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**South Sierra Wilderness Additions (West)
Potential Recommended Wilderness Area**

Draft Environmental Impact Statement for Revision of the Inyo, Sequoia and Sierra National Forests Land and Resource Management Plans

Approximately 4,240 Acres
Township 20-22 South, Range 35-36 East
Mount Diablo Meridian, Tulare County, CA

USDA Forest Service -Pacific Southwest Region
Sequoia National Forest

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South Sierra Wilderness Additions (Monache and Blackrock)
Potential Recommended Wilderness
Sequoia National Forest

Location and a description of a recommended boundary for each area:

This potential recommended wilderness being considered for further analysis as additions to the existing South Sierra Wilderness consists of four areas that are contiguous with the western, southern and southeastern boundary of the existing South Sierra Wilderness, and primarily consists of areas that are in Inventoried Roadless Areas. The potential additions include:

- An area to the northwest of the existing South Sierra Wilderness that is bordered by the wilderness on its east side and from the wilderness boundary at the north end follows ridgelines south, beginning at Beck Meadows traveling the 8,000 foot contour, including Broder Meadow to Jackass Peak, where the boundary meets the existing wilderness boundary again on the south end near Jackass Peak.
- An area beginning at the existing South Sierra Wilderness boundary just south of Jackass Peak, bordered on the east by the existing wilderness. The north end of the western boundary follows from the existing wilderness south along a 75-foot setback from the Jackass National Recreational Trail to a 100 ft. setback from road 21S29 to a 200 ft. setback from the Sherman Pass Road (road 22S05). The southern end of the area cuts back east to the existing wilderness boundary from the Sherman Pass Road in the area on the 9,000 ridgelines extending from the existing boundary to the borrow pit and corrals at Sherman Pass Road across from Rodeo Flats.
- An area adjacent to the southern boundary of the South Sierra Wilderness. The boundary of the potential addition begins just south of Rodeo Flat and follows a 200 ft. setback from Sherman Pass Road, south and then east to the Kern Wild and Scenic River.
- An area east of the existing South Sierra Wilderness. The boundary on the western side is the existing South Sierra Wilderness boundary. The boundary on the eastern side of the potential recommended area follows a 100 foot setback from the road to the Kennedy Meadows Campground and includes a 500-foot setback around the Kennedy Meadow Campground. From there, it continues north to the existing wilderness boundary.