



# Big Silver Group Campground

## Eldorado National Forest Pacific Ranger District

### Location

23 miles east of Placerville on Highway 50 and 16 miles north on Ice House Road (Forest Road 3) on the east side of Union Valley Reservoir.

### Reservation Information

- ◆ Call 1-877-444-6777 four days to 12 months in advance of your stay.
- ◆ WEBSITE: [www.Recreation.gov](http://www.Recreation.gov)
- ◆ Visa, MasterCard, American Express, and Discover accepted.

### Activities/Facilities Within 5 Miles

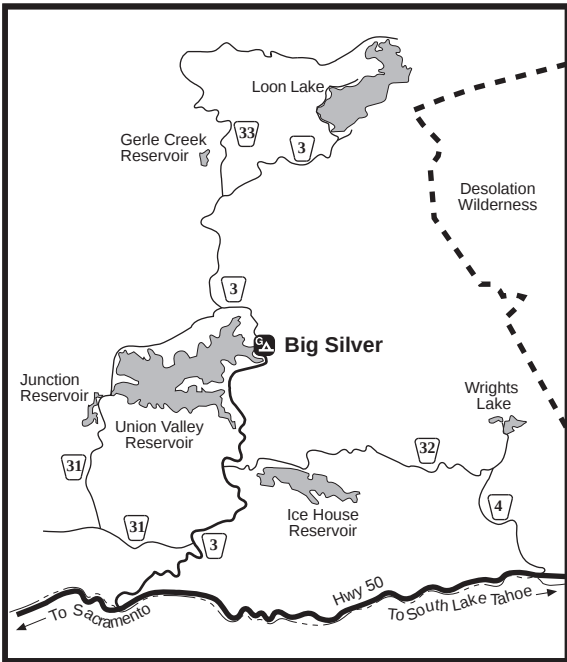
- ⇒ Swimming, Fishing, Waterskiing
- ⇒ Picnic area at Fashoda Tent Campground
- ⇒ Boat Ramp at Sunset and Yellowjacket Campgrounds
- ⇒ Bassi Falls Hiking Trail
- ⇒ Union Valley Bike Trail - paved (no motor vehicles or motorized bicycles allowed)

### Things You Should Know

- ◆ **CAUTION:** There are bears in the area. Please keep all foods, soaps, and garbage properly stored.
- ◆ Keep your vehicles on the pavement.
- ◆ Check on fire restrictions before trip as campfires may not be allowed.
- ◆ Keep the gate closed or visitors will wander in. Gate combination will be issued when reservations are finalized.
- ◆ Please keep family pets on a leash at all times.
- ◆ Please use the grill or fire ring provided and make sure your fire is dead out before leaving. Use only water, not soil. Use only dead and down wood for your campfires.

### Information

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|---------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| General Season<br>(depending on snowfall)               | Memorial Weekend to mid-October |
| Elevation                                               | 4,900 feet                      |
| Operated By                                             | USFS                            |
| Fee                                                     | No                              |
| Reservations                                            | No                              |
| Interagency Passes                                      | Not Applicable                  |
| Checkout Time                                           | 1:00 PM                         |
| Maximum Stay Limit<br>(developed campground)            | 14 days per district/yr         |
| Pets Allowed                                            | On a Leash                      |
| Number Of Units                                         | 1 group (50 people max)         |
| Tent Units #<br>(Spur Length 30'-35')                   | 3 sites                         |
| Tent, Trailer, or R.V. Units #<br>(Spur Length 35'-50') | 4 sites                         |
| Walk-In Tent Sites #                                    | 3 sites                         |
| Accessible Campsites                                    | See Map                         |
| Picnic Sites                                            | Fashoda CG                      |
| Group Sites                                             | Yes                             |
| Piped Water                                             | No, bring water                 |
| Toilet Type                                             | Vault                           |
| Accessible Toilets                                      | Yes                             |
| Showers                                                 | Fashoda CG                      |
| Tables                                                  | Yes                             |
| Grills                                                  | Yes, group size                 |
| Fire Rings                                              | Yes                             |
| Bear Boxes                                              | No                              |
| Hook-Ups                                                | No                              |
| Dump Station Nearby                                     | Sunset CG                       |



**Location Map**

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