



Project Restore

Restoring natural habitat by removing environmentally damaging trails

Making Habitats Whole Again

In 2009, "Project Restore" was launched to restore natural habitats and improve visitor safety. It achieves these goals by removing unofficial trails that have a number of adverse impacts on the watershed.

2017 Project Goals

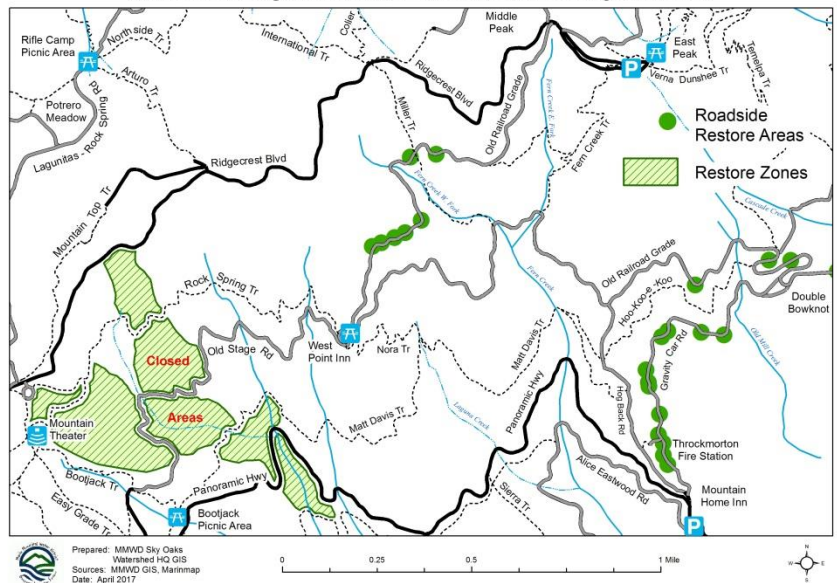
This phase of "Project Restore" will target the area in the map below. The main objectives are to: 1) Decommission 1.7 miles of non-system trails through habitat restoration areas, 2) Better define trailhead wayfinding for official trail routes on the south side of Mt. Tamalpais, 3) Repair roadside habitat along Railroad Grade and Gravity Car Road, and 4) Minimize erosion.

You can help by respecting the closures so the restored areas will be able to flourish. Please make use of the 150 miles of roads and trails on the Watershed designated and maintained for your use.

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Project Restore - Mt. Tamalpais Watershed
per the Mt. Tamalpais Watershed Road and Trail Management Plan



Why Unofficial Trails Are Harmful

The Mount Tamalpais Road and Trail Plan identified over 50 miles of unofficial trails on Watershed lands. These trails are undesirable for many reasons including: disturbing sensitive plant and animal species, fragmenting habitats, increasing erosion and increasing the likelihood of visitors getting lost.