



**Puente Hills
Habitat Preservation Authority**

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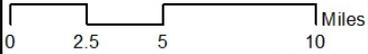
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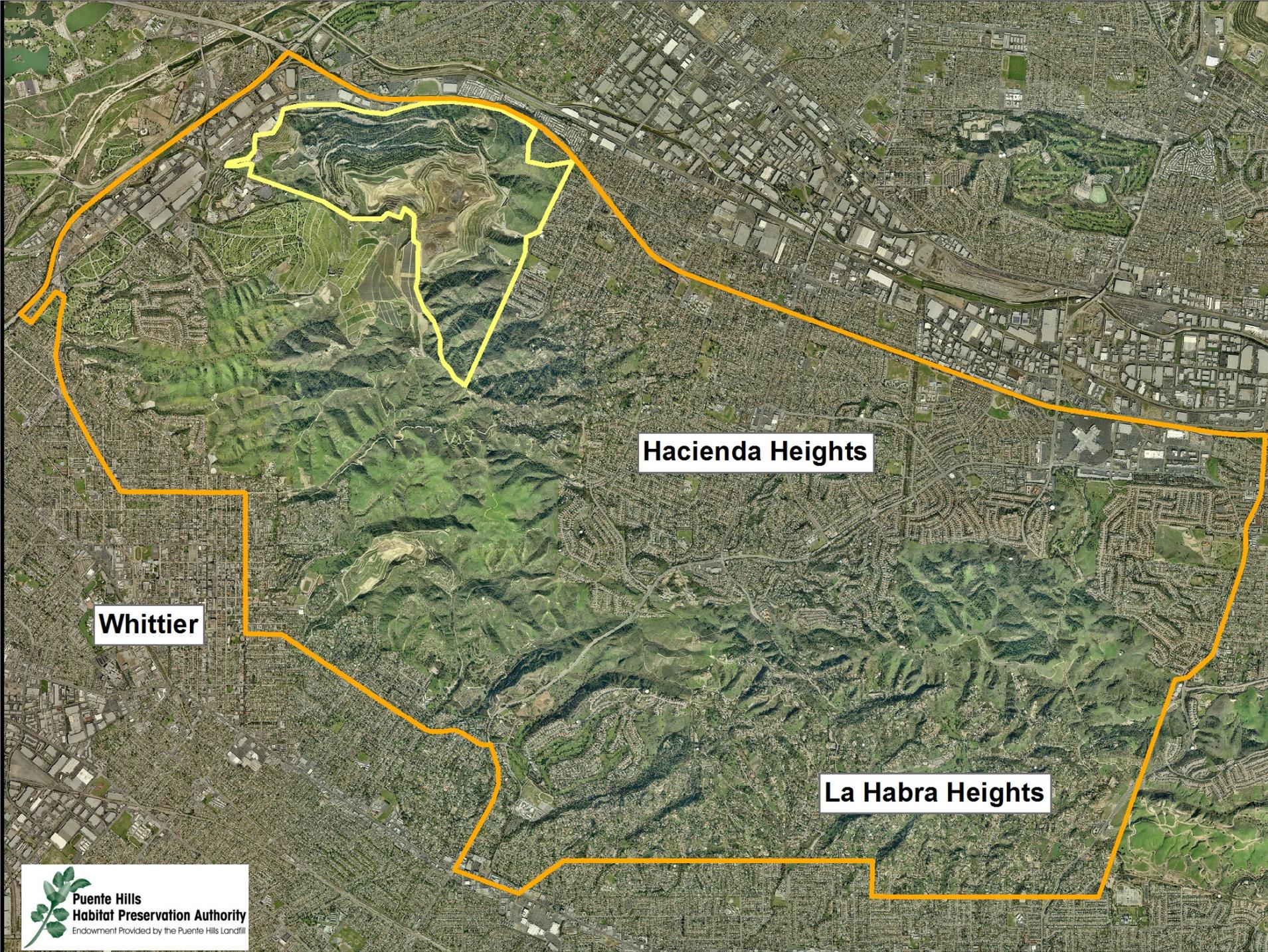


Woodland Hills



Puente Hills Preserve





Whittier

Hacienda Heights

La Habra Heights

Habitat Authority



- Joint Powers Authority: A government agency made up of 3 separate agencies. Board of Directors: Whittier City, LA County, Sanitation Districts, and Hacienda Heights Improvement Association.
- Mission: Dedicated to the **acquisition, restoration** and **management** of open space in the Puente Hills for preservation of the land in perpetuity, with the primary purpose to protect the biological diversity. Additionally, the agency will endeavor to provide opportunities for outdoor **education** and low-impact **recreation**.
- Created in 1994 as mitigation for the expansion of the Puente Hills Landfill.

-  Boundary of the Authority
-  Managed by the Authority
-  Owned by the Authority

Preserve = Over 3,860 acres

Habitat Authority	1,886 ac
Whittier City	1,756 ac
Sanitation Districts	225 ac
(County of LA)	6 ac

Hacienda Heights

Whittier

La Habra Heights

Habitat Authority

- Acquisition
- Management
- Ecological Services
- Outdoor Education
- Recreation





Partnerships

- Habitat Authority manages Board Member properties
- County is Treasurer & Controller
- City handles Personnel Services
- Sanitation Districts assists with finances and various projects
- MRCA, NPS, RMC, State Parks, Discovery Center, WCCA, WPHCA, HOSEC, etc.

