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Friends:

You are holding in your hand a report prepared by citizens of Mammoth Lakes who are convinced that the time has come to invite and welcome our surrounding public lands—our park—into our town. For the health and well-being of our economy and the integrity of our mountain culture, the time to act is now.

This report contains three sections:

TRAIL AND PUBLIC ACCESS INVENTORY: Citizens and volunteers have generated a preliminary inventory of 100 trails, roads, and points of public access in and around Mammoth Lakes. These sites represent a preliminary assessment of the human powered mobility assets that must lie at the heart of any mobility plan, especially one for a mountain community dependent on outdoor recreation. This inventory is neither wholly accurate nor definitive; it is a first step—a first step in the right direction.

PEER RESOURCES: Research data gathered from personal site visits and lengthy telephone contact with effective and established organizations critical to trail systems in Western mountain towns. What trail and public-access amenities are they offering their residents and guests? What does their signage look like, their wayfinding tools, their graphics? What can we learn from their experience, their mistakes; what is the competition up to?

RESEARCH MATERIALS DVD: Websites, trail maps, town mobility plans, photographs, government documents, documentary materials—the results of our research over the last months.

We live in this area as a community dependent upon our natural resources inspiring visitors who wish to share in the rejuvenating and restorative power of the environment we call home. It is time to create entities and practices to promote and defend the activities and environment that lies at the heart of our culture and economic well-being.

Best,

Mammoth Lakes Trails and Public Access

OBJECTIVES

To identify and inventory all trails and points of public access within the Urban Limit and Town Boundary of Mammoth Lakes.

To identify and inventory all trails and points of public access between the Urban Limit, Town Boundary of Mammoth Lakes, and surrounding public lands.

To fully integrate all trails and points of public access within the Urban Limit, Town Boundary of Mammoth Lakes, and the trails and points of public access of the surrounding public lands.

To advocate and promote a system of signs, maps, and wayfinding to describe and depict all trails and points of public access within the Urban Limit, Town Boundary of Mammoth Lakes, and the surrounding public lands.

To ultimately ensure that the experience of the boundary between the Urban Limit, Town of Mammoth Lakes, and the surrounding public lands be one of topography and terrain—that all points of ingress and egress be transparent, permeable, and without jurisdictional consequence to resident and visitor alike.

TRAIL AND PUBLIC ACCESS INVENTORY

100 trailheads, singletracks, byways, paved trails, roads, points of public access, and private property have been documented by volunteers, all citizens of Mammoth Lakes. This has been an amateur effort in the best sense; we are neither professional nor experienced, and none of the information that follows is legally accurate or reliable.

Before the conception of any mobility plan gets started, it is critical that decision-makers have at their disposal exhaustive, comprehensive, and legally verified inventories of assets. There are many and diverse modes of transportation here in Mammoth Lakes, and we trust that a future mobility plan will integrate them all in intelligent and creative ways. But we believe that those assets which promote pedestrian and human-powered mobility must lie at the foundation and soul of any future mobility plan. The articulation and implementation of these human-powered assets will be critical to our economic future and telling to our seriousness as a mountain town infatuated with—and dependent upon—outdoor recreation.

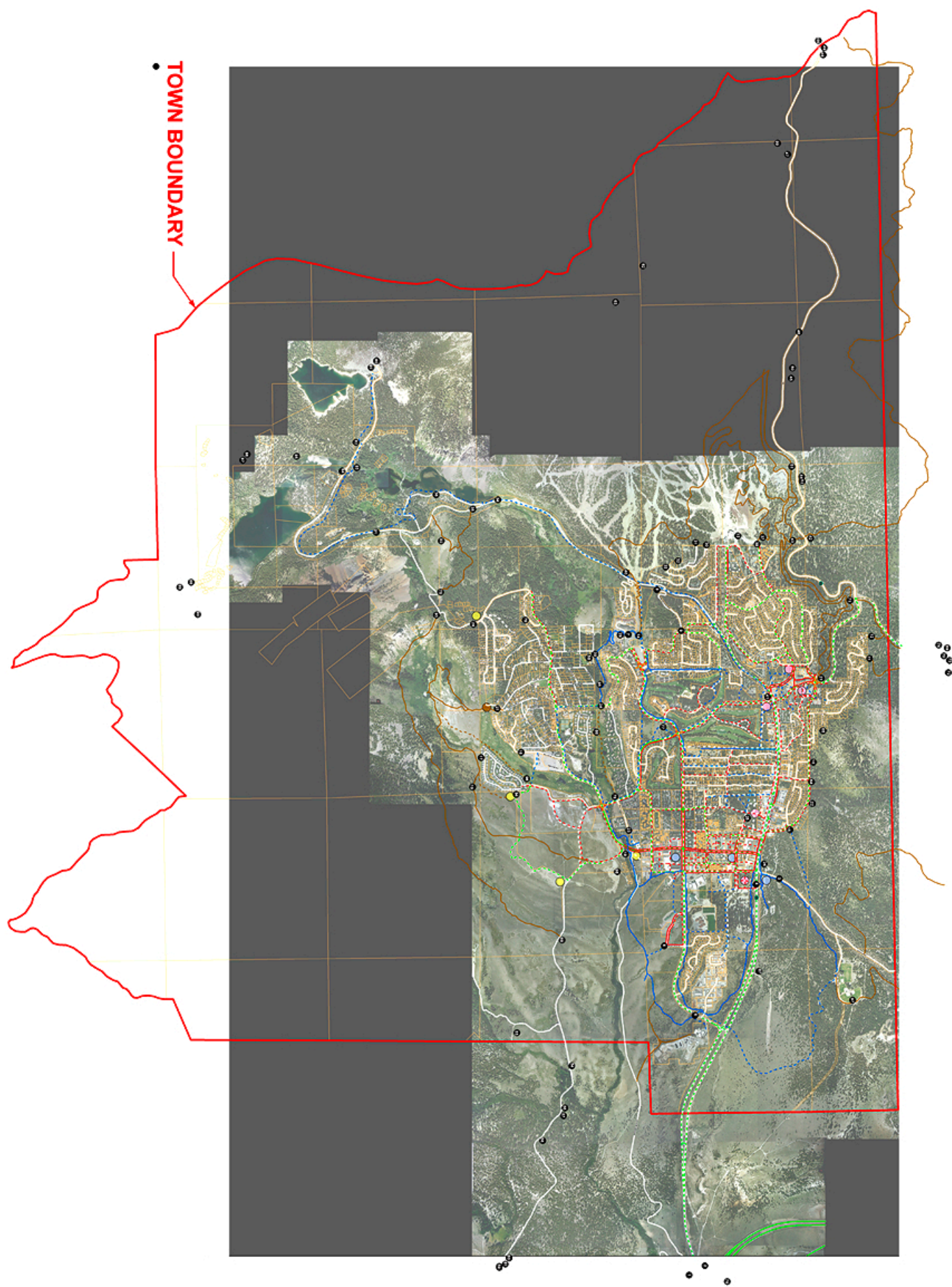
We care deeply about the economic future and identity of our town.

An exhaustive, comprehensive, and legally verified inventory of human-powered mobility assets must be initiated, completed, and incorporated into the essence of any future mobility plan.

For a detailed, high-resolution version of the map, which correlates with the following sheets, please access the file “Inventory Map v.3” on the supplemental DVD.

NB: Not included in our inventory are four critical arteries which roughly parallel existing paved infrastructure and must be incorporated:

- One continuous trail from the intersection of Main Street and Old Mammoth Road to George and Horseshoe lakes
- One continuous trail from Main Street and Old Mammoth Road, up Lake Mary Road to George and Horseshoe lakes
- One continuous trail from the Volcom Brothers Skatepark, up Meridian, to Juniper Springs Lodge
- One continuous trail from Minaret and Old Mammoth Road to the bottom of Reds Meadow



SITE #1: 203/395 Jct., So. Side of 203



Portal Name	Forest Service Designation 3S09
Portal Location	Junction of Hwys. 203 & 395, South Side of Hwy. 203
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Many dirt roads/trails along Mammoth Creek
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #2: 203/395 Jct., No. Side of 203



Portal Name	Forest Service Designation 3S25
Portal Location	Junction of Hwys. 203 & 395, North Side of Hwy. 203
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Dirt roads/trails to Shady Rest and Knolls backcountry
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #3: Old Shady Rest Campground



Portal Name	Old Shady Rest Campground
Portal Location	Shady Rest Rd., .5 -mi. from Hwy. 203 on Sawmill Cutoff Rd.
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Knolls backcountry, Shady Rest Park
Winter Access	Knolls backcountry, Shady Rest Park

