

## Marine Air Ground Task Force Training Command (MAGTFTC) Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center (MCAGCC) Twentynine Palms, CA





The Project Update Notices provide new information to augment public documents available on MCAGCC's Land Acquisition Study webpage.

## **Project Update Notice #24, June 2018**

## Notice of Land Use Status in Johnson Valley

- The Marine Corps has announced that the Johnson Valley Shared Use Area will remain open to the Public through the month of August 2018. The Marine Corps will be conducting training during this time; however, due to changes in the scope of training the Johnson Valley Shared Use Area will be unaffected. Training activities will be limited to Exclusive Military Use Area and installation boundaries.
- The Johnson Valley Shared Use Area will be temporarily closed to the public August 1-30, 2019 for military training. The closure period will include the time required to ensure the Shared Use Area is clear of recreation prior to training and to confirm the land is clear of hazards prior to reopening to the public. The adjacent Johnson Valley OHV Recreation Area will remain open to the public during the Shared Use Area Closure.
- o The Marine Corps will continue robust outreach to ensure the public is informed of the temporary change in land use as training approaches, is conducted, and concludes.
- The public is encouraged to call the Resource Management Group with any questions regarding the land use status at (760) 830-3737 or email smbplmsjohnsonvalley@usmc.mil

## Special Use Airspace Establishment to Support Military Training Requirements

- Marines must train as they fight. Realistic combined-arms, live-fire and maneuver training is critical to achieving mission success – and such training can only be achieved with sufficient Special Use Airspace (SUA) to utilize and coordinate aircraft, airborne and ground fires, and the operations to support these activities in the manner they would be undertaken in the combat theater
- o In the interim of establishing SUA, the Marine Corps has submitted a proposal Controlled Firing Area (CFA) to support military training requirements at MCAGCC.
- For more information on CFAs or current SUA status, pilots are encouraged to contact BEARMAT on 127.125 during their flight planning.
- Additional information about airspace at MCAGCC can be found on the airspace website at: https://www.29palms.marines.mil/Staff-Offices/Government-and-External-Affairs/Airspace/