

Nevada Forest Highways

Forest Highway Network

- 14 Forest Highway routes
- 298 road miles
 - 168 miles are paved
 - 130 miles are unpaved
- Eight Bridges
 - None are structurally deficient
 - Three are functionally obsolete

Paved Road Mileage by Condition

Condition Rating	Mileage	Percentage
Excellent	18	5.9%
Good	95	32.7%
Fair	75	25.0%
Poor	108	36.0%
Failed	1	0.4%

Bridge Structure Rating

Sufficiency Rating	Number	Percentage
Good (>80)	4	50%
Fair (50-80)	4	50%
Poor (<50)	0	0%

Political Divisions

- Three National Forests
- Fifteen Transportation Planning Regions (TPRs), ten include forest highways
- Four Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPOs), three overlap forest highways

Scenic Byways

- Three national scenic byways, one on a forest highway
- Twenty-two state and local scenic byways

Trends

- Nevada population is increasing primarily in urban and suburban areas
- Forest visitation has increased in recent years

Summary

Forest visitation can be expected to increase as Nevada's population and tourism industry grows. Local recreation visits to Nevada National Forests are below the national average. However, non-local overnight visits are well over national averages. Population increases are likely to contribute to future forest visits; non-local visits could be responsible for additional forest highway traffic.