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	Y	Bathroom	

SITE #4: MLTS: Tunnel Under 203



Portal Name	Mammoth Lakes Trails System: Tunnel Under Hwy. 203
Portal Location	Near parking lot at Shady Rest, near Visitors' Center
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes
Summer Access	MLTS
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #5: MLTS: Tunnel Under Meridian



Portal Name	Mammoth Lakes Trails System: Tunnel Under Meridian
Portal Location	Tunnel under Meridian and Commerce Dr.
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes
Summer Access	Mammoth Lakes Trails System
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #6: Cerro Coso Connector



Portal Name	Cerro Coso Connector
Portal Location	Cerro Coso Rd., opposite the Trails subdivision/Wagon Wheel Rd.
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes, Cerro Coso College, Forest Service, Water District
Summer Access	Connector to Mammoth Creek Bike Trail
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #7: MLTS at Juniper Springs



Portal Name	Mammoth Lakes Trails System at Juniper Springs
Portal Location	Bike path from Juniper Springs to Waterford St.
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes
Summer Access	Mammoth Creek
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited	Parking	
Public Transportation	Winter bus	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #8: Camp High Sierra Rd./Lake Mary Rd. Connector



Portal Name	Camp High Sierra Rd./Lake Mary Rd. Connector
Portal Location	See above
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes, City of Los Angeles
Summer Access	Open forestland
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #9: Camp High Sierra Rd. to Majestic Pines Rd.



Portal Name	Camp High Sierra Rd. through Camp High Sierra to Majestic Pines Rd.
Portal Location	See above
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes, City of Los Angeles
Summer Access	Open forestland
Winter Access	Open forestland

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited	Parking	
Public Transportation	Winter only	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #10: Forest Trail Rd. at Pinecrest St.



Portal Name	Forest Trail Rd. at Pinecrest St.
Portal Location	See above
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Knolls backcountry
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running, Frisbee golf	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #11: End of Mammoth Knolls Dr.



Portal Name	End of Mammoth Knolls Pl.
Portal Location	See above
Jurisdiction	Forest Service, Town of Mammoth Lakes
Summer Access	Knolls backcountry
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #12: End of St. Moritz St.



Portal Name	End of St. Moritz St.
Portal Location	See above (western end)
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Knolls backcountry
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Summer only	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #13: Canyon Lodge



Portal Name	Canyon Lodge
Portal Location	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area
Jurisdiction	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area (Forest Service lease)
Summer Access	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	Y
OHV	N	Snowshoe	N
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	Winter only	Public Transportation	
Signage	Winter only	Signage	
Bathroom	Winter only	Bathroom	

SITE #14: Little Eagle Lodge



Portal Name	Little Eagle Lodge
Portal Location	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area
Jurisdiction	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area (Forest Service lease)
Summer Access	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	Y
OHV	N	Snowshoe	N
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	Winter only	Public Transportation	
Signage	Winter only	Signage	
Bathroom	Winter only	Bathroom	

SITE #15: East of Forest Trail Dr. at Pinecrest



Portal Name	North of Forest Trail Dr. at Pinecrest St.
Portal Location	See above
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Knolls backcountry, Shady Rest Park
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #16: Ranch Road Gate



Portal Name	Ranch Road Gate
Portal Location	Ranch Road
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes, private
Summer Access	Sherwin Ridge, Sherwin Meadow
Winter Access	Sherwin Ridge

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N	Nordic/Cross-Country	N
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	N
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	Winter only	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #: 17: Snowcreek V



Portal Name	Snowcreek V
Portal Location	Between units 747 & 748
Jurisdiction	Forest Service, private
Summer Access	Mammoth Rock Trail, Hidden Lake, Sherwin Meadow
Winter Access	Sherwin Ridge

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

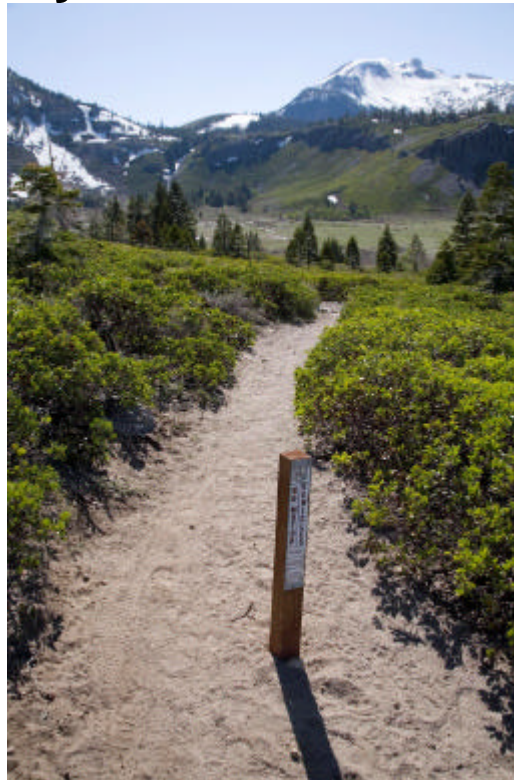
SITE #18: Sierra Meadows Ranch/Museum



Portal Name	Sierra Meadows Ranch/Museum
Portal Location	Sherwin Creek Rd. at Old Mammoth Rd.
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes (Forest Service lease)
Summer Access	Museum, Mammoth Creek, Sherwin Meadow
Winter Access	Sherwin Meadow

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited in winter	Parking	
Public Transportation	Winter only	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	Summer only	Bathroom	

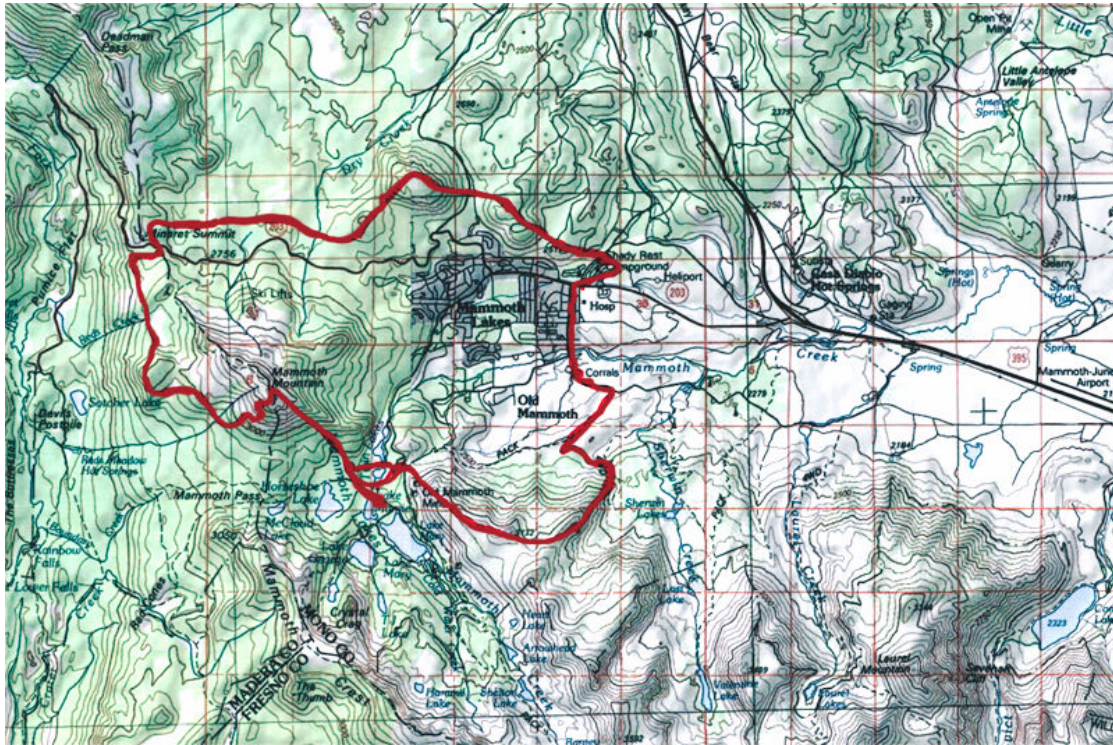
SITE #19: Kerry Meadow



Portal Name	Kerry Meadow
Portal Location	Behind Snowcreek V, accessed from Sherwin Meadows Rd. area
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Kerry Meadow, Sherwin Ridge
Winter Access	Sherwin Ridge

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #20: Mammoth Rim Trail



Portal Name	Mammoth Rim Trail
Portal Location	Ridgeline of Mammoth Lakes region
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes, Forest Service, possibly private
Summer Access	Multiple-use trails
Winter Access	Sherwin Bowls

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #21: Uptown/Downtown



Portal Name	Uptown/Downtown
Portal Location	Forest Trail Dr. and Minaret, toward MMSA
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes, Mammoth Lakes Ski Area (Forest Service lease), private
Summer Access	Minaret Vista Trail, MMSA bike trails, Earthquake Fault
Winter Access	N/A

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N/A
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N/A
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N/A
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N/A
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N/A
OHV	N	Snowshoe	N/A
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Village (limited)	Parking	
Public Transportation	Y	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	Y	Bathroom	

SITE #22: Open Hillside E. of Forest Trail



Portal Name	Open Hillside East of Forest Trail, AKA "Frisbee Golf"
Portal Location	Forest Trail
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes, Forest Service, private
Summer Access	Wooded area
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Frisbee golf	Other	Snowplay
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #23: Meadow Ln. to Mammoth Creek Park



Portal Name	Meadow Ln. to Mammoth Creek Park
Portal Location	See above
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes, private
Summer Access	3 trails from end of road to park and bike path
Winter Access	N/A

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N/A
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N/A
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N/A
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N/A
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N/A
OHV	N	Snowshoe	N/A
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #24: Waterford St.



