

PAHRUMP VALLEY WILDERNESS
72,543 Acres
Designated October 31, 1994 by the California Desert Protection Act,
Public Law 103-433

This is the final legal description as required in Section 103(b) of the above mentioned Act. It describes the boundary for the Pahrump Valley Wilderness Area located in San Bernardino and Inyo Counties, California and managed by the Bureau of Land Management. The boundary is more particularly described as follows:

From the section corner of sections 5, 6, 7, and 8 T. 21 N., R. 11 E., S.B.M., thence southeast, to the intersection of a line parallel with and 100 feet easterly of centerline of a jeep trail and a line parallel with and 100 feet southerly of centerline of a jeep trail, said intersection being the point of beginning;

thence easterly, parallel with and 100 feet southerly of centerline of said jeep trail, to point 1, the intersection of the California/Nevada State boundary;

thence southeasterly, along the California/Nevada State boundary, to point 2, the closing section corner for sections 20 and 21. T. 20 N., R. 12 E.;

thence southerly, between sections 20 and 21, 28 and 29, to point 3, the 1/4 section corner of sections 28 and 29;

thence westerly, on the east-west centerline of section 29, to point 4, the 1/4 section corner of sections 29 and 30;

thence southerly, between sections 29 and 30, 31 and 32, to point 5, the intersection of a line parallel with and 30 feet southerly of centerline of a jeep trail, said intersection located near the section corner of sections 29, 30, 31 and 32;

thence southeasterly, parallel with and 30 feet southwesterly of centerline of said jeep trail, to point 6, the intersection of the section line between sections 32 and 33;

thence southerly, between sections 32 and 33 to point 7, the corner of sections 32,33,4 and 5 on the township line between T's. 19 and 20 N., R. 12 E.;

thence southerly between sections 4 and 5, 8 and 9, T. 19 N., R. 12 E., to point 8, the intersection of a line parallel with and 30 feet northerly of centerline of a jeep trail;

thence westerly, parallel with and 30 feet northerly of centerline of said jeep trail, to point 9, the intersection of the southwesterly edge of a wash, said intersection having NAD 1927 coordinates

35° 47' 25" N. latitude, 115° 49' 17" W. longitude, as scaled from the USGS 7.5 minute quadrangle "Blackwater Mine, Calif.," 1985 (provisional);

thence northwesterly, along the southwesterly edge of said wash, to point 10, the intersection of a wash, said intersection having NAD 1927 coordinates 35° 47' 35.5" N. latitude, 115° 49' 34" W. longitude as determined by GPS measurements, said intersection also being near the Inyo and San Bernardino County Line;

thence southwesterly, to point 11, a peak having NAD 1927 coordinates 35° 47' 32" N. latitude, 115° 50' 06" W. longitude, as scaled from the USGS 7.5 minute quadrangle "Blackwater Mine, Calif.," 1985 (provisional);

thence southwesterly to point 12, the intersection of a line parallel with and 30 feet northerly of centerline of a jeep trail with a line parallel with and 30 feet southeasterly of centerline of a jeep trail, said intersection having NAD 1927 coordinates 35° 47' 26" N. latitude, 115° 50' 34" W. longitude, as scaled from the USGS 7.5 minute quadrangle "Blackwater Mine, Calif.," 1985 (provisional);

thence West, to point 13, the intersection of a line parallel with and 30 feet northwesterly of centerline of said jeep trail;

thence southwesterly, parallel with and 30 feet northwesterly of centerline of said jeep trail, to point 14, the intersection of the section line between sections 25 and 36, T. 20 N., R. 10 E.;

thence westerly, between sections 25 and 36, to point 15, the 1/4 corner of sections 25 and 36;

thence southwesterly, to point 16, the 1/4 corner of sections 35 and 36;

thence northwesterly, to point 17, a peak having NAD 1927 coordinates 35° 47' 15" N. latitude, 115° 52' 07" W. longitude as scaled from the USGS quadrangle "Blackwater Mine, Calif.," 1985 (provisional);

thence westerly, to point 18, a peak having NAD 1927 coordinates 35° 47' 16" N. latitude, 115° 52' 42" W. longitude as scaled from the USGS quadrangle "Horse Thief Springs, Calif.," 1984 (provisional), and having a spot elevation of 1455 meters as shown on said quadrangle;

