April 21, 2023

Hello park supporters,

The Briones Pilot Project begins today Friday, April 21, 2023! This two year pilot program is intended to test a variety of trail management strategies in an approximately 1,600 acre zone on Briones Regional Park's northeast side. A Press Release about the launch of the Briones Pilot Project went out to all major news organizations and various multicultural media in Contra Costa and Alameda counties.
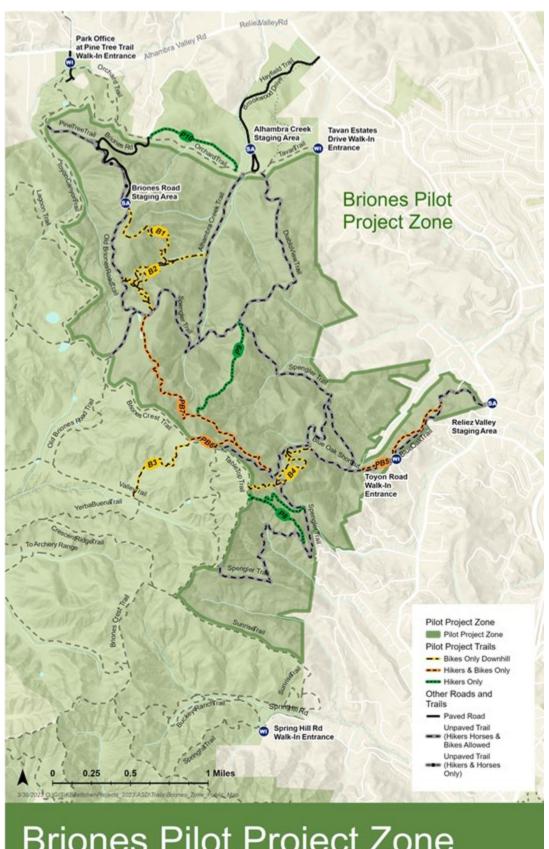
The biggest changes that park visitors may notice is that there are user restrictions on weekends: bikes are allowed in the pilot zone on odd weekend dates and horses are allowed on even weekend dates. Hikers are not affected as they are allowed to be in the zone 7 days a week. All users are allowed in the zone Monday – Friday, including weekday holidays (e.g., Memorial Day, Labor Day).

During this weekend for example, hikers and equestrians will be allowed on designated trails in the Briones Pilot Zone on Saturday, April 22 and hikers and bikers will be allowed on designated trails in the Briones Pilot Zone on Sunday, April 23.

While the Park District will be educating users and enforcing the new Pilot Zone rules, it is imperative that we all abide by the new rules to ensure a successful program and reduce any potential trail use conflicts and protect wildlife habitat.

Please visit the project webpage at www.ebparks.org/briones-pilot-project for more information.

Park Office
at Pine Tree Trail
Walk-In Entrance

WI

Orchard Trail

Relie ValleyRd

Alhambra Valley Rd

Hayfield Trail

Brookwood Drive

Alhambra Creek
Staging Area

SA

Tavan Estates
Drive Walk-In
Entrance

WI

PineTreeTrail

Briones Rd

P10

Orchard Trail

TavanTrail

Briones Pilot
Project Zone

Toyon Canyon Trail

Lagoon Trail

Briones Road
Staging Area

SA

Old Briones Road Trail

B1

B2

Alhambra Creek Trail

Spengler Trail

Dudley View Trail

Spengler Trail

PB9

Briones Crest Trail

PB7

Reliez Valley
Staging Area

SA

Old Briones Road Trail

PB8

B3

PB4

B4

Table Top Trail

Blue Oak Short d

PB5

Blue Oak Trail

WI

Toyon Road
Walk-In
Entrance

Valley Trail

YerbaBuena Trail

PB8

Crescent Ridge Trail

To Archery Range

Spengler Trail

Spengler Trail

Briones Crest Trail

Sunrise Trail

Sunrise Trail

Buckeye Ranch Trail

Spring Hill Rd

Spring Hill Rd
Walk-In Entrance

WI

Spring Hill Trail

Pilot Project Zone
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Pilot Project Trails
— — Bikes Only Downhill
— — Hikers & Bikes Only
• • • Hikers Only

Other Roads and Trails
—— Paved Road
Unpaved Trail
(Hikers Horses &
Bikes Allowed)
Unpaved Trail
(Hikers & Horses
Only)

0   0.25   0.5   1 Miles

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Briones Pilot Project Zone

BIKES | **HORSES** | **HIKERS**

	BIKES	HORSES	HIKERS
WEEKDAYS (M-F)	STAY ON BIKE DESIGNATED TRAILS	STAY ON HORSE DESIGNATED TRAILS	OPEN EVERY DAY
ODD NUMBERED WEEKEND DATES	STAY ON BIKE DESIGNATED TRAILS	NO HORSES IN ZONE	
EVEN NUMBERED WEEKEND DATES	NO BIKES IN ZONE	STAY ON HORSE DESIGNATED TRAILS	

HIKERS

OPEN EVERY DAY

FOR YOUR SAFETY NEVER USE BIKE-ONLY TRAILS (B1 - B4) MARKED IN YELLOW ON MAP

STAY ON HIKING DESIGNATED TRAILS

NO ODD/EVEN DATE RESTRICTIONS

EXAMPLE:

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
			1	2	3 🚲	4 🐎
5	6	7	8	9	10 🐎	11 🚲
12	13	14	15	16	17 🚲	18 🐎
19	20	21	22	23	24 🐎	25 🚲
26	27	28	29	30		

EAST BAY REGIONAL PARK DISTRICT
BRIONES PILOT PROJECT