Portal Name	Waterford St.
Portal Location	Waterford St. to Old Mammoth Rd.
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes, private
Summer Access	Snowcreek meadow
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running, fishing	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #25: Shady Rest Parcel



Portal Name	Shady Rest Parcel
Portal Location	Shady Rest Parcel from Tavern Rd.
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes, private
Summer Access	6 trails intersect parcel to go to other Town locations
Winter Access	N/A

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N/A
Hiking	N	Backcountry Ski	N/A
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N/A
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N/A
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N/A
OHV	N	Snowshoe	N/A
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #26: Forest Trail Near Forest Service Barracks



Portal Name	Forest Trail near Forest Service Barracks
Portal Location	Jct. of Old Mammoth Rd. north of Hwy. 203
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Knolls backcountry
Winter Access	N/A

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N/A
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N/A
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N/A
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N/A
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N/A
OHV	N	Snowshoe	N/A
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #27: Tamarack St.



Portal Name	Tamarack St.
Portal Location	See above
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes, private
Summer Access	Sherwin Meadow, Sherwin Ridge
Winter Access	Sherwin Ridge

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #28: Stamp Mill Ruins



Portal Name	Stamp Mill Ruins
Portal Location	Old Mammoth Rd. at Mill City
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Mill City Historical Trails
Winter Access	Sherwin Ridge, Lakes Basin

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #29: Mammoth Creek 1



Portal Name	Mammoth Creek 1
Portal Location	Juniper Springs Condos
Jurisdiction	Private
Summer Access	Mammoth Lakes Trails System
Winter Access	Mammoth Lakes Trails System (not groomed)

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	N	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	?	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #30: John Muir Rd. Switchback at MMSA



Portal Name	John Muir Rd. Switchback at MMSA
Portal Location	John Muir Rd. Switchback at “Condo Chute” trail from MMSA
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes, MMSA, Forest Service, private
Summer Access	Possible bike trails on MMSA, walk to Canyon Lodge
Winter Access	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	Y
OHV	N	Snowshoe	N
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #31: Timber Ridge North Access



Portal Name	Timber Ridge North Access
Portal Location	Very top of John Muir Rd. in the Timber Ridge condo complex
Jurisdiction	Private, Mammoth Mountain Ski Area, Forest Service
Summer Access	MTB trails
Winter Access	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	Y
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #32: Timber Ridge South Access



Portal Name	Timber Ridge South Access
Portal Location	At the end of John Muir Rd. at the southern terminus of the Timber Ridge condo complex
Jurisdiction	Private, Mammoth Mountain Ski Area, Forest Service
Summer Access	MTB trails
Winter Access	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	Y
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #33: Greyhawk Ski Back



Portal Name	Greyhawk Ski Back
Portal Location	Greyhawk subdivision
Jurisdiction	Forest Service, private, Mammoth Mountain Ski Area
Summer Access	MTB trails
Winter Access	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	Y
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #34: Twin Lakes Parking Lot



Portal Name	Twin Lakes Parking Lot
Portal Location	Lake Mary Rd. at Twin Lakes
Jurisdiction	Forest Service, MMSA Bike Trail System, Town of Mammoth Lakes
Summer Access	Lakes Basin, MMSA
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	Y
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Fishing	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	Y	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	Y	Bathroom	

SITE #35: Lake Mary Rd. Winter Terminus



Portal Name	Lake Mary Rd. Winter Terminus
Portal Location	Lakes Basin (gate on Lake Mary Rd. that is closed and locked during winter)
Jurisdiction	Forest Service, Town of Mammoth Lakes
Summer Access	N/A
Winter Access	Sherwin Ridge, Lakes Basin, Mammoth Crest

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N/A	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	N/A	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	N/A	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	N/A	OSV	Limited
Equestrian	N/A	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N/A	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	Ice fishing
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #36: Tamarack Lodge



Portal Name	Tamarack Lodge
Portal Location	Tamarack Lodge/Lakes Basin/Twin Lakes
Jurisdiction	Forest Service, Town of Mammoth Lakes
Summer Access	Lakes Basin
Winter Access	Lakes Basin, Mammoth Mountain Ski Area

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Fish/boat/campy	Other	Ice skate
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	Y	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	Y	Bathroom	

SITE #37: Warming Wall



Portal Name	Warming Wall
Portal Location	Canyon Lodge Parking Lot at Austria Hof, 400 yds. up Shot Gun Trail on north side
Jurisdiction	Forest Service, Mammoth Mountain Ski Area
Summer Access	Warming Wall
Winter Access	N/A

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N/A
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N/A
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N/A
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N/A
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N/A
OHV	N	Snowshoe	N/A
Other	Climbing	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #38: End of Shot Gun Trail



Portal Name	End of Shot Gun Trail
Portal Location	End of Canyon Blvd. (Austria Hof Parking Lot)
Jurisdiction	Forest Service, Mammoth Mountain Ski Area, private
Summer Access	MMSA Bike Park, Warming Wall
Winter Access	N/A

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N/A
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N/A
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N/A
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N/A
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N/A
OHV	N	Snowshoe	N/A
Other	Climbing	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #39: Mammoth Creek 2



Portal Name	Mammoth Creek 2
Portal Location	Sherwin St. to Bike Path off Juniper Springs Lodge
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes, possibly private
Summer Access	Mammoth Lakes Trails System
Winter Access	No (town snow storage)

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N
Hiking	N	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	N
Other	N	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #40: Lake Mary to Bike Trails



Portal Name	Lake Mary to Bike Trails
Portal Location	Lake Mary Rd. South of Juniper Rd.
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	MMSA Bike Park entrance/exit
Winter Access	N/A

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N/A
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N/A
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N/A
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N/A
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N/A
OHV	N	Snowshoe	N/A
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #41: Minaret Snowplay Area



Portal Name	Minaret Snowplay Area
Portal Location	Southwest Corner of Minaret and Hwy. 203
Jurisdiction	Private
Summer Access	N/A
Winter Access	Snowplay area

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N/A	Nordic/Cross-Country	N
Hiking	N/A	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	N/A	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	N/A	OSV	N
Equestrian	N/A	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N/A	Snowshoe	N
Other		Other	Snowplay
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #42: Earthquake Fault Parking



Portal Name	Earthquake Fault Parking
Portal Location	North side of Hwy. 203/paved road to fault
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Fault viewing, MTB trails
Winter Access	Backcountry skiing/snowboarding/Cross Country

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	n
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	Y	Bathroom	

SITE #43: Uptown to Mtn. View Junction



Portal Name	Uptown to Mtn. View Junction
Portal Location	South Side of Hwy. 203 to North Side of Hwy. 203 at Earthquake fault sign
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Mtn. View trail from Uptown
Winter Access	N/A

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N/A
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N/A
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N/A
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N/A
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N/A
OHV	N	Snowshoe	N/A
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #44: Power Plant



Portal Name	Power Plant
Portal Location	North Side of Hwy. 203, West of Sledz
Jurisdiction	CalTrans, Southern California Edison, Forest Service
Summer Access	MTB Trails
Winter Access	Snowmobiling

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #45: Dirt Road at Chair 2



Portal Name	Dirt Road at Chair 2
Portal Location	North Side of Hwy. 203 across from Chair 2
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Mtn. View Cutoff to road
Winter Access	Snowmobiling

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	N
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #46: MMSA Main Lodge Parking Lot



