

ROCK CREEK CANYON CAMPING

Inyo National Forest



ROADS AND PARKING The road up to the trailhead parking is a maintained two-lane asphalt road. You must park in designated areas.

PERMITS AND CAMPSITES

FAMILY CAMPGROUNDS There are 12 fee facilities in this canyon. To camp, select a vacant site, return to the self-service station at the entrance to the campground and obtain a permit. Return to your site and attach the permit to the numbered post in front of your site. Many of the family campsites are available on a first-come, first-served basis. There are three campgrounds in the canyon in which you may reserve a site: East Fork, French Camp and Tuff. To make a reservation, call 1-877-444-6777 or log onto www.recreation.gov.

Your permit expires at 1:00 pm. To retain the site for additional nights, renew your permit by 1:00 pm.

GROUP SITES There are two group sites available in this canyon by reservation only: Aspen Group and Rock Creek Lake Group. To reach the reservation system, call 1-877-444-6777 or log onto www.recreation.gov.

PROTECT THE ENVIRONMENT

BEARS Black bears are present in Rock Creek Canyon. Bears consider anything with an odor to be food. All food or trash should be stored or disposed of properly.

CAMPING In this area, camping is limited to established sites in developed campgrounds only. Be sure your site is in one of these marked campgrounds.

CAMPFIRES Build campfires only in designated steel fireplaces provided by the Forest Service.

Rock fire rings are not permitted. Dead and down wood may be gathered from the ground, but use of wood from standing dead or live trees and shrubs is prohibited.

TRASH DISPOSAL Trash bins are located close to campground entrances. Please do your part to keep the campgrounds clean.

CLEANING FISH Clean fish well away from water sources, including water hydrants and restrooms. Wrap and deposit entrails in trash bins.

NOISE Sound from radio, TV and musical instruments must be confined to your campsite. Public address systems and portable speakers may not be used. Please do not run generators more than necessary. Quiet time is from 10 pm to 6 am.

RESTROOMS Please do not use restrooms for trash disposal, diapers, garbage, sanitary napkins, etc. Take such refuse to the nearest trash bin. Please help keep restrooms clean for other users.

PETS Pets must be on a 6-foot leash and under physical control at all times or be caged. While hiking on National Forest trails, pets must be on leash or under voice command at all times.

WATER Remember, hydrants are a water source only. Use a bucket or pan to obtain water for dishwashing or personal hygiene.

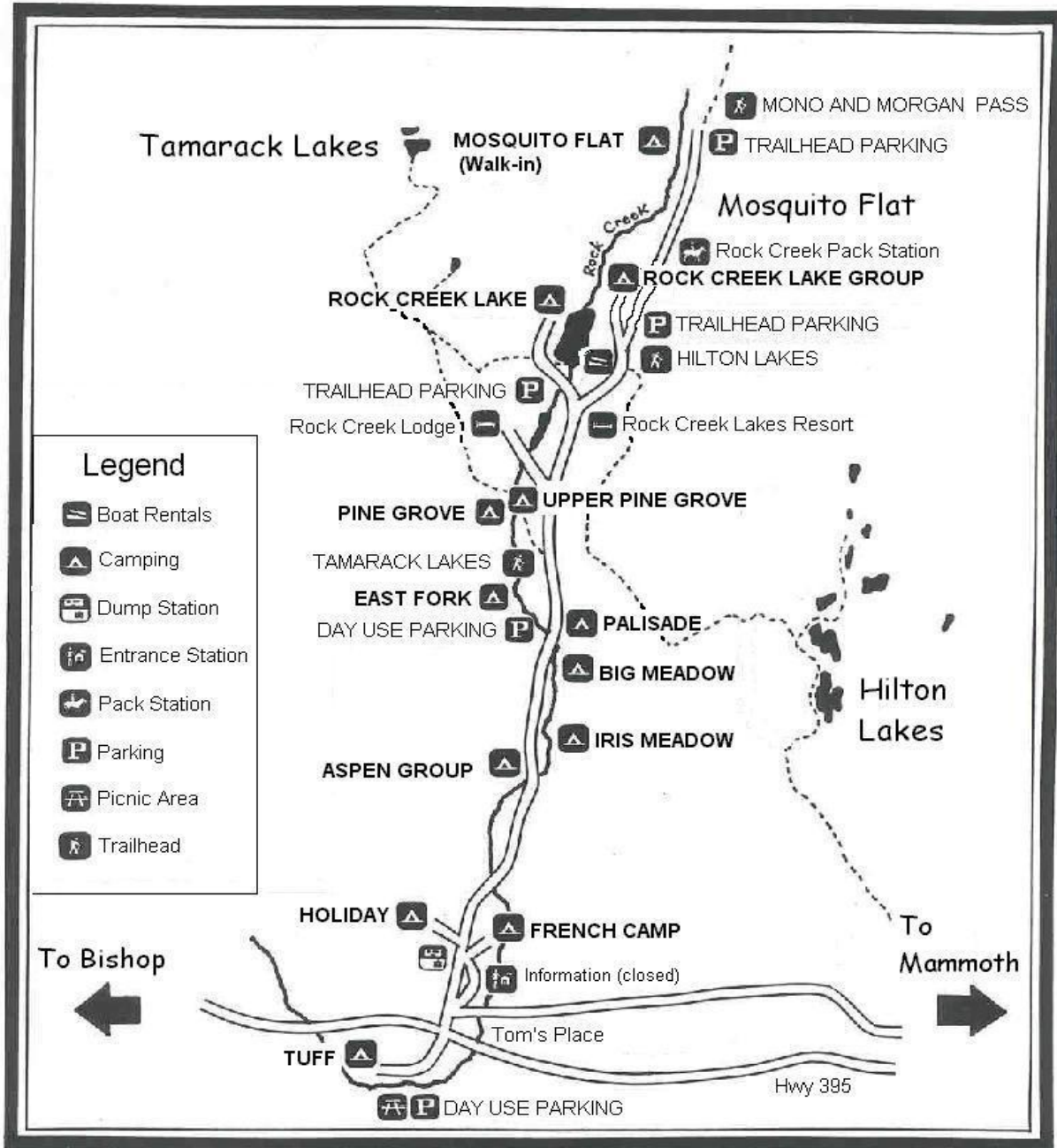
VANDALISM Please report all observed acts of vandalism IMMEDIATELY to the nearest Forest Service officer or campground host with as much information as possible.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY DIAL 911



White Mtn
Ranger Station

SERVICES AVAILABLE IN ROCK CREEK CANYON: Public telephone, restaurant, groceries, beer & wine, ice, firewood, fishing supplies, lodging, propane, boat rentals and backpaker/camper showers.



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