DUTIES OF SKIERS UNDER OREGON LAW

I agree to abide by the duties of skiers under Oregon law, ORS 30.985, which include, but are not limited to, the following:

A. Skiers who ski in any area not designated for skiing within the permit area assume inherent risks thereof.

B. Skiers shall be the sole judges of the limits of their ability to meet and overcome the inherent risks of skiing and shall maintain reasonable control of speed and course.

C. Skiers shall abide by the directions and instructions of the ski operator.

D. Skiers shall familiarize themselves with posted information on location and degree of difficulty of trails and slopes to the extent reasonably possible before skiing on any slope or trail.

E. Skiers shall not cross the uphill track of any surface lift except at points clearly designated by the ski area operator.

F. Skiers shall not overtake any other skier except in such a manner as to avoid contact and shall grant the right of way to the overtaken skier.

G. Skiers shall yield to other skiers when entering a trail or starting downhill.

H. Skiers must wear retention straps or other devices to prevent runaway skis.

I. Skiers shall not board rope tows, wire rope tows, j-bars, t-bars, ski lifts or other similar devices unless they have sufficient ability to use the devices, and skiers shall follow any written or verbal instructions that are given regarding the devices.

J. Skiers, when involved in a skiing accident, shall not depart from the ski area without leaving their names and addresses if reasonably possible.

K. A skier who is injured should, if reasonably possible, give notice of the injury to the ski area operator before leaving the ski area.

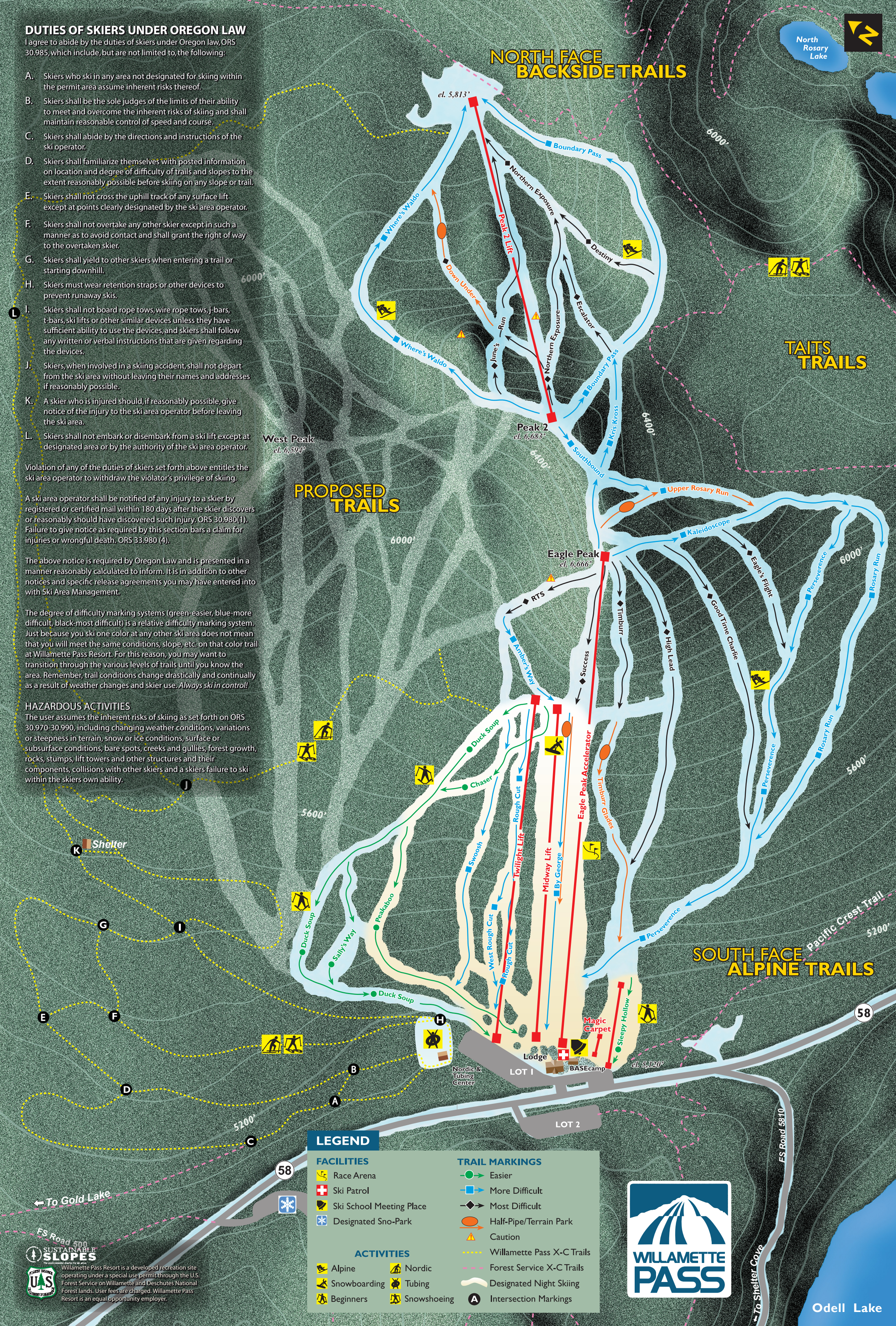
L. Skiers shall not embark or disembark from a ski lift except at designated area or by the authority of the ski area operator.

Violation of any of the duties of skiers set forth above entitles the ski area operator to withdraw the violator's privilege of skiing.

A ski area operator shall be notified of any injury to a skier by registered or certified mail within 180 days after the skier discovers or reasonably should have discovered such injury. ORS 30.980(1). Failure to give notice as required by this section bars a claim for injuries or wrongful death. ORS 33.980 (4).

The above notice is required by Oregon Law and is presented in a manner reasonably calculated to inform. It is in addition to other notices and specific release agreements you may have entered into with Ski Area Management.

The degree of difficulty marking systems (green-easier, blue-more difficult, black-most difficult) is a relative difficulty marking system. Just because you ski one color at any other ski area does not mean that you will meet the same conditions, slope, etc. on that color trail at Willamette Pass Resort. For this reason, you may want to transition through the various levels of trails until you know the area. Remember, trail conditions change drastically and continually as a result of weather changes and skier use. *Always ski in control!*

HAZARDOUS ACTIVITIES

The user assumes the inherent risks of skiing as set forth on ORS 30.970-30.990, including changing weather conditions, variations or steepness in terrain, snow or ice conditions, surface or subsurface conditions, bare spots, creeks and gullies, forest growth, rocks, stumps, lift towers and other structures and their components, collisions with other skiers and a skiers failure to ski within the skiers own ability.