





San Joaquin Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary Reserve Rules



Welcome to the IRWD San Joaquin Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary. A place of quiet enjoyment, the sanctuary contains more than 11 miles of nature trails for visitors to enjoy while hiking, bird watching and studying nature. The sanctuary is free to the public and open from dawn to dusk, seven days a week. If you're interested in learning more about the sanctuary, please call the Sea and Sage Audubon House at (949) 261-7963 or the Irvine Ranch Water District at (949) 453-5500.

Help to preserve this haven for wildlife and people by following these rules:

- Please stay on marked trails or roads at all times.
- Do not collect or disturb the wildlife, including flowers or other plant materials, animals, birds, insects, rocks or any element within the Sanctuary. Harvesting of berries is allowed along Riparian View.
- Smoking, fires, and camping are not permitted. Please carry all trash out with you, including food scraps.
- Please do not feed the wildlife.
- Boating, swimming and wading are prohibited.
- Dogs and other pets - leashed or unleashed - are not permitted on the property.
- Hunting, fishing, trapping, and firearms are prohibited.
- Please obey all trail signs.
- Do not abandon or release any wild or domestic animals. Their presence will disrupt the delicate balance of the Sanctuary's native wildlife.
- Horseback and bicycle riding is not permitted.
- Alcohol beverages are prohibited.
- Organized events are prohibited without prior approval by Irvine Ranch Water District.
- For lost and found items, contact Sea and Sage Audubon House at (949) 261-7963.

Thank you for your cooperation. Please report any violations to the Irvine Ranch Water District's Public Affairs department at (949) 453-5500.