NOTICE TO HIKERS

2020 – Northwest Florida Water Management District Closures

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Description:

The Northwest Florida Water Management District is closing each of its reservation campsites and developed recreation areas beginning Monday, March 23, 2020, for the next 60 days. This includes picnic areas, swimming areas, and other developed recreation sites.

Hiking trails, bike trails, equestrian trails, and boat ramps will remain open for individual use, but users may not congregate at or use associated shared facilities (e.g. picnic tables, pavilions, restrooms, etc.) Individuals must maintain appropriate distances from other users while using trails and launching and retrieving boats and paddle craft.

While the Econfina and Altha sections are still open to hikers, the Walsingham, Seashell, and Rattlesnake Lake Campgrounds are closed to hikers.