thence southwesterly, to point 19, a peak having NAD 1927 coordinates 35° 46' 55" N. latitude, 115° 52' 51" W. longitude as scaled from the USGS quadrangle "Horse Thief Springs, Calif.," 1984 (provisional), and having a spot elevation of 1517 meters as shown on said quadrangle;

thence southerly, to point 20, a peak having NAD 1927 coordinates 35° 46' 39" N. latitude, 115° 52' 50" W. longitude as scaled from the USGS quadrangle "Horse Thief Springs, Calif.," 1984 (provisional), and having a spot elevation of 1512 meters as shown on said quadrangle;

thence West to point 21, the intersection of a line parallel with and 30 feet easterly of the centerline of a jeep trail;

thence northerly, parallel with and 30 feet easterly of centerline of said jeep trail, to point 22, the intersection of a line parallel with and 30 feet southeasterly of centerline of a jeep trail;

thence easterly, to point 23, said point being S 45° E., 30 feet distance from the center of a steel water tank;

thence northwesterly, to point 24, said point being on a line parallel with and 30 feet northerly of the prolonged centerline of a jeep trail, said point being northeasterly of the intersection of said jeep trail and a jeep trail, said intersection having NAD 1927 coordinates 35° 47' 56" N. latitude, 115° 53' 28" W. longitude as scaled from the USGS 7.5 minute quadrangle "Horse Thief Springs, Calif.," 1984 (provisional);

thence northwesterly changing to southwesterly, parallel with and 30 feet northeasterly changing to northwesterly of centerline of said jeep trail, to point 25, the intersection of a line parallel with and 30 feet easterly of centerline of a jeep trail;

thence northwesterly, changing to westerly, parallel with and 30 feet easterly, changing to northerly of said jeep trail, to point 26, the intersection of the section line between sections 9 and 10, T. 20 N., R. 9 E.;

thence northerly, between sections 9 and 10, 3 and 4, to point 27, the intersection of the township line between Ts. 20 & 20 ½ N., R. 9 E.;

thence North, to point 28, the intersection of a line parallel with and 30 feet southeasterly of centerline of a jeep trail, said intersection located in the SW 1/4 of section 34, T. 21 N., R. 9 E.;

thence northeasterly, parallel with and 30 feet southeasterly of centerline of said jeep trail, to point 29, the intersection of a line parallel with and 100 feet southerly of centerline of an easterly bearing jeep trail, said intersection being near the section corner of sections 5, 6, 7 and 8, T. 21 N., R. 10 E.;

thence easterly, parallel with and 100 feet southerly of centerline of said jeep trail, to point 30, the intersection of a line parallel with and 30 feet southwesterly of centerline of a jeep trail;

thence southeasterly, parallel with and 30 feet southerly of centerline of said jeep trail, to point 31, the intersection of the section line between sections 9 and 16, T. 21 N., R. 10 E.;

thence easterly, between sections 9 and 16, T. 21 N., R. 10 E., to point 32, the section corner of sections 9, 10, 15, and 16;

thence southerly, between sections 15 and 16, to point 33, the intersection of a line parallel with and 100 feet southerly of centerline of a jeep trail, said intersection located near said section corner;

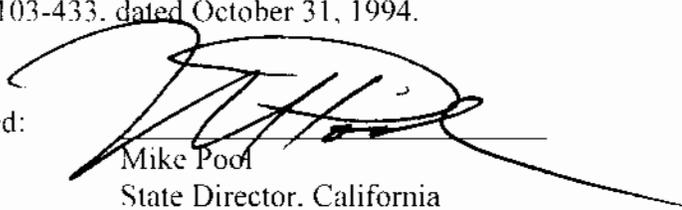
thence easterly, changing to northerly, parallel with and 100 feet southerly, changing to easterly of centerline of said jeep trail, to the point of beginning.

End of Description

The above description containing approximately 72,543 acres utilizes the Blackwater Mine, Calvada Springs, Green Monster Mine, Horse Thief Springs, North of Tecopa Pass, Stump Spring, Tecopa Pass and West of Shenandoah Peak 7.5 minute quadrangle maps prepared by the USGS. The boundary calls listed herein are in part a result of scaling distances from said quad maps and are not a result of survey. All courses have been depicted upon the above mentioned quad maps and are made a part of this official record. Acreage is calculated from the California State Office ArcInfo wilderness coverage.

I hereby certify the legal description and map herewith represent the location of the boundary of the Pahrump Valley Wilderness area designated by the California Desert Protection Act, Public Law 103-433, dated October 31, 1994.

Signed:


Mike Pool
State Director, California

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Date