

MOUNTAIN STATES CUP

PROPOSED TEMPORARY COURSE REROUTES

PURGATORY RESORT DOWNHILL COURSE · MSC ROUND 4 · AUGUST 27 TO 30, 2026

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Mountain States Cup proposes two short, temporary deviations from the established downhill race line for Round 4 at Purgatory Resort. Both deviations sit on the open ski run, both exist to keep racers safe, and both are strictly temporary for the race weekend. The Durango Mesa Trail Crew has volunteered to rehabilitate any ground disturbance once the race concludes.

COURSE OVERVIEW

EXISTING RACE LINE PROPOSED TEMPORARY REROUTE

EXPOSED CONDUIT, APPROXIMATE



A ENDURO CORNER REROUTE

DEVIATION APPROX. 140 FT • MAX APPROX. 40 FT OFF THE EXISTING LINE •

SURFACE: OPEN SKI RUN

This is the section of ski run used for World Cup racing in the early 2000s. Racers leave the established line just above the enduro corner, cross the open run, and merge back into the trail as quickly as possible. The existing corner is a hazard for our youngest categories; this deviation lets riders as young as 10 bypass it safely.

===== EXISTING RACE LINE - - - - - PROPOSED TEMPORARY REROUTE



B LIFT LINE REROUTE

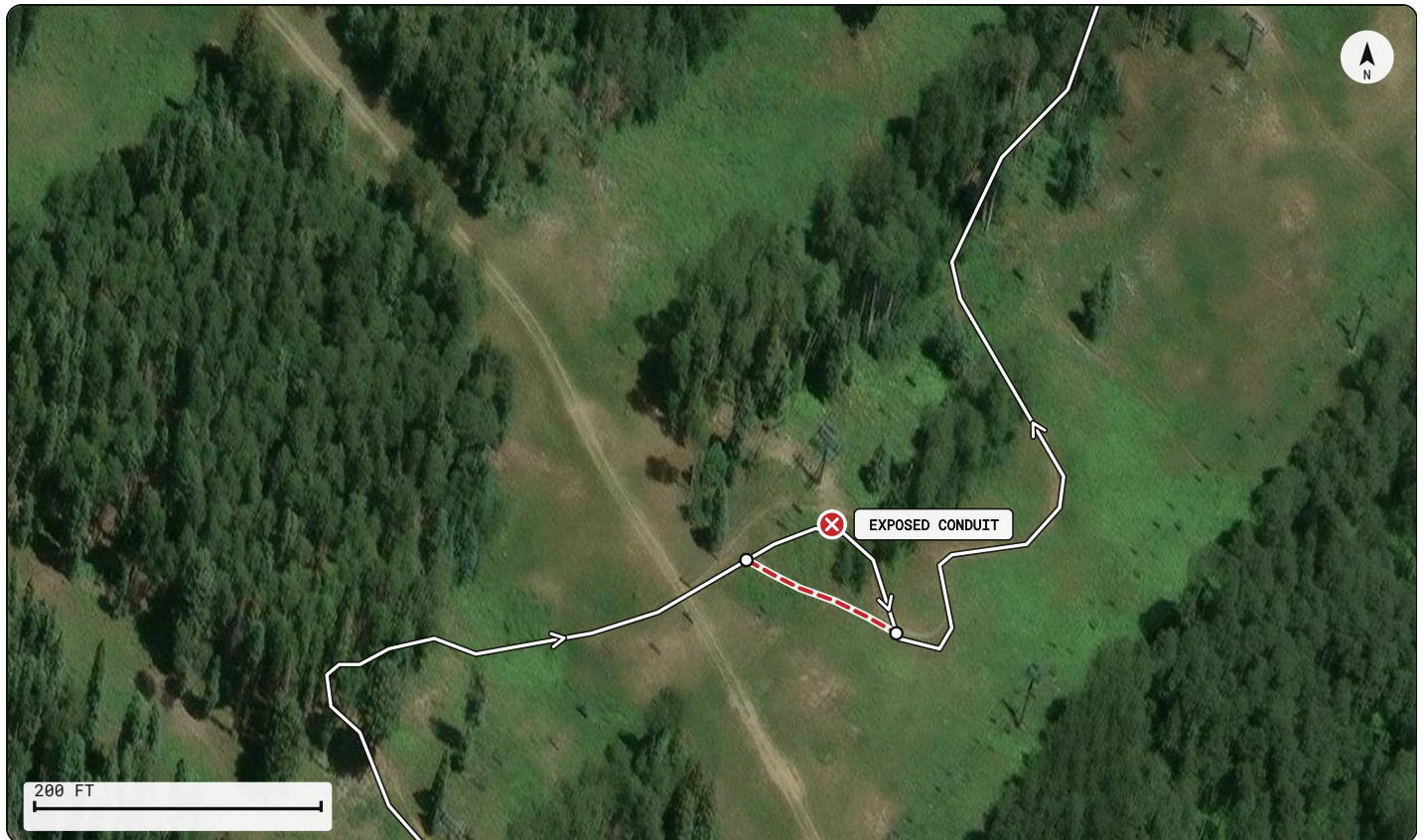
DEVIATION APPROX. 115 FT • MAX APPROX. 40 FT OFF THE EXISTING LINE •

SURFACE: OPEN SKI RUN

An exposed conduit runs diagonally across the track directly under the lift, near where the Mini X tractor is currently parked. The race line moves slightly up the hillside to navigate around it safely, then returns to the established trail. The conduit's approximate location is marked on the map.

===== EXISTING RACE LINE - - - - - PROPOSED TEMPORARY REROUTE

● EXPOSED CONDUIT, APPROXIMATE



TEMPORARY BY DESIGN

- Both deviations are located on the open ski run and are strictly temporary for the August 27 to 30 race weekend.
- The Durango Mesa Trail Crew has volunteered to rehabilitate any ground disturbance once the race concludes.
- We are glad to connect Hogan Koesis of the Durango Mesa Trail Crew with Purgatory or the Forest Service to coordinate restoration.

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