Portal Name	MMSA Main Lodge Parking Lot
Portal Location	Hwy. 203 at MMSA
Jurisdiction	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area
Summer Access	Parking for MMSA Bike Park, John Muir Trail, Pacific Crest Trail, Reds Meadow, Devils Postpile, Reds Lake, Minaret Vista, Rainbow Falls, San Joaquin Ridge
Winter Access	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Limited
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	Y
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	Y	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	Y	Bathroom	

SITE #47: Reds Lake Turnoff



Portal Name	Reds Lake Turnoff
Portal Location	South Side of Hwy. 203, 400 yds. West of Resort
Jurisdiction	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area (Forest Service lease)
Summer Access	Reds Lake
Winter Access	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	Y
OHV	N	Snowshoe	N
Other	Swimming	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #48: Minaret Vista Overlook-Mtn View Trail



Portal Name	Minaret Vista Overlook
Portal Location	North Side of Hwy. 203 before Reds Meadow Kiosk, end of road to parking lot
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	MTB Trails, San Joaquin Ridge
Winter Access	N/A

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N/A
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N/A
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N/A
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N/A
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N/A
OHV		Snowshoe	N/A
Other	Scenic views	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	Y	Bathroom	

SITE #49: Minaret Vista, Rt. Side of Pkg. Lot



Portal Name	Minaret Vista, Right Side of Parking Lot
Portal Location	North Side of Hwy. 203 @ Reds Meadow Kiosk
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Mtn. View Trail, Dave and Roma's Trail, Hard Core Trail, Reds Meadow, San Joaquin Ridge
Winter Access	N/A

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N/A
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N/A
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N/A
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N/A
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N/A
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	N/A
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	Y	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	Y	Bathroom	

SITE #50: Mtn. View Terminus at Chair 2



Portal Name	Mtn. View Terminus at Reds Meadow Kiosk
Portal Location	South Side of Hwy. 203 at Reds Meadow Kiosk
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	MTB Trails
Winter Access	N/A

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N/A
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N/A
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N/A
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N/A
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N/A
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	N/A
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	Y	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #51: Shuttle Stop F



Portal Name	Shuttle Stop F
Portal Location	South Side of Hwy. 203 at Shuttle Stop F (dirt road entrance to MMSA Bike Park)
Jurisdiction	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area (Forest Service lease)
Summer Access	Early summer access to bike trails
Winter Access	N/A

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N/A
Hiking	N	Backcountry Ski	N/A
Walking	N	Backcountry Snowboard	N/A
Dog Walking	N	OSV	N/A
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N/A
OHV	N	Snowshoe	N/A
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #52: Sledz



Portal Name	Sledz
Portal Location	North Side of Hwy. 203, up from Scenic Loop, across from MMSA garage
Jurisdiction	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area (Forest Service lease)
Summer Access	N/A
Winter Access	Snowplay

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N/A	Nordic/Cross-Country	N
Hiking	N/A	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	N/A	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	N/A	OSV	N
Equestrian	N/A	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N/A	Snowshoe	N
Other		Other	Snowplay
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	Y	Bathroom	

SITE #53: Sherwin Creek Rd. at Trailhead/Motocross



Portal Name	Sherwin Creek Rd. at Trailhead/Motocross
Portal Location	1.4 mi. from jct. of Sherwin Creek Rd. and Old Mammoth Rd. (moto and Sherwins Lakes trailhead)
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Sherwin Lakes trailheads, moto park, Voorhis Viking Camp
Winter Access	Sherwin Ridge, Sherwin Meadow

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Limited	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	Y
OHV	Limited	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Summer only	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	Summer only	Bathroom	

SITE #54: Sherwin Creek Rd. at Edge of Campground



Portal Name	Sherwin Creek Rd. at Edge of Campground
Portal Location	1.8 mi. from jct. of Sherwin Creek Rd. and Old Mammoth Rd.
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Non-motorized trails
Winter Access	Sherwin Meadow, Sherwin Ridge

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #55: Sherwin Creek Rd. at Picnic Area



Portal Name	Sherwin Creek Rd. at Picnic Area
Portal Location	1.9 mi. from jct. of Sherwin Creek Rd. and Old Mammoth Rd.
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Day-use picnic area, Sherwin Creek, Solitude Canyon, foot trails
Winter Access	Sherwin Ridge, Sherwin Meadow, Solitude Canyon

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	?	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Summer only	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Day-use only	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #56: Sherwin Creek Rd. at Trailhead Near Campground



Portal Name	Sherwin Creek Rd. at Trailhead Near Campground
Portal Location	2.5 mi. from jct. of Sherwin Creek Rd. and Old Mammoth Rd.
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Foot trails
Winter Access	Sherwin Ridge, Sherwin Meadow

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	?	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Running	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Summer only	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #57: Sherwin Creek Rd. Foot Trail



Portal Name	Sherwin Creek Rd. Foot Trail
Portal Location	1.95 mi. from jct. of Sherwin Creek Rd. and Old Mammoth Rd.
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Camping, Sherwin Creek, foot trails
Winter Access	Sherwin Ridge, Sherwin Meadow

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	?	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Run/caving	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Summer only	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	Summer only	Bathroom	

SITE #58: Mammoth Creek 3



Portal Name	Mammoth Creek 3
Portal Location	End of cul-de-sac
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes, possibly private
Summer Access	Mammoth Lakes Trails System, Snowcreek
Winter Access	N/A (not groomed)

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	N	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #59: Sherwin Creek Rd. at Laurel Lakes Rd.



Portal Name	Sherwin Creek Rd. at Laurel Lakes Rd.
Portal Location	See above
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Laurel Lakes Trail, Laurel Lakes Road, Laurel Lakes
Winter Access	Mt Laurel, Bloody Mtn, Snow Machine

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Summer only	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #60: Sherwin Creek Rd. to Laurel Pond



Portal Name	Sherwin Creek Rd. to Laurel Pond
Portal Location	4.4 mi. from jct. of Sherwin Creek Rd. and Old Mammoth Rd.
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Laurel Pond, Sherwin Creek, aspen camping area
Winter Access	Back Country Ski, Snow Machine

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	?	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Birds/hunting	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Summer only	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #61: Sherwin Creek Rd. East



Portal Name	Sherwin Creek Rd. Eastern Terminus
Portal Location	4.8 mi. from jct. of Sherwin Creek Rd. and Old Mammoth Rd.
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Sherwin Meadow, trails between Hwys. 203 and 395
Winter Access	Sherwin Meadow, Sherwin Ridge

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	?	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Birds/hunting?	Other	Ice skate?
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Summer only	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #62: Top of Mammoth Mountain



Portal Name	Top of Mammoth Mountain
Portal Location	.5-mi. E/SE of top of Upper Panorama Gondola station
Jurisdiction	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area (Forest Service lease)
Summer Access	Reds Meadow Pack Station, Mammoth Pass Trail
Winter Access	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	N
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	?	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	Y
OHV	N	Snowshoe	N
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	Gondola	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	Y	Bathroom	

SITE #63: Dragon's Back Trail



Portal Name	Dragon's Back Trail
Portal Location	Twin Lakes Campground
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Bottomless Pit, 7 Lakes View, Top of MMSA
Winter Access	Mammoth Mountain Ski Area

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	Y
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #64: Forest Trail at Sierra Blvd.



Portal Name	Forest Trail at Sierra Blvd.
Portal Location	See above
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Shady Rest Triangle, Scenic Loop, Hwy. 395
Winter Access	XC skiing in Shady Rest

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	Snowplay
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #65: Forest Trail at Vacation Place



Portal Name	Forest Trail at Vacation Place
Portal Location	See above
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Shady Rest Park, Scenic Loop, Hwy. 395
Winter Access	XC skiing

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #66: Mammoth Creek 4



Portal Name	Mammoth Creek 4
Portal Location	--
Jurisdiction	Possibly Town of Mammoth Lakes, possibly private
Summer Access	Snowcreek
Winter Access	No (town snow storage)

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N	Nordic/Cross-Country	N
Hiking	N	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	N
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #67: No. Side of 395 Near Visitors' Ctr.



Portal Name	North Side of Hwy. 203 Near Visitors' Center
Portal Location	¼-mi. East of Visitors' Center Turnoff
Jurisdiction	Forest Service (signed as service road, with gate)
Summer Access	Foot and bike trails connecting to forest roads
Winter Access	XC skiing

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE # 68 – Mammoth Rock Trail – East



Portal Name	Mammoth Rock Trail
Portal Location	Mammoth Rock Trail and Sherwin Creek road
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Sherwins/Mammoth rock
Winter Access	Sherwins

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	Snowmachine	Y
Equestrian		Rec Ski/Snowboard	N
Other		Other	
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential	
Parking	Y	Parking	Y
Public Transport	N	Public Transport	Y
Signage	Y	Signage	Y
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	N

SITE #69: Inyo Craters Rd. Entrance



Portal Name	Inyo Craters Rd. Entrance
Portal Location	Scenic Loop at Inyo Craters Rd.
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Inyo Craters Area and Trail System; connects with Mammoth Knolls, MMSA, San Joaquin Ridge
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	?	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Wooding	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #70: Knolls Loop Rd.



