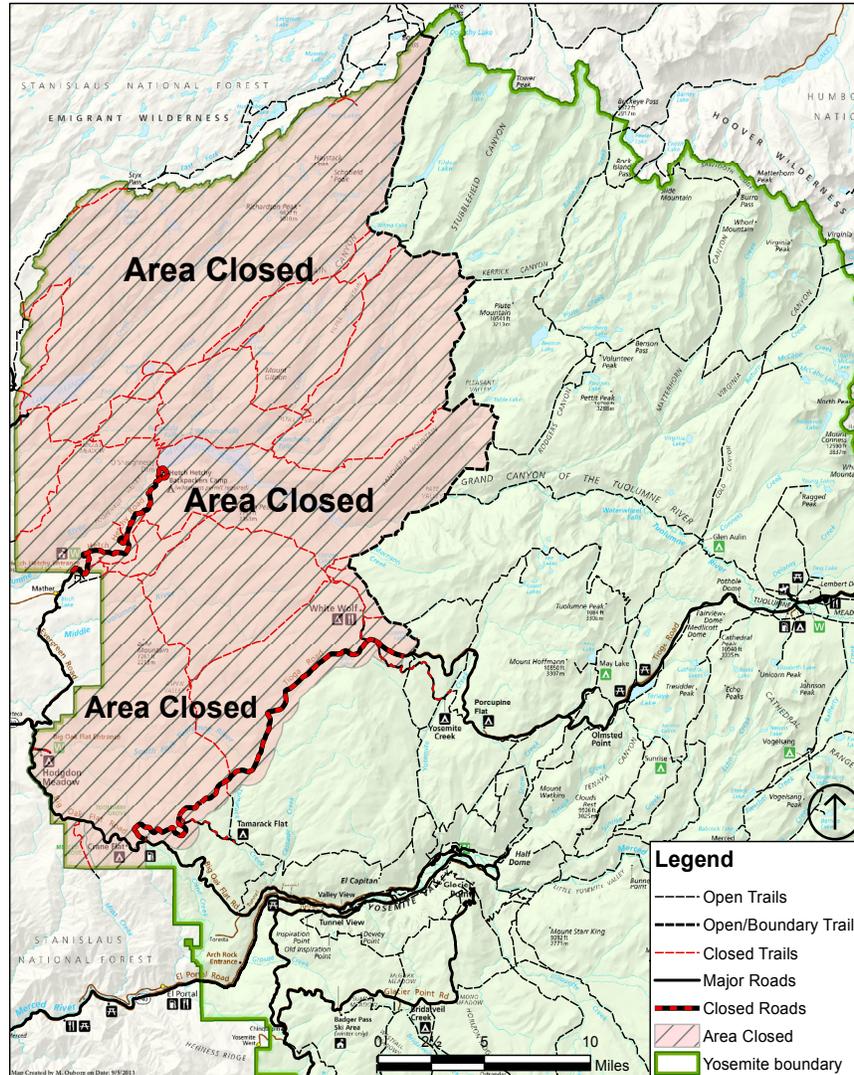




Safety Closure - Fire

While the Rim Fire has slowed greatly, portions of the fire's edge remain active within the Park's boundary. In order to ensure your safety the park has closed entry into the northwest section of Yosemite Wilderness. This closure is in effect until further notice. Please refer to the map below.



Area Affected

By order of the Superintendent of Yosemite National Park and under authority of Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.5(a) and Section (a)(1):

The Tioga Rd is closed from Crane Flat to 1 ½ miles east of White Wolf. The Crane Flat gas station remains open as does the Lukens Lake Trailhead.

The Merced Grove and Tuolumne Grove of Giant Sequoias are closed.

Hogdon Meadow, Crane Flat, Tamarack Flat and Yosemite Creek campgrounds and roads are closed.

White Wolf Lodge, campground and road are closed.

The area west of the Lukens Lake trail north along the Harden Lake bypass trail to Pate Valley, and north from Pate Valley to the junction with the Pacific Crest Trail (PCT) then continuing north along the PCT to Bond Pass is closed. The park's boundary serves as the closure's northern and western edge south to Crane Flat. The closure continues east ½ mile south along the Tioga Road to the gate 1 ½ miles east of White Wolf.

The Big Oak Flat Road is open; however, the area on either side of the road greater than 50 feet from the road's center line is closed from the park's boundary to the Crane Flat junction.

The trails serving as the eastern boundary of the closed area remain open. The Big Oak Flat Information Station is open.