NATIONAL WILDERNESS PRESERVATION SYSTEM

Ansel Adams Wilderness Addition
Designated March 30, 2009,
Omnibus Public Land Management Act of 2009,
Public Law 111-11

This description and the accompanying final map are based on the Congressionally approved "Map of Record" dated September 16th, 2008 for the creation of the Ansel Adams Wilderness Addition contained within the Omnibus Public Land Management Act of 2009 (Public Law No. 111-11.) This description and the accompanying final map shall govern all boundaries of the Wilderness. In the case of any conflicts found between the final map and this description, the Map of Record contained in the original legislation shall govern the resolution thereto.

All bearings for this description are true bearings. Geographic coordinates are referenced to the North American Datum of 1983: NAD 83 (2011). Elevations are mean sea level referenced to the North American Vertical Datum of 1988: NAVD 88.

This is the final legal description of the area designated in Subtitle K, Section 1802 (4) of the above mentioned Act. It describes the boundary for the Ansel Adams Wilderness Addition, located in Township 1 North, Range 25 East, Mount Diablo Meridian (M.D.M.), Mono County, California, and managed by the Inyo National Forest. The boundary is more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point identical with a point on the northwesterly boundary of the existing Ansel Adams Wilderness Area, said point on the 9,600 foot elevation line at approximate Latitude: 37°56'00.0"N, Longitude: 119°14'11.0"W, said point being the true point of beginning (P.O.B.);

Course: P.O.B.-1
thence, westerly on said 9,600 foot elevation line to point 1, the bottom of a small gulley at approximate Latitude: 37°56'01.3"N., Longitude: 119°14'33.9"W.;

Course: 1-2
thence, S. 54°30'W. to point 2, the crest of a ridge spur trending northwesterly;

Course: 2-3
thence, southeasterly on the top of said ridge to point 3, the intersection of a line of 10,020 foot elevation at approximate Latitude: 37°55'54.6"N., Longitude: 119°14'32.8"W.;

Course: 3-4
thence, southwesterly on the 10,020 foot elevation line to point 4, identical with a point on the northerly boundary of the Yosemite Wilderness Area, Yosemite National Park, also being a point on the Mono and Tuolumne County lines, at approximate Latitude: 37°54'34.6"N., Longitude: 119°15'02.6"W.;

Course: 4-5
thence, easterly on the boundary of the Yosemite Wilderness Area, Yosemite National Park, and Mono and Tuolumne County lines to point 5, the top of a prominent ridge point identical with a point on the boundary of the existing Ansel Adams Wilderness Area at approximate Latitude: 37°54'40.9"N., Longitude: 119°14'29.5"W.;

Course: 5-P.O.B.
thence, northerly on the westerly boundary of the existing Ansel Adams Wilderness Area to the point of beginning.

Containing 525 acres, more or less.

END OF DESCRIPTION

This description was compiled utilizing the Mount Dana, CA, 7.5 minute U.S.G.S. quadrangle map and U.S.F.S. GIS data files. The boundary recitations and acreage listed herein are the product of GIS data analysis and not the result of an official boundary survey.

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I hereby certify that the boundary description and map made a part of this description herewith represents the location of the boundary of the Ansel Adams Wilderness Addition on the Inyo National Forest.

NATHAN PRICE
Regional Land Surveyor
Pacific Southwest Region
USDA Forest Service

11-20-2015
Date

I hereby certify and accept the boundary description and map of the Ansel Adams Wilderness Addition on the Inyo National Forest, Pacific Southwest Region, as entered into the National Wilderness Preservation System by the Omnibus Public Land Management Act of 2009 (Public Law No. 111-11).

for RANDY MOORE
Regional Forester
Pacific Southwest Region
USDA Forest Service

12/1/15
Date