Portal Name	Knolls Loop Rd.
Portal Location	Knolls Loop Rd. at Scenic Loop
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Knolls, Shady Rest Park, Earthquake Dome, XC trails, Mtn. View Trail, MMSA, Inyo Craters
Winter Access	

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	Snowplay
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #71: Scenic Loop Interface with Uptown/Downtown Trail



Portal Name	Scenic Loop Interface with Uptown/Downtown Trail
Portal Location	South Side of Scenic Loop, right off Hwy. 203
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Knolls, Shady Rest Trails, Inyo Craters Area, "Official" interface with MTB Trails
Winter Access	When plowed

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Limited
Equestrian	?	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #72: Scenic Loop at Hwy. 395



Portal Name	Scenic Loop at Hwy. 395
Portal Location	West Side of Hwy. 395, both North and South of Scenic Loop Rd.
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Knolls, Shady Rest, Inyo Craters area, Mtn. View Trail, MMSA, XC skiing, Smokey Bear Flats (395 tunnel)
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	?	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #73: Forest Roads West of Scenic Loop



Portal Name	Forest Roads West of Scenic Loop
Portal Location	See above
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Foot/XC trails, Mtn. View Trail, MMSA, Inyo Craters
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Limited
Equestrian	?	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	Snowplay
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #74: Inyo Craters Trailhead Parking Lot



Portal Name	Inyo Craters Trailhead Parking Lot
Portal Location	See above
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Inyo Craters area, bike/walk trail to road, XC trails
Winter Access	Part of winter trails, though not plowed

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	?	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	Y	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Summer only	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	Summer only	Bathroom	

SITE #75: Panorama Dome/Vista Bike Trail



Portal Name	Panorama Dome/Vista Bike Trail
Portal Location	.45 mi. from jct. of Old Mammoth Rd. and Lake Mary Rd.
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Vista Trail, Lakes Basin Trails, Panorama Dome
Winter Access	Tamarack, Lakes Basin trails (road closed)

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Limited	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Limited
Equestrian	?	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Beg. climb	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Summer only	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Summer only	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #76: Substation Rd.



Portal Name	Substation Rd.
Portal Location	At Antelope Springs Rd., East of Hwy. 395 at Hwy. 203
Jurisdiction	Forest Service, private, DWP, BLM
Summer Access	Multiple roads and trails
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	Y
Equestrian	?	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Climbing	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #77: Bell-Shaped Parcel



Portal Name	Bell-Shaped Parcel
Portal Location	Meridian Blvd. and Minaret Rd.
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes
Summer Access	Riparian Area and Wildflowers
Winter Access	N/A

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N	Nordic/Cross-Country	N/A
Hiking	N	Backcountry Ski	N/A
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N/A
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N/A
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N/A
OHV	N	Snowshoe	N/A
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #78: Mill at Woodman – Dust Hazard RD



Portal Name	Mill St. at Woodman
Portal Location	Mill St at Woodman Road
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes
Summer Access	Trail to Bluffs at end of Mill St.
Winter Access	Same as summer, when Scenic Loop is plowed

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	N	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #79: Mammoth Creek 5



Portal Name	Mammoth Creek 5
Portal Location	Mammoth Creek where it crosses Minaret
Jurisdiction	Possibly Town of Mammoth Lakes, possibly private
Summer Access	Walking, Hiking and fishing
Winter Access	XC trails

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	N	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	N	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Fishing	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	Y	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #80: Mammoth Pass Trail



Portal Name	Mammoth Pass Trail
Portal Location	Horseshoe Lake
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Reds Meadow, Reds Lake, Mammoth Crest,
Winter Access	Tamarack

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #81: Horseshoe Lake Trail



Portal Name	Horseshoe Lake Trail
Portal Location	Horseshoe Lake
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Lakefront, climbing
Winter Access	Tamarack, backcountry ski/snowboard

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Climbing	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	Y	Bathroom	

SITE #82: Horseshoe Linkup to Maime



Portal Name	Horseshoe Linkup to Maime
Portal Location	Lake Mary Rd. just up from Twin Lakes Viewpoint
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Hiking, MTB trails
Winter Access	XC ski

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #83: Lake Maime Northside Trail



Portal Name	Lake Maime Northside Trail
Portal Location	Lake Mary Rd.
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Lakefront
Winter Access	XC trails via Tamarack

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #84: Horse Trail



Portal Name	Horse Trail
Portal Location	Just below Lodge by Lake Maime
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Lakes
Winter Access	Lakes, XC trails

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #85: Lake Maime Southside



Portal Name	Lake Maime Southside
Portal Location	Road up to Lake George
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Fishing, lakes
Winter Access	Lakes, XC skiing

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #86: Crystal Lake/Mammoth Crest Trail



Portal Name	Crystal Lake/Mammoth Crest Trail
Portal Location	Lake George
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Crystal Lake, Mammoth Crest Trail, Red Cones, Deer Lakes Basin
Winter Access	Mammoth Crest

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Climbing	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	Y	Bathroom	

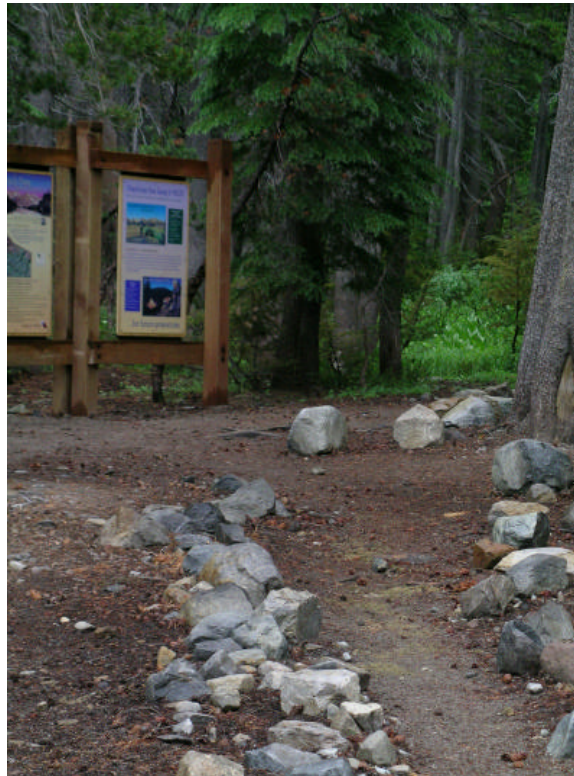
SITE #87: Barrett and TJ Lakes



Portal Name	Barrett and TJ Lakes
Portal Location	Lake George
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Lakes
Winter Access	Mammoth Crest

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other	Climbing/bouldering	Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	Y	Bathroom	

SITE #88: Emerald Lake Trailhead



Portal Name	Emerald Lake Trailhead
Portal Location	Coldwater
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Mammoth Crest, links to trails to Barrett and TJ Lakes, meadow below Blue Crag
Winter Access	Mammoth Crest

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	Y	Bathroom	

SITE #89: Duck Pass



Portal Name	Duck Pass
Portal Location	Coldwater
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Mammoth Crest, John Muir Trail, Pacific Crest Trail
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	Y	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	Y	Bathroom	

SITE #90: Heart Lake/Consolidated Mine



Portal Name	Heart Lake/Consolidated Mine
Portal Location	Coldwater
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Heart Lake, Consolidated Mine
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Y	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	Y	Bathroom	

SITE #91: Sherwins



Portal Name	Sherwins
Portal Location	Lake Mary Rd.
Jurisdiction	Forest Service, Town of Mammoth Lakes
Summer Access	Sherwin Ridge, Pyramid Peak
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Winter only	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

