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ELEVATION ABOVE SEA LEVEL

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TRAILHEAD ADDRESSES

Gateway - 18333 N. Thompson Pk. Pkwy
Lost Dog Wash - 1801 N. 124th St.
Quarry - 10215 E. McDowell Mi. Ranch Rd.
Regional - 12300 N. McDowell Blvd.
Sunrise - 12101 N. 145th Way
Terras Thumble - 20013 N. 128th St.
WestWorld - 15835 N. 98th St.

MARICOPA TRAIL

The Maricopa Trail is a 315 mile long trail that loops the Phoenix metro area and links nine of Maricopa County’s Regional Parks. In this area of the Preserve, various Preserve trails carry the Maricopa Trail designation (** * ). For more information visit Maricopa.gov/parks/MaricopaTrail

For additional information about the trails, scenic points, emergency markers, etc., please go to: www.ScottsdaleAZ.gov and search for “Preserve” or call 480-312-7013.

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**TRAILHEAD ETIQUETTE**

- Be considerate of other trail users - we are all here for the same reason.
- Downhill traffic should yield to uphill traffic.
- All trail users should yield to horses. Avoid sudden moves or loud noises which could startle them.
- Bicyclists and trail runners should yield to all other users. Slow down and alert other users when approaching from the rear.
- Bicyclists should consider using a bell or similar device.
- Always travel at safe speeds.
- Do not use trails when wet or muddy.
- Sound travels far in the desert environment, so please speak quietly.

**DOGS IN THE PRESERVE**

**RULES**

- Dogs must be on a hand-held leash no greater than 6 feet at all times.
- Dog waste must be picked up immediately and disposed of in a trash container. DO NOT leave bagged waste along the trail.

**SAFETY**

- The desert can KILL YOUR DOG, and you could be charged with animal cruelty under A.R.S. 13-2310. Dog waste is not allowed here and can be overtaken by the heat. Once your dog shows signs of heat stress, it is often too late.

- Carry plenty of water for you and your dog.

**Warning signs of heat stress**

- Heavy panting
- Light, red or thickscale
- Condition worsens if dog vomits, becomes unsteady, lethargic or unwilling to move.
- Advanced heat stroke signs include lip/membrane become blue/lavender, rigid on-set collapse, unconsciousness and DEATH.

**What to do**

- Remove the dog from the heat and cool the dog’s body with water.
- If the dog is conscious, give access to cool drinking water.
- Get to a veterinarian immediately.

**WE NEED YOUR HELP**

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- Loose or Roaming Horses/Livestock
- Dogs Off Leash
- Vandals or Cutting of Fences

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- Brown’s Ranch Trailhead 33060 N. Airport Rd, Scottsdale, AZ 85262
- Fraesfield Trailhead 12001 N. 128th St, Scottsdale, AZ 85262
- Pima Dynamite Trailhead 28777 N Pima Rd, Scottsdale, AZ 85262
- Granite Mountain Trailhead 3301 E. 124th St, Scottsdale, AZ 85255
- Gateway Trailhead 18300 E. Thompson Peak Pkwy, Scottsdale, AZ 85255
- Lost Dog Wash Trailhead 12001 N. 128th St, Scottsdale, AZ 85259
- Sunrise Trailhead 12001 N. 124th St Scottsdale, AZ 85259

**TRAIL GUIDE**

- Non-Emergency Number 480-312-5000

**GROUPS**

- Bikes
- Motor Vehicles
- Horses/Livestock
- Dog: On leash & in control

**MINIMUM distance**

- 100 feet

**VEHICLE SPEED LIMIT**

- 5 MPH

**WEAR PROPER CLOTHING**

- Long-sleeved and long pants
- Sunscreen
- A hat

**USE THIS MAP TO PLAN A SAFE OUTING IN THE PRESERVE**

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**REDUCE YOUR RISK OF NEEDING RESCUE**

The Preserve is a remote area with potential for extreme conditions. Emergency response can take some time. You are responsible for your own safety.

- Bring ample water for you and your dog. When your water is half gone, turn around.
- Start drinking water before you arrive so your body is re-hydrated.
- Bring a fully charged cell phone.
- Know your abilities and health limitations. Don’t take on more than you can safely accomplish.
- Check the hourly weather forecast. Temperatures can climb dramatically after a relatively cool morning. Be active in the cooler parts of the day and leave your dog at home when it is over 90°F.
- Shade is very limited in the Preserve, so wear sunscreen and dress appropriately with a hat and light colored breathable clothing that covers your body.
- Wear sturdy footwear with a good tread.
- Pay attention to the emergency markers so you can reference them in case of an emergency.
- Know your trail route and where you started. Take note of the trailhead address on this map in case of an emergency.
- Tell a friend or family member where you are going and when you plan to return.
- Leave your valuables at home.

**GENERAL RULES**

- The Preserve is open from sunrise to sunset.
- Stay on designated and posted trails.
- No smoking, fireworks or open flame.
- No motor vehicles including electric bikes.
- Dogs must be on a leash (no longer than 6 feet) at all times and owners must immediately pickup and deposit waste in a trash receptacle.
- Take off and landing of drones is prohibited.
- Do not disturb wildlife or alter, deface, place or remove any materials, including rocks, animals or vegetation, alive or dead.
- No alcohol or glass containers.

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