

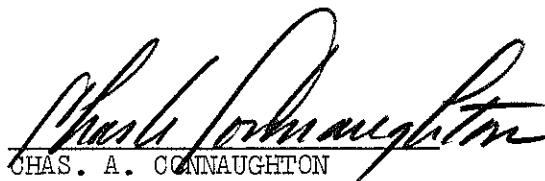
NATIONAL WILDERNESS PRESERVATION SYSTEM

HOOVER WILDERNESS

I hereby certify that the legal description  
and map herewith, represent the location of  
the boundary of the Hoover Wilderness on the  
Inyo and Toiyabe National Forests as it existed  
as of the date of the Wilderness Act.

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## HOOVER WILDERNESS

### INYO AND TOIYABE NATIONAL FORESTS

### CALIFORNIA AND INTERMOUNTAIN REGIONS

#### Boundary Description

The Hoover Wilderness is adjacent to the east boundary of the Yosemite National Park. Beginning at the summit of Excelsior Mountain elevation 12,446 ft. on the crest of Sawtooth Ridge approximately 0.45 mi. south of the Toiyabe and Inyo National Forest boundary the wilderness boundary extends in a northerly direction along the crest of Sawtooth Ridge to Camiaca Peak; thence northwesterly along the ridge to Matterhorn Peak; thence following the Sierra-Nevada crest northwesterly along Sawtooth Ridge, over Slide Mountain, Rock Island Pass, Crown Point, Buckeye Pass, and Center Mountain to Hawksbeak Peak; thence northerly following the divide between the West Walker River and Buckeye Creek drainages to the mountain top located approximately 0.5 mile west of Flatiron Butte; thence northerly following the divide between the West Walker River and Little Walker River drainages past the west side of Anna Lake, over Piute Pass, to the mountain top having elevation 10,659 ft. which is located approximately S. 83° W., 1.45 miles from Mount Emma; thence easterly along the ridge top to Mount Emma, thence approximately S. 44° E., 1.38 miles to the Little Walker River at the upper end of Willow Flat; thence approximately south 1.72 miles to the top of Hanging Valley Ridge; thence approximately S. 79° E., 1.58 miles across Molybdenite Creek to the top of Flatiron Ridge; thence southwestward following Flatiron Ridge to Ink Rocks; thence approximately S. 55° E., 3.27 miles crossing Buckeye Creek at the lower end of the Roughts to Victoria Peak; thence approximately S. 5° E., 1.62 miles to Robinson Creek at its junction with Little Slide Canyon; thence approximately S. 75° E., 1.68 miles to the junction of the forks of Blacksmith Creek; thence approximately S. 49° E., 0.9 miles to the small lake in Horse Creek Canyon which is located approximately 1.18 miles south of the west end of Upper Twin Lake; thence east approximately 1.0 mile to Cattle Creek; thence southeastward following Cattle Creek to the outlet of Glenberry Lake; thence approximately S. 87° E., 2.86 miles to the junction of the East Fork and West Fork of Green Creek; thence approximately S. 55° E., 0.79 mile to the top of Kavanaugh Ridge; thence southerly along Kavanaugh Ridge to Dunderberg Peak; thence approximately S. 20° E., 1.0 mile to the outlet of Blue Lake, thence approximately S. 2° E., 0.25 miles to the west shore of Big Virginia Lake; thence approximately S. 50° E., to the outlet of Red Lake, thence approximately S. 47° E., 0.5 mile to a prominent point on the ridge separating the Virginia Creek and Lundy Creek drainages; thence approximately S. 31° W., 1.64 miles to the junction of Burro Creek and Mill Creek in Lundy Canyon; thence southeasterly across the north summit of Tioga Crest to the inlet of Crystal Lake; thence S. 63° E. for approximately 1.40 mi. to Mount Warren; thence S. 49° E. for approximately 1.90 mi. to Lee Vining Peak; thence S. 70° W. for approximately 3.00 mi. to Gordisky Lake; thence northwesterly along Tioga Crest to the highest point above Dore Cliff; thence approximately S. 67° W. to the outlet of Hummingbird Lake; thence approximately S. 7° W. to the outlet of Greenstone Lake; thence along the south shore of Greenstone Lake and westerly along the creek between Conness Lakes

and Greenstone Lake to where the Creek intersects the boundary of the Hall Natural Area on the north-south line bisecting section 35, T. 2N., R. 24 E., M.D.M.; thence north to the north quarter corner of section 35; thence westerly along the north line of sections 35 and 34 to the Sierra Crest; thence northerly along the Sierra crest to the point of beginning at Excelsior Mountain.

The above description is as shown on the 1 inch equals--1 mile map which is attached to and made a part of this description.

Containing approximately 42,800<sup>1/</sup> acres.

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<sup>1/</sup> Gross acres in all ownerships within boundary.