



Sawtooth Canyon Campground, also known by its nick name “*New Jack City*,” is located approximately 3 miles west of California Highway 247 and 20 miles south of Barstow, California. In this “*Limited*” use area there

are many different recreation activities present: camping, wildlife viewing, hunting, rock climbing, and picnicking. OHV riding is prohibited in Sawtooth, this is **not** a OHV Recreational riding area. There are not open routes of travel in this campground



area. OHV vehicles must be trailered in and trailered out, there is not a staging area for them.

However, Sawtooth has 13 campsites: Four campsites are located near Boy Scout Wall, just north of the concrete pad, along with a vault toilet and kiosk. Three campsites are located on the other side of the canyon from Boy Scout Wall, these campsites are walk-in sites since they are 50 feet from the parking area. Sawtooth has a campground host-site just north-east of White Face Wall.

There are shade Ramada (1), 12 fire pits with grills, 12 barbeque grill and 12 picnic tables. Sawtooth is a primitive campground area, primarily visited by visitors in tents as well as self contained recreational vehicles RV’s and travel trailers. Campgrounds are on a first come first serve basis. No reservations are needed.

The historic name for the canyon is “Traer Agua” which means “bring water”. The popular local name derived from the resemblance between the ridge line and the outline of a saw blade. The canyon is also known as “New Jack City”. This name is the most widely used name and originates for the rock climbing community who use the area. Sawtooth Canyon is designated multiple and “Limited” vehicle use. Recreation management guidelines for “Limited” use provides lower intensity, carefully controlled activity to ensure minimal damage to soil, vegetation, wildlife, scenic values, and air quality.

SAFETY

GLASS Container *is prohibited* in the Saw tooth area.

SHOOTING OR HUNTING IS NOT ALLOWED IN THE SAWTOOTH CANYON CAMP GROUND RECREATION AREA.

Possession and/or discharge of fireworks is prohibited on BLM Managed Public Lands.

CAMPING/TRASH

Enjoy your stay!

Burning of tires, magnesium, wires, petroleum products or any other Hazardous or explosive material is prohibited.

Pack it in - Pack it out.— There is no trash collection provided Sawtooth Campground Recreation Area.

Draining of holding tanks, littering and trash dumping is prohibited. **PLEASE TAKE YOUR TRASH WITH YOU.** Thank you.

NOTE: DEEP MINE SHAFTS MAY EXIST IN THE SAWTOOTH AREA! PLEASE STAY AWAY FROM MINE SHAFTS!



DO NOT BURN WOOD PALLETS

IMPORTANT RULES AND REGULATIONS

VEHICLES

Carrying passengers is prohibited on ATVs (38506 C.V.C.).

Parental Supervision is required for children under the age of 14 years. (38504 C.V.C.).

Beginning January 1, 2013, Parental Supervision is required for children under the age of 16 years. (38600 C.V.C.)

Helmet are required on all ATVs (38505 C.V.C.).

OHVs are not to exceed 15 MPH when within 50 feet of a campsite, animals, or pedestrians (38310 C.V.C.) or faster than is safe conditions (38305 C.V.C.).

It is illegal for anyone who is under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs to operate an OHV (23152(a) C.V.C.).

It is illegal to damage or destroy archeological sites or remove artifacts.

The desert tortoise is a federally protected species. Please do not handle or disturb these animals. Look but don't Touch!

Seat belts must be worn if your vehicle is equipped with them (27315 C.V.C.).

All vehicles must be equipped with an approved muffler, or spark arrester in compliance with CA sound standards (38355, 38365 & 38366 C.V.C), and have either a street-legal license or be registered as an off-highway vehicle.