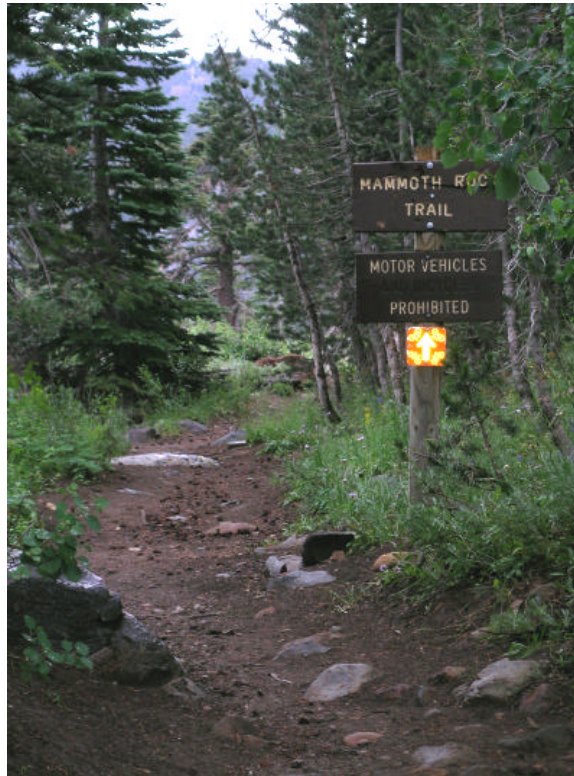
SITE #92: Panorama Dome Trail



Portal Name	Panorama Dome Trail
Portal Location	Old Mammoth Rd. and Lake Mary Rd.
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Viewpoint, forestland
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE #93: Mammoth Rock



Portal Name	Mammoth Rock
Portal Location	Old Mammoth Rd.
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes, Forest Service
Summer Access	Mammoth Rock, Sherwin Ridge
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	Limited	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	Y	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE # 94 – Fairway Drive



Portal Name	Fairway Drive
Portal Location	East of Snowcreek V
Jurisdiction	Private/Forest Service/Eastern sierra Land Trust
Summer Access	The Sherwins
Winter Access	The Sherwins

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	Snowmachine	Y
Equestrian	Y	Rec Ski/Snowboard	N
Other		Other	
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential	
Parking	N	Parking	Y
Public Transport	N	Public Transport	Y
Signage	N	Signage	Y
Bathroom	n	Bathroom	Y

SITE #95: Trail Off Chair 15 Bike Path



Portal Name	Trail off Chair 15 Bike Path
Portal Location	Near water tank, off path; outlet by Waterford Rd.
Jurisdiction	Town of Mammoth Lakes
Summer Access	Bike Path, Old Mammoth Rd.
Winter Access	Same as summer

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross-Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	OSV	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec. Ski/Snowboard	N
OHV	N	Snowshoe	Y
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential Facility	
Parking	N	Parking	
Public Transportation	N	Public Transportation	
Signage	N	Signage	
Bathroom	N	Bathroom	

SITE # 96 – Sherwin Egress - Snowcreek 5



Portal Name	Sherwin ski back egress west of Snowcreek V
Portal Location	In Between Snowcreek V and snowcreek golf Course
Jurisdiction	Private
Summer Access	N
Winter Access	N

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	N	Nordic/Cross Country	N
Hiking	N	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	N	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	N	Snowmachine	N
Equestrian	N	Rec Ski/Snowboard	N
Other		Other	
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential	
Parking	N	Parking	Y
Public Transport	N	Public Transport	Y
Signage	N	Signage	Y
Bathroom	n	Bathroom	n

SITE # 97 – Shady Rest Park



Portal Name	Shady Rest Park
Portal Location	Shady Rest Park
Jurisdiction	Forest Service/Town
Summer Access	Shady Rest Park
Winter Access	Y

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	Snowmachine	N
Equestrian	Y	Rec Ski/Snowboard	
Other		Other	
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential	
Parking	Y	Parking	Y
Public Transport	Y	Public Transport	Y
Signage	Y	Signage	Y
Bathroom	y	Bathroom	Y

SITE #98 – Sherwins Equestrian Center



Portal Name	Sherwins Equestrian Ccneter
Portal Location	Sherwin Ranch Road
Jurisdiction	Forest Service – Lease
Summer Access	Sherwin Meadow – Sherwins
Winter Access	Sherwins Meadow

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	Snowmachine	Y
Equestrian	Y	Rec Ski/Snowboard	N
Other		Other	
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential	
Parking	Y	Parking	Y
Public Transport	Y	Public Transport	Y
Signage	Y	Signage	Y
Bathroom	y	Bathroom	Y

SITE #99 – Red's Lake



Portal Name	Red's Lake
Portal Location	Red's Lake – Ski Area
Jurisdiction	Forest Service – Ski Area
Summer Access	Swimming/Mountain Biking/Hiking
Winter Access	Rec Skiing

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross Country	N
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	N
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	N
Dog Walking	Y	Snowmachine	N
Equestrian	N	Rec Ski/Snowboard	Y
Other		Other	
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential	
Parking	Y	Parking	Y
Public Transport	N	Public Transport	Y
Signage	Y	Signage	Y
Bathroom		Bathroom	y

SITE #100 – Red’s Meadow Kiosk



Portal Name	Red's Meadow Kiosk
Portal Location	Minaret Rd
Jurisdiction	Forest Service
Summer Access	Red's Meadow/Devil's Postpile/PCT/Wilderness Areas
Winter Access	Winter Backcountry

Summer Activities		Winter Activities	
Mountain Biking	Y	Nordic/Cross Country	Y
Hiking	Y	Backcountry Ski	Y
Walking	Y	Backcountry Snowboard	Y
Dog Walking	Y	Snowmachine	Y
Equestrian	Y	Rec Ski/Snowboard	N
Other		Other	
Other		Other	
Existing Facility		Potential	
Parking	Y	Parking	Y
Public Transport	Y	Public Transport	Y
Signage	Y	Signage	Y
Bathroom	Y	Bathroom	Y

PEER RESOURCES

Eagle County, Colorado

ECO Trails

Grand Junction, Colorado

Colorado Plateau Mountain Bike Trail Association (COPMOBA)

Downieville, California

Sierra Buttes Trail Stewardship (SBTS)

Jackson Hole, Wyoming

Jackson Hole Community Pathways (JHCP)/Friends of Pathways (FOP)

Park City, Utah

Mountain Trails Foundation (MTF)

Ketchum/Sun Valley, Idaho

Blaine County Recreation District (BCRD)

Whistler, BC

Whistler Off Road Cycling Association (WORCA)

Whistler, BC

Resort Municipality of Whistler

Key organizations throughout the North American West have proven themselves sustainable and effective advocates for communities willing to work together to protect, maintain, and improve their wild and urban trail systems. Citizens of Mammoth have contacted the groups listed above—personally or over the phone—and synopsized information on trail systems, staffing, workflow, funding, and jurisdiction. Supporting documentation for each group—their mission statements, their programs, and their members—may be found on the supplemental DVD.

Organization: ECO Trails

Type: Government agency

Location: Eagle County, CO

Established: 1996

Contact: Ellie Caryl, Program Manager: ellie.caryl@eaglecounty.us, (970) 328-3523 (P), (970) 328-3539 (F)

Website: <http://www.eaglecounty.us/ecoTrails/index.cfm>

Mission statement: “The ECO Trails program develops, promotes, and cooperatively maintains a scenic and safe trail system of urban, paved, multi-use, non-motorized trails. The program is funded by a designated sales tax collected in the Eagle River watershed of Eagle County.”

Trail system: Thirty miles of paved trails, open to non-motorized use (hikers and bikers, primarily), with 30 more miles slated for construction. (There is one unpaved section of indeterminate size.) Their Adopt-a-Trail program helps with maintenance, but each town in the county—committed to same standards of maintenance—does a twice-annual trash cleanup and one sweep/vegetation cutback per month. Wintertime plowing is up to each town’s discretion, but almost all sections of the current core trail system are plowed and allow for cross-country skiing, hiking, etc.

Source of funding: The program is funded by a designated sales tax collected in the Eagle River watershed of Eagle County. It is a trails and transit tax; of the approximate \$5 million collected per year, about \$500,000 is dedicated to the trail system. The remainder is funneled into public transportation, such as the bus system.

Staffing and operations: Only the program manager is a government employee; she works with an 18-member volunteer citizens committee (including an eight- or nine-member backcountry subcommittee), which reviews funding requests and trail issues, then makes recommendations to the Board of Directors, who ultimately approves or denies such proposals. The Board of Directors is comprised of officials elected from each of the six towns in the county (Red Cliff, Minturn, Vail, Avon, Eagle, Gypsum); there are also three county commissioners involved. Prior to funding-request approval, ECO Trails often asks for (and gets) a 25% match to their funding from the town in which the trails will be built. The most recent trails plan (2001) was adopted by all six towns after meetings and input from planning commissions, governing bodies, and the public.

Signage: Uniform and paid for by the ECO Trails general budget.