Harbor Blvd. Wildlife Underpass



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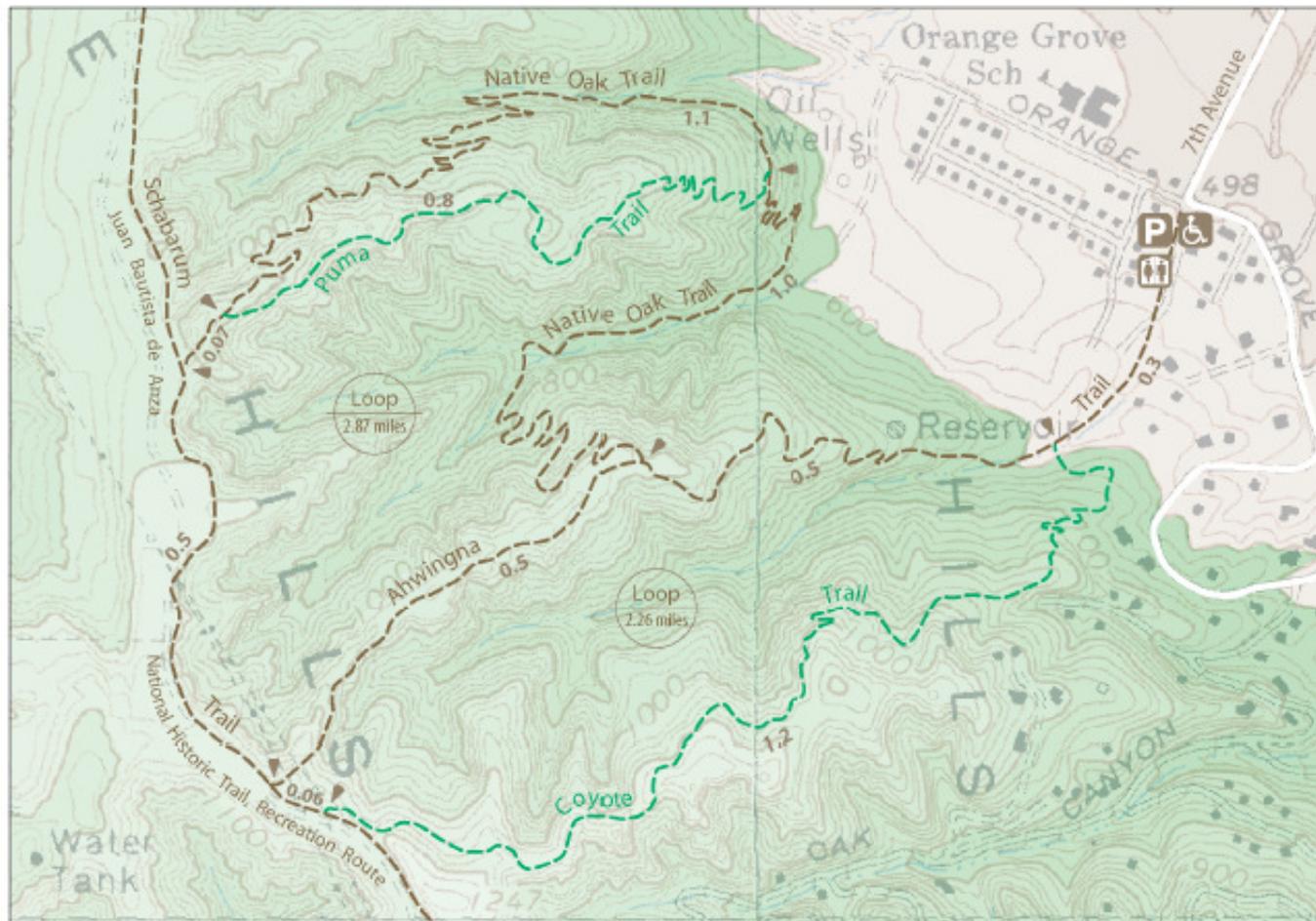
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400 0 400 800 Feet



Hacienda Hills Trailhead

Trail Legend

- Hiking only trail
- Multiple purpose recreation trail
- Bicycling
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Parking
- Pets on leash
- Restrooms
- Wheelchair-accessible

▼ 0.5 ▼ Length of individual trail segments (miles)

Motorized vehicles are prohibited from all trails, except those operated by public utility and emergency services personnel.

Native Oak Trail
(Schabarum Feeder Trail)
Trail length: 2.1 miles
Elevation gain: 540 feet



Puma Trail
Trail length: 0.77 miles
Elevation gain: 420 feet



Ahwingna Trail
(Schabarum Feeder Trail)
Trail length: 1.3 miles
Elevation gain: 660 feet



Coyote Trail
Trail length: 1.35 miles
Elevation gain: 570 feet

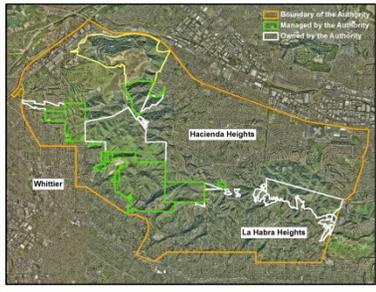


Schabarum ("Skyline") Trail
(Juan Bautista de Anza National Historic Trail, Recreation Route)

Segment length between Coyote Trail and Native Oak Trail: 0.56 miles
Elevation gain: 40 feet



Loop from parking area to Native Oak, Schabarum and Coyote Trails and return, is 4.93 miles.



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