

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
FOREST SERVICE**

**HUMBOLDT-TOIYABE NATIONAL FOREST
CARSON AND BRIDGEPORT RANGER DISTRICTS**

**National Forest System Trails
Pacific Crest Trail**

A. PROHIBITIONS

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited on the Pacific Crest Trail, within the Carson and Bridgeport Ranger Districts, Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest, beginning September 10, 2009 at 8:00 a.m. and continuing until rescinded.

1. Using any type of bicycle, tricycle, or unicycle.
[36 CFR 261.55(b)]

B. EXEMPTIONS

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(e), the following is exempt from this order.

1. Persons with a permit specifically exempting them from the effect of this Order.
2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of a organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.

C. AREA DESCRIBED

The Pacific Crest Trail, as show on Exhibit A, Map, within the boundaries of the Carson and Bridgeport Ranger Districts, Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest.

D. PURPOSE

The purpose of this order is to comply with the intent of Congress with the National Trails System Act and subsequent regulations designed to protect the experience of the primary users. The Code of Federal Regulations (36 CRF 212) directs that "The Pacific Crest National Scenic Trail as defined by the National Trails Systems Act, 82 Stat. 919, shall be administered primarily as a footpath and horseback riding trail."

E. IMPLEMENTATION

1. This Special Order implementing vehicle restrictions is effective at 8:00 A.M. on September 10, 2009, and shall remain in effect until rescinded.

Exhibit A; Map, is attatched and incorporated into this ORDER.

Violation of these prohibitions is punishable as a class B misdemeanor, by a fine of not more than \$5000.00 for an individual or \$10,000.00 for an organization and/or imprisonment of not more than 6 months [Title 16 USC 551, Title 18 USC 3571(b)(6), Title 18 USC 3 581 (b)(7)].

Signed this 8th day of September, 2009, at Sparks, Nevada.

/s/ Jerry Ingersoll (for)

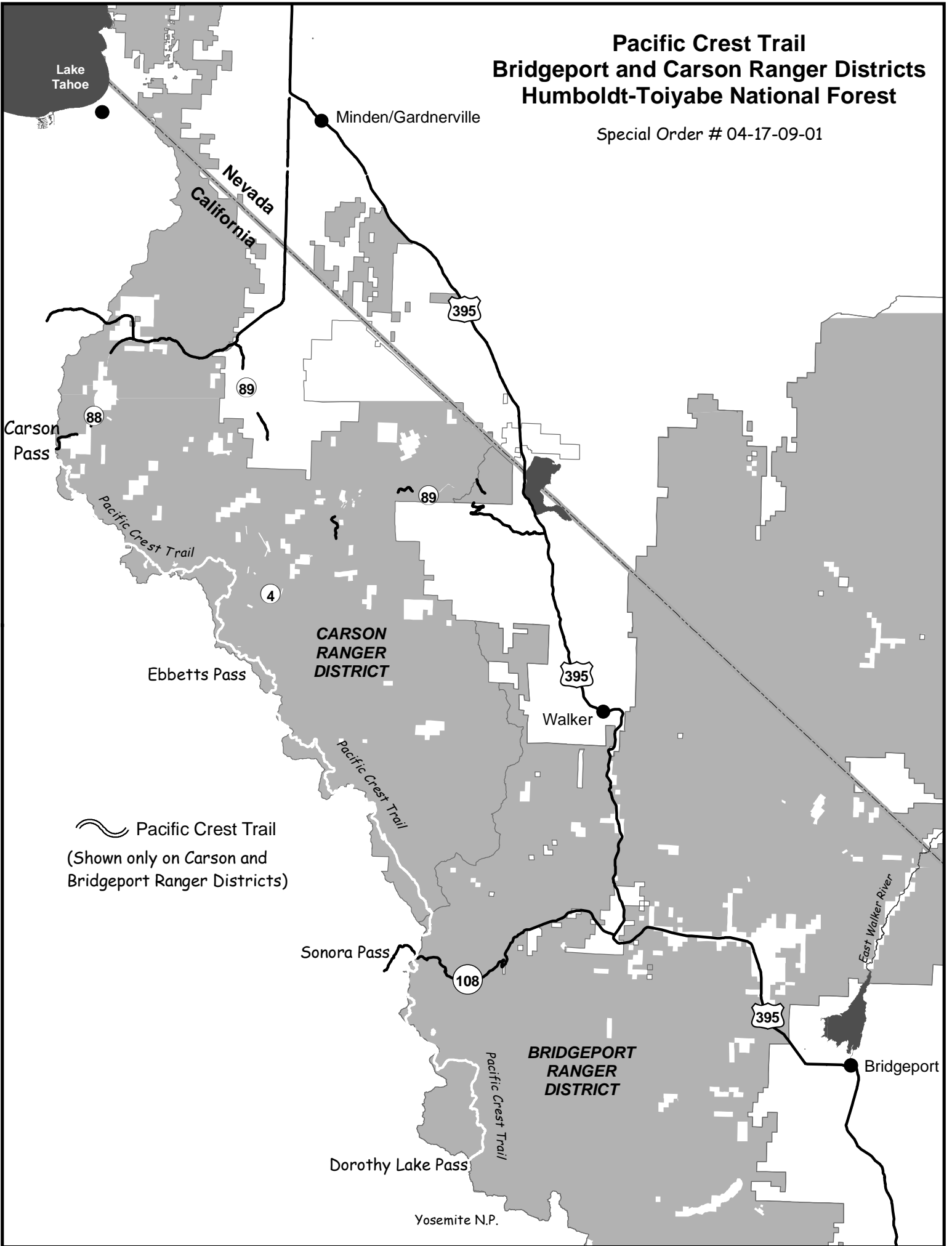
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Pacific Crest Trail Bridgeport and Carson Ranger Districts Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest

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 Pacific Crest Trail
(Shown only on Carson and Bridgeport Ranger Districts)

EXHIBIT B

DEFINITIONS

**National Forest System Trails
Pacific Crest Trail**

AREA: Means a discrete, specifically delineated space that is smaller, and in most cases much smaller, than a Ranger District.

NATIONAL FOREST SYSTEM TRAIL: A Forest trail other than a trail which has been authorized by a legally documented right-of-way held by a State, county, or other local public road authority.

PERMIT: Means authorization in writing by a forest officer.

VEHICLE: means any device in, upon, or by which any person or property is or may be transported, including any frame, chassis, or body of any motor vehicle, except devices used exclusively upon stationary rails or tracks.

For further definitions or clarification of definitions, refer to Title 36 Code of Federal Regulations 261.2.