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# Road Conditions Report

## Gold Butte National Monument

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Monday December 18, 2023

Road conditions are subject to change due to flooding and other natural and unnatural factors. Contact the Las Vegas Field Office for additional information at (702) 515-5056. Check local weather forecasts before visiting the Monument.

Limit your exposure to cold and wet conditions. Temperatures may drop to below freezing (32°F (0°C)). During the winter, day and nighttime temperatures may fluctuate greatly. Please prepare accordingly and use extreme caution while traveling within the Monument during the winter months.

Road Name	Date	Condition	Comments
Gold Butte Road (Paved)	12/18/2023	Road clear of most debris. Small sections continue to have deep, fine sand. Recommend 2WD High Clearance. Generally, passable by passenger vehicles.	Potholes are common along this stretch. Drive with caution to avoid vehicle damage.
Gold Butte Road (Unpaved)	12/18/2023	Normal. Requires 2WD High Clearance.	
Fisherman's Cove Road	12/18/2023	Normal. Requires 2WD High Clearance. Wash crossings subject to erosion.	
Black Butte Road	12/18/2023	Normal. Requires 2WD High Clearance. Wash crossings subject to erosion.	
N. Mud Wash Road	12/18/2023	Normal. Recommend 4WD High Clearance.	
Mud Wash Road	12/18/2023	Deteriorated. Wash boarding common. Rough and deep, soft sand in sections. Road signs missing due to flooding event. Recommend 4WD High Clearance.	
Little Finland Road	12/18/2023	Normal. Mostly sandy with section of small rock steps. Require 4WD High Clearance.	
Whitney Pass Road	12/18/2023	Normal. Rocky and rough. Requires 2WD High Clearance.	

St. Thomas Gap Road	2/19/2023	Normal. Requires 2WD High Clearance.	
Devil's Cove Road	2/1/2023	Normal. Requires 2WD High Clearance.	
Babe's Bluff Road	12/18/2023	Normal. Requires 2WD High Clearance.	
Gold Butte Wash Road (Red Bluff Spring Road)	11/15/2023	Normal. Rocky with bedrock exposed in sections. Requires 2WD High Clearance.	
Narrows Rd	2/15/2023	Caution: Major wash out and erosion above Mud Wash, near Red Bluff Springs. Impassible.	Do not attempt.
White Rock Road to Cabin Canyon	10/12/2023	Normal. Requires 2WD High Clearance. Wash crossings subject to erosion. Water flowing at Cabin Canyon (unknown CFS).	