

# NEWS RELEASE

## USDA Forest Service

Coronado National Forest

Safford Ranger District



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### **Swift Trail to Close November 15**

*Safford, AZ, Thursday, November 6, 2003---* On Saturday, November 15, the upper portion of State Highway 366, commonly referred to as Swift Trail, will be closed for the winter. The gate, located approximately one-half mile beyond the Shannon Campground at the end of the pavement, will be closed from November 15 until April 15. This closure applies to motorized travel only. Non-motorized users, including hikers, cross-country skiers, and mountain bikers may continue beyond the gate.

The Arizona-Idaho Conservation Act, passed by Congress in 1988, requires the Forest Service to close the Swift Trail (State Highway 366) between November 15 and April 15 each year beginning at the intersection with Forest Road 507. Please contact the Safford Ranger District at (928) 428-4150 if you have any questions. Office hours are 7:30 to 4:30, Monday through Friday.

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