

Fire Photo Monitoring

Instructions for Citizen Scientists

National Park Service
U.S. Department of the Interior



Santa Monica Mountains
National Recreation Area

Help Us Track Fire Recovery

Instructions

STEP ONE

Place your camera or camera phone on the L-shaped bracket and take a photo of the view. (no zoom or filters please)

STEP TWO

Post your photos using the hashtag #springsfire01 to Twitter or Flickr or email the photo to springsfire@nps.gov

Photos will be used to create a time-lapse of the recovery. See your photos come to life on our Springs Fire Recovery Map.

Learn more at:
<http://go.usa.gov/N5Mh>

Post-fire landscapes in southern California are probably one of the most dramatic examples of vegetation recovery from apparent fire destruction, and photo series are one of the most effective educational tools to show this kind of change over time. New technology allows park visitors to become citizen scientists and actively participate in the collection of data to document this kind of change and to see the results in the future.

Ten camera stands at Rancho Sierra Vista and Point Mugu State Park have been strategically placed throughout the Springs Fire burn area. Help us monitor recovery by taking photographs of the view from the camera stands and posting them to your social media account with the hashtag found on the camera stand. Use the map on the back to help discover the camera stands.



Across from Satwiwa Native American Culture Center on gravel service road leading to main parking lot. View of hill.



On Lower Satwiwa Loop trail approximately 40 yd (46 m) south of intersection of Satwiwa Loop trail. View is southeasterly.



Approximately .18 mi (.29 km) up Hidden Valley Overlook trail from Old Boney Trail intersection. View is northerly.



Approximately .42 mi (.68 km) from camera stand #springsfire03 on Hidden Valley Overlook trail. View is northerly.



Approximately .27 mi (.44 km) from camera stand #springsfire04 on Hidden Valley Overlook trail. View is northerly.



On Boney Mtn. Trail approximately 1.3 mi (2.1 km) from paved Big Sycamore Cyn Rd. View westerly.



On Boney Mtn Trail approximately .48mi (.77 km) from camera station #springsfire06. View northeasterly.



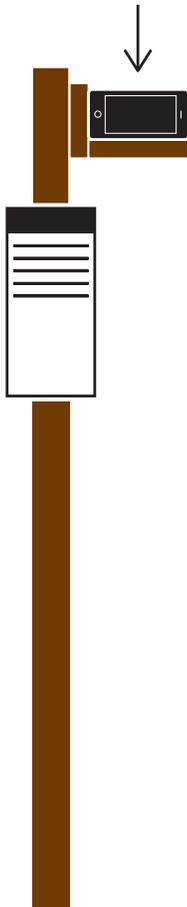
Overlooking canyon at intersection of Big Sycamore Canyon Road and Boney Mtn. Trail near bench and kiosk. View is westerly.



On Big Sycamore Cyn paved road, approximately .44 mi (.70 km) from camera stand #springsfire08. View is northeasterly.

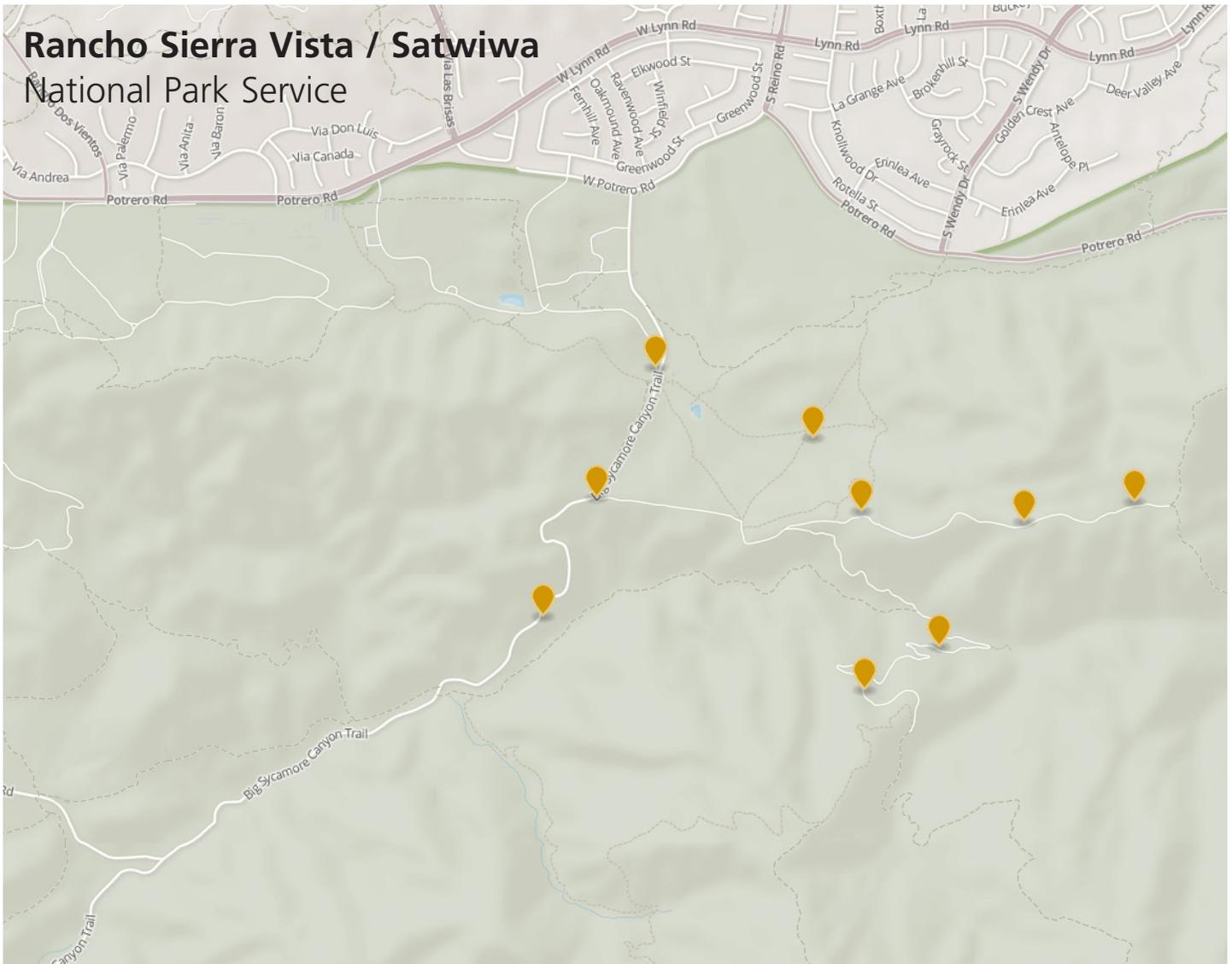


On Overlook Fire Rd. approximately .14 mi (.23 km) from intersection with Sycamore Canyon Fire Rd. View is southeasterly.



Rancho Sierra Vista / Satwiwa

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Point Mugu State Park

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