

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

Land Acquisition/Airspace Project



Project Update Notice #32, March 2022

Update to Johnson Valley Shared Use Area Closure in Spring 2022

The Marine Corps has elected to reduce the length of the upcoming temporary closure of the Johnson Valley Shared Use Area. The area was previously scheduled for closure during the period of April 26 through May 9, 2022, and will now close beginning April 29. This decision was made after finalizing training exercise details and assessing the length of time necessary to close the area. Shortening the length of closure allows maximum public use of Johnson Valley while still meeting Marine Corps training requirements.

Military Training Schedules in Johnson Valley for 2022 and 2023

The Johnson Valley Shared Use Area will temporarily close to the public for the following periods in 2022 and 2023:

- April 29 May 9, 2022
- February 17 27, 2023
- August 25 September 4, 2023

Closure periods include the time required to ensure the Johnson Valley Shared Use Area is clear of recreation activity prior to training and to confirm the land is safe for public access before reopening. The adjacent Johnson Valley OHV Recreation Area is unaffected by closures to the Johnson Valley Shared Use Area and remains open to the public for recreation and off-roading. Recreationists are also encouraged to explore other nearby off-roading areas including Stoddard Valley OHV Area and Ocotillo Wells State Vehicle Recreation Area when the Johnson Valley Shared Use Area is closed.

For additional information, including a map of the Johnson Valley Shared Use Area, Johnson Valley Off-Highway Vehicle Recreation Area, and adjacent Combat Center boundaries, please visit: www.29palms.marines.mil/johnsonvalley/ or email the Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center at: SMBPLMSJOHNSONVALLEY@usmc.mil.

Johnson Valley Shared Use Area Email and Text Updates

Parties interested in receiving occasional updates on Johnson Valley Shared Use Area land status may request to be added to email and/or text distribution lists. Email and text updates will be limited to information on the Johnson Valley Shared Use Area. We will not disclose your email address, telephone number, name, or other personal information with any telemarketer or marketing agency.

To request to receive text message alerts or be added to our email distribution list, please email SMBPLMSJOHNSONVALLEY@USMC.MIL and provide your email and/or phone number. Text alerts are limited to 4 per month and recipients may opt-out at any time by emailing or responding to received texts.