

**Beginning April 20, 2004, launch access at Burnt Ranch Beach will be moved approximately one mile downstream to Lower Burnt Ranch (below the rapids).**

Please plan ahead to use the lower launch ramp after this date. Signs will direct you to the new launch where you will find a primitive launch ramp, boater registration station, and a toilet (to be installed soon). As with the old launch ramp, a four wheel drive vehicle is recommended.

As directed by the John Day River Plan, Burnt Ranch Beach will be closed to vehicles, but will remain open for boat-in and walk-in camping, fishing, and day use. Parking for Burnt Ranch Beach is located at the bottom of the hill, approximately 200 feet from the water.