Southwestern Riverside **County Multi-Species** Reserve

Surrounding Diamond Valley

Lake and Lake Skinner, four miles to the south, you'll find more than 13,500 acres of open space forming the Southwestern Riverside County Multi-Species Reserve. The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California helped create the state's first agreement for multi-species protection in 1992, showing that progress need not be at the expense of the environment. The reserve is home to at least 31 sensitive, endangered or threatened California bird, animal and plant species.

West Trailhead Entrance

Open Thursday - Sunday 8:30 am-4 pm



Coordinates 33.69007223330136, -117.0713043467944









Great Egret



Painted Lady Underwing

Diamond Valley Lake North Hills Trail

The 5.9-mile North Hills Trail

offers views of the reserve and surrounding vistas, linking existing and planned trail networks that minimize environmental impacts. The trail connects two 5-acre trailheads at the northwest and northeast ends of the lake. The west trailhead offers a picnic area and 50 large parking spaces for vehicles and horse trailers, as well as overflow parking. Water for horses is available at the west trailhead.





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Trail Rules

Southwestern Riverside **County Multi-Species Reserve Restrictions**

- Fire zone-No smoking
- Firearms prohibited
- Pets prohibited on trail and at lake
- Do not disturb or remove plants or animals
- No littering

Trail Hours*

- Wednesday Sunday 1/2 hour after sunrise to 1/2 hour before sunset or as posted.
- Trail subject to closure.
- Average equestrian time trailhead to trailhead is 2 hours; average hiking time is 3 hours. Please plan your trip accordingly.
- Searl Parkway entrance gates close nightly. Please exit the premises when trails close.

Trail Guidelines

- Warning difficult trail
- Steep segments with loose footing
- Use designated trail and access points only
- Please act responsibly and safely
- Hike or horseback ride at your own risk
- Lake access prohibited from trail
- No biking
- Multi-species reserve; please stay on the trail

Bald Eagle

*Trailhead hours are for vehicle access, trail hours are for hikers.



North Hills Trail Map



The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California



Diamond Valley Lake~



East Trailhead Entrance

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Open Wednesday - Sunday 1/2 Hour before Sunrise - 1/2 Hour **before Sunset**

Coordinates: 33.709023428146. -116.9928150699209

To report illegal activity

please call: Metropolitan's Security Watch Center: (800) 555-5911

In case of an emergency please call 911

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