



## Central Valley District

### Calaveras Big Trees State Park

#### **Superintendent's Posted Order 732-001-01-12-17**

#### Prohibited access to North Grove at Calaveras Big Trees State Park

1. Calaveras Big Trees State Park has experienced five years of drought followed by severe winter storms resulting in significant damage to the North Grove Trail. Damage includes downed trees, broken boardwalks, flooding, and uneven trail surfaces.
2. California Public Resources Code section 5003 states the department may establish rules and regulations not inconsistent with law for the government and administration of the property under its jurisdiction.
3. Effective immediately and through June 1 2017, sections of the North Grove Trail will be closed to public access. Signs will be posted in the closed areas of the trail.
4. The following exceptions apply to this order:
  - a. Department employees, or its contractors, while in the performance of their official responsibilities such as resource management or other authorized work.
  - b. Additional exceptions to this order may only be granted in writing by the District Superintendent or his/her designee: Central Valley District 22708 Broadway Road, Columbia, CA, 95310-9400.
  - c. Nothing herein shall affect any private contract or property rights
  - d. Nothing herein shall be construed in derogation of other provisions of law.

*Authority:*

*California Public Resources Code, Section 5003*

*California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 4300, 4326*

## DECLARATION OF POSTING


Superintendent's Posted Order

January 12, 2017

I hereby declare that on January 12, 2017, the Superintendent's Posted Order prohibiting access to closed portions of the North Grove Trail at Calaveras Big Trees State Park, hereto attached, were posted at offices of those districts and parks which were determined necessary by the District Superintendent of the Central Valley District, pursuant to the California Code of Regulations, Title 14 4301 (i),

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct

Signed

  
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Jess Cooper  
District Superintendent  
Central Valley District

Date Posted January 12, 2017