San Bernardino National Forest
Pacific Southwest Region
Recreational Fee Program
2007 Accomplishment Report

San Bernardino National Forest FY 2007
Recreation Fee Program Expenditures

- Law Enforcement: $84,201
- Repair, Maintenance, & Facility Enhancement: $322,771
- Visitor Services: $228,527
- Cost of Collection: $472,569
- Habitat Restoration: $77,184

The cost of collection for the Angeles, Cleveland, Los Padres and San Bernardino NF centralized Adventure Pass sales are reported on the San Bernardino NF.

Your Fees at Work in 2007

**Repair, Maintenance & Facility Enhancement**

- Created four new accessible parking spaces at Lake Hemet Picnic Area and one additional space at Lake Fulmor Picnic Area.
- Rebuilt Lake Hemet Picnic Area Entry sign and the Pinyon Flat Campground entry sign.
- Replaced bathroom doors at Pinyon Flat Campground (one) and Fuller Mill Creek Picnic Area (two).
- Added five BBQ grills / picnic sites at Lake Hemet Picnic area.
- Repaired water systems for Marion Mountain Campgrounds.
- Completed 68 hours of trail crew work which included: completed 485 feet of tread work; replaced 13 water bars; cleaned 124 water bars; constructed 15 swales; and removed 15 down trees and one large rock on the San Jacinto Ranger District.
- Removed 14 truck loads of dumped furniture and appliances on the Front Country Ranger District.
- Repaired 19 signs and erected two miles of fencing for habitat protection and to block illegal roads on the Front Country Ranger District.
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- Painted 2 restrooms at Lost Lake and Middle Fork Trailheads.
- Removed 110 down trees on the Mountaintop Ranger District.
- Completed brush and tread work on 150 miles of Mountaintop Ranger District trail. Repaired causeway and bridges on the PCT, Bluff Mesa, and Lodgepole trails and installed 46 signs along trails.
- Removed graffiti from Alpine Pedal Path, Splinter’s Cabin, Pineknot Trail, Lodgepole trail, and numerous signs.
- Visitor Services
- Provided visitor information at the Big Bear Discovery Center and other visitor information centers.
- Created and installed “after-hours” information panels at the Lytle Creek Ranger Station.

**Habitat Restoration**

- Signed fire disturbed areas that were closed in order to aid recovery near Big Bear.
- Removed man-made dams in Lytle Creek, Mill Creek and Deep Creek.
- Coordinated volunteer groups to replant vegetation at various recreation sites and closed roads.

**Law Enforcement**

- Provided law enforcement patrols to ensure visitor and resource protection.

**Cost of Collection**

- Funded salaries for employees who conducted fee collections and compliance.

**Recreation Fee Revenue Sources**

**Permits & Passes**

- Adventure Pass and Federal Interagency Passes
- Recreation Event & Outfitter & Guide Permits

**Sites/Areas**

- Expanded Amenity Fees at 16 campgrounds
- Standard Amenity Fees at eight High Impact Recreation Areas and five developed sites (picnic areas, trailheads, and a fire lookout/interpretive site)

**For More Information...**

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