eff. 1/12/01; AMD, 2011 MAR p. 2524, Eff. 11/26/11; AMD, 2018 MAR p. 434, Eff. 2/24/18.