

Safety & Trail Etiquette

WATER can be found at Del Cerro Park. There are no restrooms on the trails.

BE AWARE of the potential and inherent dangers that exist in any wilderness setting. Watch for and avoid rattlesnakes, poison oak, stinging nettle and scorpions.

DOGS must be on leash at all times as required by City of RPV Municipal Code Section 12.16.050. Please remove dog waste and pack out all litter.

FIRE AND SMOKING are not permitted in the Preserve due to the potential for serious fire damage.

NATURAL FEATURES are protected in the Preserve and are to be admired, but not removed.

FIREARMS are not permitted on the Preserve. City of RPV Municipal Code Section 9.08.010.

BICYCLES AND HORSES are allowed in the Preserve only on designated trails.

TRAVEL ON DESIGNATED TRAILS

It doesn't take much off-trail activity to beat down sensitive vegetation whether you are on horse, foot or bicycle. You can help balance preservation with recreation by staying on designated trails as shown on the trail map. Bicyclists must yield to foot and equestrian traffic.

TRAIL CLOSURES will be in effect during and following significant rainfall to protect trails. Closures may also go into effect at various times for habitat protection and erosion prevention when deemed appropriate. Please respect any signs regarding these closures.

TRAIL MODIFICATIONS of any kind are not permitted in the Preserve. This includes construction of jumps, wooden ladders, earthen mounds, formation of berms and brush clearing.

How You Can Help

If you would like to donate, participate in trail work or other volunteer projects, join a nature walk or become a member, please visit the PVPLC website at: WWW.PVPLC.ORG or call (310) 541-7613.



The 191-acre property acquired December 31, 2009, capped a 21-year effort to preserve 900 contiguous acres of protected open space and create a wildlife corridor by linking the Three Sisters and Portuguese Bend Reserves. The Conservancy and the City of Rancho Palos Verdes brought together \$6.5 million in resources from State Coastal Conservancy and more than 700 local donors to complete the acquisition of this essential piece of land.



INFORMATION

IN EMERGENCY: Dial 911

Crimes should be reported to the Lomita Sheriff at (310) 539-1661.

Infringements of Preserve rules or regulations should be reported to RPV City Park Rangers at (310) 491-5775.

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FILIORUM RESERVE
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No one is permitted in the preserve after dark except by permit



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TRAILS

Palos Verdes Nature Preserve FILIORUM RESERVE

Located between the popular Portuguese Bend Reserve and the smaller Three Sisters, Filiorum Reserve features deep canyons, steep hills and great ocean views. There are a variety of trails that go through the park, so many routes are possible. The McBride Trail, along the upper crest of this reserve, is a nice easy trail that extends along the ocean side of the homes on Ocean Terrace Drive in Rancho Palos Verdes. From this trail there are magnificent views of the ocean and Catalina Island, as well as a close-up look at the Peninsula's characteristic geology.

If you're feeling a little more adventurous or want a longer more strenuous hike, you can take one of the other trails that connect to the neighboring reserves. Access Filiorum Reserve from McBride Trail located at the end of Ocean Terrace Drive, south of Highridge Road. Parking is available on city and residential streets.