Organization: Colorado Plateau Mountain Bike Trail Association (COPMOBA)
Type: 501(c)(3)
Location: West-Central CO (Mesa and Montrose counties)
Established: 1989
Contact: Chris Herrman, President: president@copmoba.org, (970) 244-8877 (org phone), (970) 640-2359 (Chris Herrman), info@copmoba.org
Website: <http://www.copmoba.org/>

Mission statement: "COPMOBA's mission is to build and maintain mountain bike trails, work to preserve singletrack, and promote responsible riding. Through volunteer trail construction and maintenance projects, advocacy efforts, riding clinics, group rides, and fundraising efforts, we act as a positive voice for mountain biking."

Trail system: Between the organization's two-county (Mesa and Montrose) spread, nearly three-quarters of the trails are on federal land, which falls under either Forest Service or BLM jurisdiction. Between Grand Junction and Fruita there are three main loop trail systems (mostly unpaved singletrack) on federal land that are equivalent to about 50 to 60 miles. Open to mountain biking, hikers, and runners (general non-motorized use); equestrian use is permitted, but not encouraged. Some other trail areas have overlap with motorized usage, but that is also not encouraged on COPMOBA-supervised trails. The only location in the trail system with federal/public interface is in the city of Grand Junction; there's a 20-acre parcel that contains a trailhead for the loop system. The city and the BLM have an agreement where the BLM manages the trailhead.

Source of funding: Primarily through memberships; COPMOBA has approximately 250 individual memberships (\$15 to \$100 each) and approximately a dozen business memberships (from \$100 each). Grants are awarded by the BLM and other federal recreation agencies, as well as the local Visitors and Convention Bureau, and COPMOBA receives the occasional business donation (REI recently gave them \$10,000), but the money is most often used for maps, not trailwork.

Staffing and operations: Citizens group with a 10-member Board of Directors. Everything COPMOBA does (re-routes, new trails, etc.) is first cleared with the BLM and Forest Service, since most trails fall on federal land, except for maintenance, which COPMOBA is trusted to do without pre-approval.

Signage: All signage is the BLM and Forest Service's responsibility, as trails are on federal lands. COPMOBA did build an interpretive trail, however, and raised money for interpretive signs through a grant.

Organization: Sierra Buttes Trail Stewardship (SBTS)

Type: 501(c)(3)

Location: Downieville District of the Tahoe National Forest, Beckwourth District of the Plumas National Forest, CA

Established: 2004

Contact: Greg Williams, Founder: wedunkum@sbcglobal.net, (530) 289-3010 (Yuba Bike Shop phone)

Website: <http://www.sierratrails.org/>

Mission statement: “The Sierra Buttes Trail Stewardship is a non-profit organization dedicated to the preservation of trails, and the access to those trails, in and around the Sierra Buttes area. It is our goal to preserve, restore, and enhance the trails of this region in an environmentally sensitive and ecologically responsible fashion—by using low-impact and aesthetically considerate practices to reduce erosion and watershed contamination—so that they can withstand the demands of an increasing number of recreational users. Preservation of access for all use groups is of paramount importance to us, as is maintaining a sense of historical perspective.”

Trail system: Several interconnected, multipurpose trails serve mountain bikers, motocross, 4WD vehicles, equestrian, and hikers. During the winter months the trails are snow-covered; snowmobiling and backcountry skiing are popular with local residents. Trails are generally on Forest Service land; occasionally they will cross private property.

Source of funding: In general the organization is volunteer-based, funded by local business memberships as well as larger companies (affiliated with recreation). They have received grants to build new trails; otherwise they are a public non-profit group. The Stewardship sells memberships for \$50, which includes two “epic events” for each member. The Stewardship organizes the events as a means to get manpower for trail cleaning and maintenance. The Stewardship also solicits sponsors for certain areas of the trails, similar to an Adopt-a-Trail program. The sponsors pay approximately \$3,000 and agree to help maintain that part of the trail in exchange for a large wooden sign thanking them for their help and support. SBTS also organizes local businesses as members/supporters of the Stewardship. They donate money or goods for events when applicable. The retail outlets see the Stewardship as a facilitator to increasing tourism; as a supporter, each business is issued a flyer for its windows.

Staffing and operations: SBTS maintains the trails throughout the Downieville area, for all types of use. Though primarily concerned with mountain biking, they are inclusive of all types of trail use (dirt biking, equestrian, hiking, downhill, cross-country mountain biking, etc.). They also develop new trails and facilitate fundraisers/events/contests to help support the cause. They have a great relationship with the Forest Service, which is beneficial because the Forest

Service does not have adequate funds to maintain many of the trails, especially with the high amount of traffic. The Forest Service looks toward the Stewardship to help them keep the trails open and usable every year.

Signage: SBTS places Adopt-a-Trail sponsor signs in areas where people naturally stop and rest. These are not signs used to direct traffic. The signage is fairly minimal for actually finding the trails. There are maps.

Organization: Jackson Hole Community Pathways (**JHCP**)/Friends of Pathways (**FOP**)

Type: JHCP is a government agency; FOP is a 501(c)(3)

Location: Jackson Hole, WY

Established: **JHCP:** 1994; **FOP:** 1994

Contact: **JHCP:** Bob McLaurin, Town Administrator: (307) 733-3932 x108 (P), bmclaurin@ci.jackson.wy.us; **FOP:** Randy Roberts, President: (307) 733-4534 (org phone), (307) 733-9562 (F), fop@wyoming.com, (307) 733-5849 (Randy Roberts phone), ellenandrandy@yahoo.com

Website: <http://www.tetonwyo.org/pathways/>, <http://www.jhpathways.com/>

Mission statement:

JHCP: “Jackson Hole Community Pathways is a joint department of Teton County and the Town of Jackson. Goals: To plan and construct the Jackson Hole Community Pathways system; improve bicycling and walking conditions on all streets and roads; enhance community access to quality backcountry trail systems; and institutionalize government and private awareness of the needs of bicyclists, pedestrians, equestrians, and Nordic skiers.”

FOP: “Friends of Pathways promotes and facilitates non-motorized transportation and recreation options in Jackson Hole through program development, fundraising, advocacy, and fostering public-private partnerships. By creating a balanced transportation system and a quality recreation network, Friends of Pathways seeks to enhance community character and interaction.”

Trail system: Twenty-six miles of trails, mostly paved, on the valley floor, though there are unpaved trails outside JHCP’s aegis on federal forestland, as well as sidewalks and pet crossings. A 25-year master plan has been completed indicating build-out of 50-plus more miles of mostly paved trails, to bring the total span to 85 miles. By and large, approximately 98% of trails are used for walking or bicycling; most equestrian use is on forestland. Portions of the trail system are groomed in the winter for cross-country skiing (approximately 5 miles). Maintenance is funded and performed by the Parks and Recreation department, and orchestrated by the Pathways Coordinator.

Source of funding:

JHCP: One of five departments funded through a sales tax collected jointly through the Town of Jackson Hole and Teton County.

FOP: Funding is sourced through membership fees, grants, and donations.

Staffing and operations:

JHCP: JHCP is a division of the town administration. The Pathways Coordinator reports to the Town Manager, and works with a 7-member task force appointed by the Board of County Commissioners and the Town Council. As regards developers, the town has a master plan, and the Pathways Coordinator is on the Development Review Team with the Planning Director, Town Engineer, etc. They

are responsible for the staff report that goes to the elected officials who ultimately approve or deny plans. Potential public-access issues are flagged as a condition of approval, but they have not experienced any problems so far.

FOP: Executive Director is a salaried position paid for through the FOP's operating budget. All other employees work on a volunteer basis. FOP works in concert with JHCP and concentrates their efforts mostly on advocacy, fundraising, and lobbying for planning and construction of pathways.

Signage: Signage is within the purview of the JHCP Pathways Coordinator, who refers to a large extent to the Manual of Uniform Traffic Devices (specs for crosswalk signs, etc., as crossings and sidewalks fall under their aegis also).

Organization: Mountain Trails Foundation (MTF)

Type: 501(c)(3)

Location: Park City, UT

Established: 1993

Contact: Carol Potter, Executive Director: (435) 731-0975, carol@mountaintrails.org; Tom Peek, President, Board of Directors: (435) 645-5811

Website: <http://mountaintrails.org/>

Additional area contacts: *City of Park City:* Matt Wombly, mtwombly@parkcity.org; *Snyderville Basin Recreation District:* Senta Beyer, Trails Project Manager, sbeyer@basinrecreation.org, (435) 649-1549 x13 (P); *State of Utah:* Trish Murphy, tmurphy@mountainland.org

Mission statement: "To promote and preserve trail access for all non-motorized users. The mission of Mountain Trails Foundation includes: Education of the public on matters relating to land-use planning and conservation practices in the use and improvement of land, particularly with respect to multi-use trails and trail systems; the physical improvement of trail systems through signage, trail construction, and maintenance operations on trails; facilitating the acquisition and administration of trail easements by public agencies or in some cases the acquisition of trail easements directly for the use and benefit of the public."