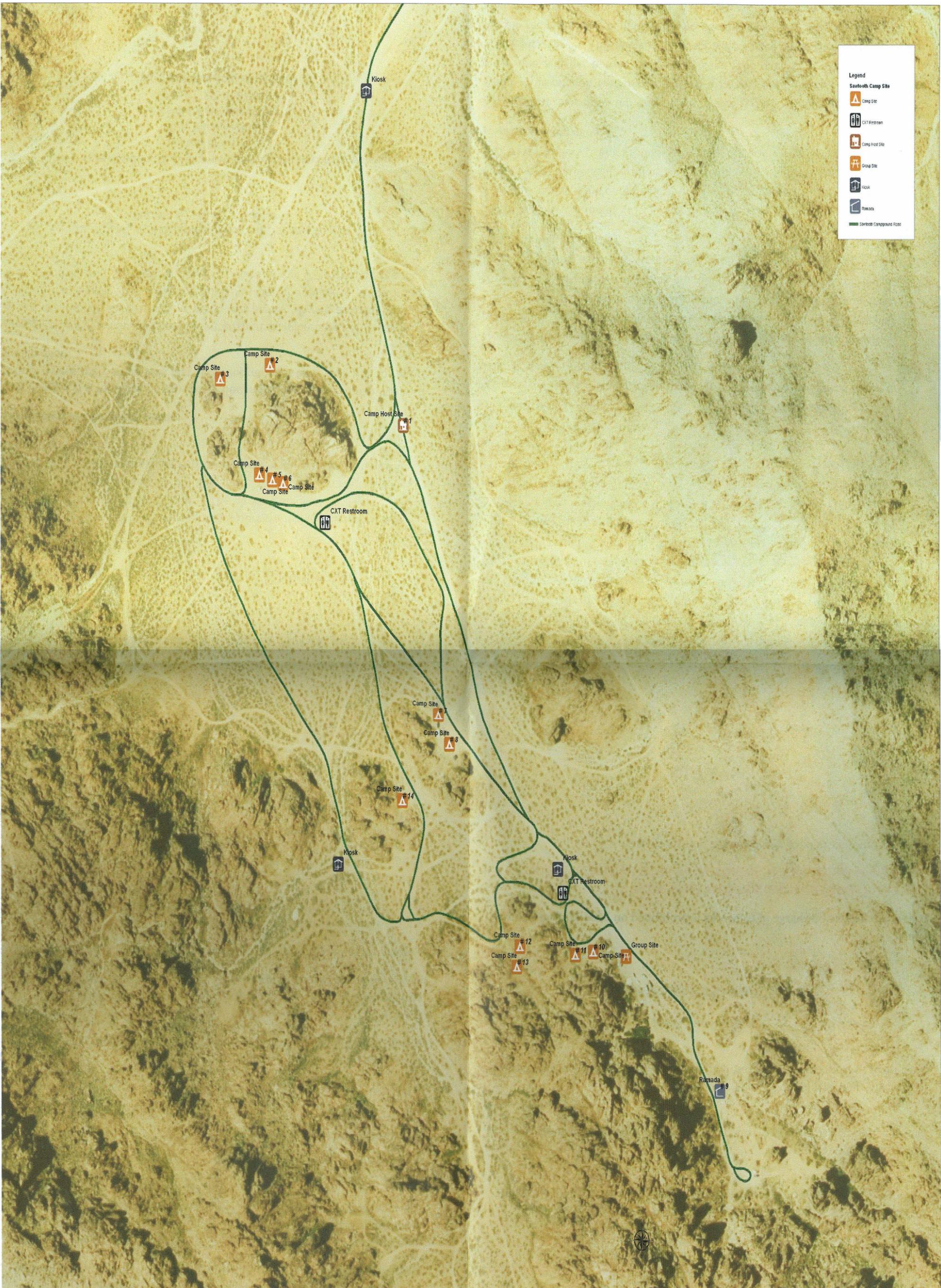
Headlights and tail lights are required when driving from one-half hour before sunset to one-half hour after sunrise (38335 & 38345 C.V.C.).

*There are NO open routes from Stoddard to the Hampton Inn, if you ride along side of the road or cross over it is illegal.

Legend

Sawtooth Camp Site

-  Camp Site
-  CXT Restroom
-  Camp Host Site
-  Group Site
-  Kiosk
-  Ramada
-  Sawtooth Campground Road



EMERGENCY SERVICES

If **Emergency Services** are required, your first response should be to **call 911**. The nearest Law Enforcement Ranger can be contacted by calling the **Federal Interagency Communication Center (FICC)** at

1-888- 233-6518 (emergency only).

Food and fuel: The nearest services are in Barstow including: search and rescue, law enforcement and towing. The nearest medical facility is Barstow Community Hospital (760) 256-1761. Be sure you have the necessities of food, water, maps, fuel, as well as some knowledge of the area before exploring.

Slow down in camp-site areas!

Lost Person: If a member of your party becomes lost, **remain calm**. Make a note of where the person was last seen and at what time. Call 911 to report the situation.

Injured Person: It is usually best not to transport an injured person away from an accident scene before medical personnel arrive. Moving a victim improperly can make an injury worse, particularly when the injury is to the head, neck, or back area. If possible, send someone or call 911 to report the incident.

**CELLULAR PHONE SERVICE IS INTERMITTENT AND NOT
RELIABLE IN SOME LOCATIONS.**

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