

Beaver Creek Trail (#942) Brackenbury Trail (#935) formerly #1010



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Wilderness: Comanche Peak

One-way Length: Trail #942 7.4 miles
Trail #935 2.6 miles

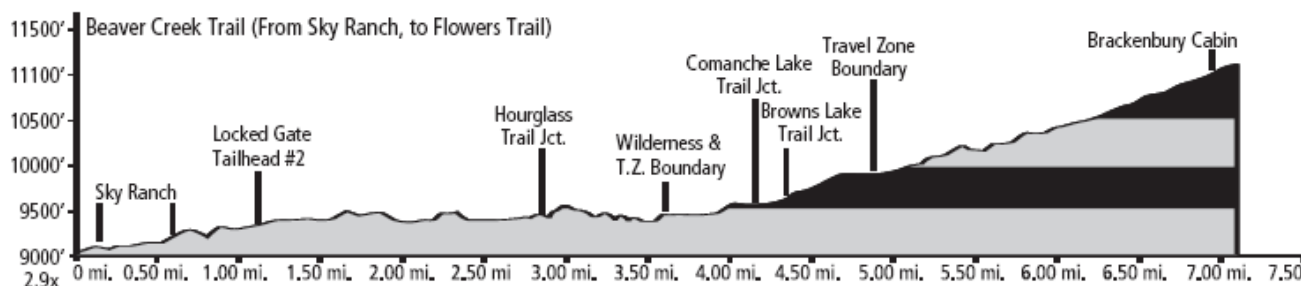
Beginning Elevation: Trail #942 9,400 feet
Trail #935 10,940 feet

Peak Elevation: Trail #942 11,120 feet
Trail #935 11,690 feet

Difficulty Rating: Trail #942 moderate
Trail #935 strenuous

Use: Trail #942 moderate; Trail #935 light

Quadrangle Maps: Pingree Park and
Comanche Peak



Access: Travel 11 miles northwest of Fort Collins on U.S. Highway 287 to Colorado Highway 14. Turn left on CO 14, travel 26 miles, and turn left on County Road 63E, Pingree Park Road. Travel 16 miles to Forest Road 145. Turn right, pass Tom Bennett Campground, and travel approximately one mile to Beaver Creek trailhead just before entering Sky Ranch.

Trail Information: Beaver Creek Trail skirts north of Sky Ranch then rejoins the road west of the ranch before re-entering the forest. After traveling north of Hourglass Lake and following Beaver Creek, the trail borders the north side of Comanche Reservoir before entering a travel zone within the Comanche Peak Wilderness. The trail passes trailheads for Hourglass Trail (#984) at the Comanche Reservoir dam, Comanche Lake Trail (#990) and the south end of Browns Lake Trail (#941) within the travel zone, and Brackenbury Trail (#935) just before terminating at an intersection with the Flowers Trail (#939). The Hourglass and Brackenbury Trails are connectors to Mirror Lake Trail (#943) and access to Rocky Mountain National Park.

Trail Regulations

- Dogs must be on a hand held leash

General Wilderness Regulations

- No motorized or mechanized equipment
- Camps, campfires, and stock, where allowed, at least 200 feet from water and trails
- Group size limited to 12 people or stock animals combined
- Certified weed-free hay is required for stock

Wilderness Travel Zone Regulations

- Camping allowed only in designated sites
- No campfires—stoves only
- Overnight stock use prohibited