Trail system: 340 miles of trails in Park City, paved and unpaved, all of which fall on private land. Their signature trail, Mid-Mountain Trail, has been 10 years in the making. Trail easements are held by the City of Park City and the Snyderville Basin Special Recreation District.

Source of funding: Memberships, ranging in annual fees from \$10 to more than \$250, contribute to the annual operating budget, and the Foundation relies heavily on grants and donations.

Staffing and operations: The non-profit Mountain Trails Foundation was started by land-use attorney Troy Duffin. The organization does not do trailbuilding, but instead focuses on advocacy, maintenance, preservation, and promotion of the current trail system. Their offices are in the Town buildings, and their staff is comprised of a heavily relied-upon 20-person advisory board, a trail person, and a four-person trail crew. This staff interacts with the City of Park City (trail planner and crew), Summit County (trail planner and crew), and Utah State Parks (Greenways Collaborative, trail planners); Summit County has created a Special Recreation District (Snyderville Basin Special Recreation District), of which Park City is a part. Since the Foundation does not handle trailbuilding, the City of Park City deals with planning and its impacts on/relationships to developers, who have to adapt their plans to the existing or planned trail system. MTF attends state trails conferences.

Signage: Mountain Trails has their own system of signs that points users to singletrack multi-use trails. The City of Park City has its own signs for municipal wayfinding and the paved multi-use trails.

<p>Organization: Blaine County Recreation District (BCRD) Type: 501(c)(3) Location: Ketchum/Sun Valley, ID Established: 1976 Contact: Eric Rector, Trails Program Director: (208) 788-2117, erector@bcrd.org Website: http://www.bcrd.org/</p>

Mission statement: “Voters created the BCRD in 1976 to provide the community with fun, high-quality, and affordable recreation programs and facilities. There are programs for all ages and many interests. Facilities include the Blaine County Aquatic Center, the Hub Youth Center, and the Community Campus. Trails include the North Valley Trails Nordic ski system and Quigley Nordic ski system, the Harriman Trail, and the Wood River Trails. We are dedicated to improving the quality of people’s lives by providing recreation projects and programs that offer positive lifestyle choices and alternatives in order to help build strong families and healthy communities.”

Trail system: The Wood River Trails is a paved system of non-motorized trails open to a variety of uses, including groomed Nordic ski trails in the winter. It connects the cities of Sun Valley, Ketchum, Hailey, and Bellevue. The Harriman Trail, in partnership with the Sawtooth National Forest, is a year-round, hard-surfaced trail that, in the summer, provides recreation opportunities for hikers, bikers, and equestrians. During the winter, the Harriman Trail is groomed for cross-country skiing. There are also groomed Nordic ski trails at Galena Lodge, Lake Creek, and Quigley Nordic. In the summer, the Galena trails system and the Harriman Trail offer a variety of trails for summer hiking and mountain biking.

Source of funding: No tax dollars support the world-class Nordic ski system, and trail fees only make up a portion of grooming, signage, and trail maintenance. Only 40% of BCRD’s expenses are paid for through property tax revenues; the other 60% come from private donations, grants, and program fees.

Staffing and operations: There are 14 full-time paid staff members, in addition to numerous seasonal employees and volunteers for winter and summer recreation. Blaine County Recreation District’s three publicly elected Board of Directors provide financial oversight and strategic direction for the organization. Regular board meetings are open to the public and are generally held the fourth Tuesday of each month at 4 p.m., at the Community Campus, Room 211.

Signage: BCRD funds, implements, and maintains all signage, with the exception of Harriman Trail, which falls under the Forest Service’s purview.

Additional facilities: The Community Campus is a multi-use facility, enhancing the quality of life for area residents through education, recreation, and culture. The Blaine County Recreation District, along with the Blaine County School District #61 and the College of Southern Idaho, transformed the former Wood

River High School into the Community Campus. Additional partners include Wood River Gymnastics, Footlight Dance Centre, Sun Valley Summer Symphony, Children's Music Conservatory, Hailey Chamber of Commerce, and the Sun Valley Center for the Arts. Facilities that are available and open to the public include: classrooms, meeting rooms, theatre/auditorium (seats 575), swimming pool, dance studio, gymnasium, gymnastics room, the Hub Youth Center, Internet Café (lunch, snacks, espresso, web access), and catering. Space for meetings, conferences, and special events is available to rent, as are a variety of catering options. Providing this valuable facility comes at a cost; in fact, maintenance and utilities cost the BCRD more than \$100,000 every year.

Affiliated organization: Big Wood Back Country Trails (BWBT)

Type: 501(c)(3) through Blaine County Recreation District

Location: Ketchum/Sun Valley, ID

Established: 1996

Contact: Chris and Laurie Leman, (208) 726-2948

Website: <http://www.bwbt.org/>

Mission statement/About: "Big Wood Backcountry Trails (BWBT) is an all-volunteer nonprofit group. We help take care of our local dirt trails. BWBT was formed in 1996. Local mountain bikers, hikers, motorized users, and equestrians joined forces in response to a threat of trail closures in our area. We raised funds that summer to hire a three-person Forest Service work crew to perform 16 weeks of trail maintenance. We also got actively involved in the hands-on maintenance of trails. Our efforts helped to avert trail closures and they set a tone for the type of work BWBT would do. Today, BWBT works for the benefit of the local trails in a variety of ways. We work cooperatively with the Forest Service and BLM to build and maintain trails. We raise money and distribute funds for trail projects, educate trail users about responsible trail use, and organize volunteers."

Organization: Whistler Off Road Cycling Association (WORCA)

Type: Not-for-profit

Location: Whistler, British Columbia, Canada

Established: 1989

Contact: Ted Battiston, Director of Planning: (604) 935-8205,
tbattiston@whistler.ca

Website: <http://www.worca.com/>

Mission statement: “The Whistler Off Road Cycling Association was founded in 1989 to lobby against the pending closure of bike trails in Garibaldi Provincial Park. As a result of these early efforts the Cheakamus Lake and Elfin Lake trails remained open to cyclists. WORCA has evolved over the last 15 years to become an integral part of Whistler. Today it has an 11-member Board of Directors that represents and serves a community of more than 1,000 members. By working with government, landowners, and developers, WORCA continues to ensure mountain bike trail access while providing a wide range of other services to the mountain bike community: WORCA sanctions the weekly Loonie Race series and Gravity Series, as well as special events like the Crud to Mud Downhill and Max Vert Enduro; WORCA helps to maintain hundreds of kilometers of trails to the highest environmental standards through member fees and volunteer efforts; and WORCA fosters the evolution of the sport through its youth programs and clinics, teaching safety, etiquette, and technique to cyclists.”

Trail system: Whistler has a network of hundreds of kilometers of mountain bike trails that are constantly in need of repairs and upgrades—300 kilometers of singletrack alone. This is accomplished with regular volunteer days and evenings throughout the season, and by hiring a contractor with member fees and grants. Special grants also enable large-scale trail projects with a variety of different partners. For the 2006 season, Whistler has already received a \$34,000 Community Enrichment Grant from the Resort Municipality of Whistler for trailwork and youth programs. All trail maintenance is performed to the highest environmental standards, often in cooperation with local conservation groups like AWARE, the Whistler Fisheries Stewardship Group, and the Whistler Naturalists.

Source of funding: Membership and sponsored events, including weekly races and rides; some funds from the Town of Whistler and discretionary grants for trail building and trail maintenance.

Staffing and operations: WORCA has one full-time employee, working part-time over the calendar year. WORCA works very closely with the Municipality of Whistler, the Whistler/Blackcomb ski areas, local citizens, and visiting cyclists. WORCA hires seasonal employees during the summer months for trail maintenance.

Signage: WORCA produces and signs singletrack; paved and gravel trails are the responsibility of the Resort Municipality of Whistler.

Organization: Resort Municipality of Whistler

Type: Government agency

Location: Whistler, British Columbia, Canada

Contact: Keith Bennett, General Manager, Parks and Recreation: (604) 935-8189 (P), (604) 935-8179 (F), kbennett@whistler.ca

Website: <http://www.whistler.ca/>,
http://www.whistler.ca/Community/Parks_Trails/

For detailed information, please see “Whistler Trail Standards – Environmental and Technical Trail Features,” which follows.

PEER RESOURCES IMAGES

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