P PARKING / STAGING

A CAMPING AREA

A SCENIC VIEW OVERLOOK

MINE

1 ROCKFACE

2 THREE STEP

3 LOG BRIDGE

4 STEEP HILL CLIMB

6 WATER FALL 6 STEEL BARRIER

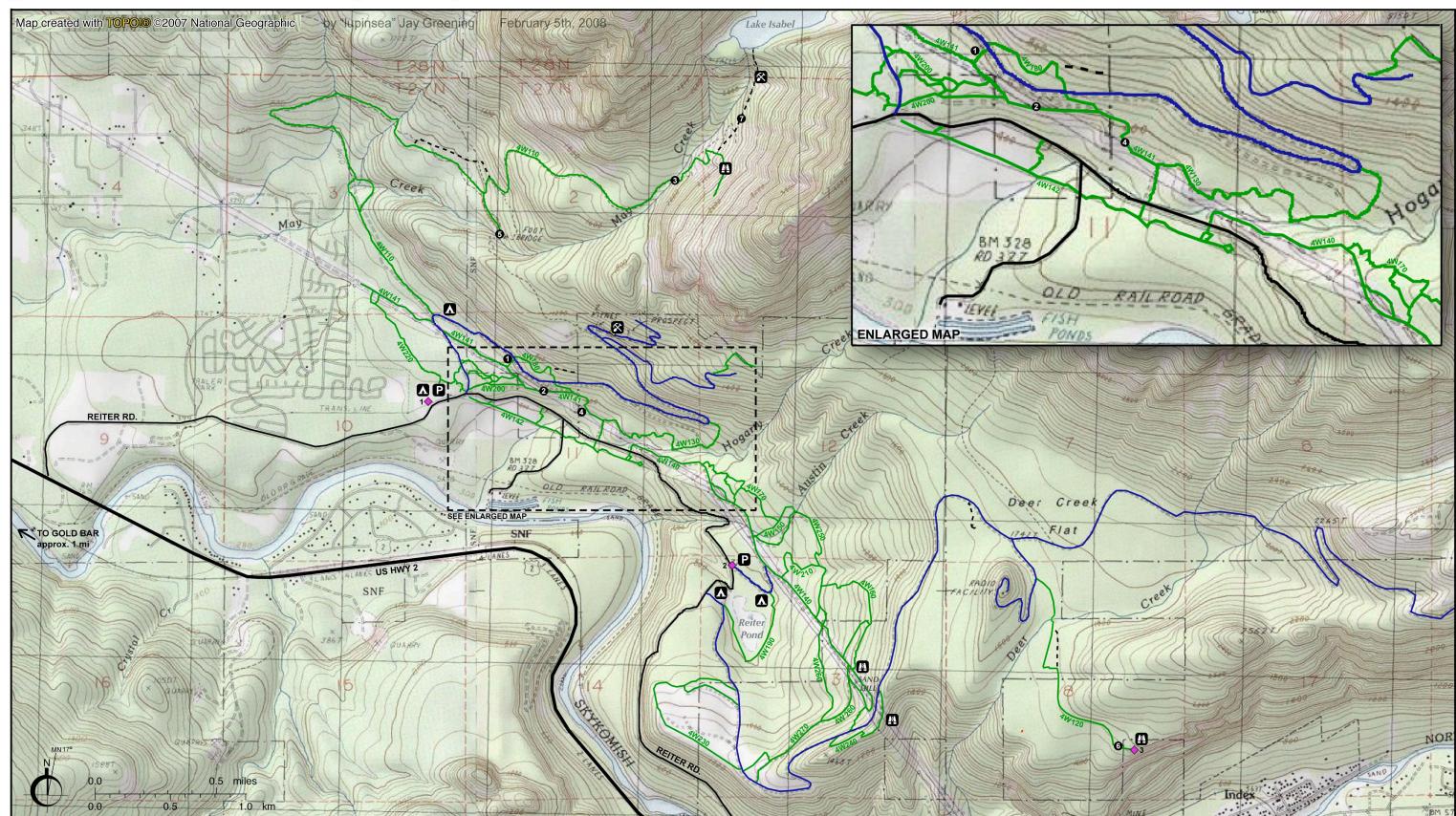
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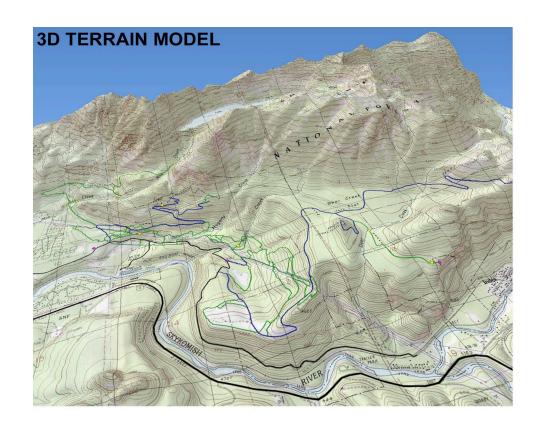
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- GRAVEL ROAD

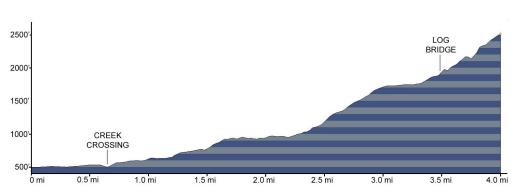
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# LK ISABEL TRAIL ELEVATION PROFILE



# **GPS WAYPOINTS**

No.	Description	Latitude	Longitude
1	Main Staging / Sign	47* 50.668' N	121* 37.835' W
2	Upper Sign	47* 50.078 N	121* 36.212' W
3	Index Wall Overlook	47* 49.416' N	121* 34.070' W

### TRAIL INDEX

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No.	Trail	Length	Difficulty		
4W110	Lake Isabel Trail	4.0 mi	Most Difficult		
4W120	Index Wall Trail	1.0 mi	More Difficult		
4W130	Sac Up	0.8 mi	More Difficult		
4W140	Powerline Trail - Upper	1.7 mi	Easy		
4W141	Powerline Trail - Lower	1.2 mi	Easy		
4W142	Powerline Trail - South	0.8 mi	Easy		
4W150	Rock Garden	0.3 mi	Most Difficult		
4W160	Cable Trail	0.4 mi	Easy		
4W170	Rhinoland Trail	0.5 mi	Most Difficult		
4W180	Freeride Trail	0.3 mi	Most Difficult		
4W190	Worm's Butt	0.6 mi	Easy		
4W200	Weed Out Trail Network	1.0 mi	Easy		
4W210	Grumpy's Trail	0.3 mi	More Difficult		
4W220	Tree Trail	0.5 mi	More Difficult		
4W230	Edge Loop Trail	0.9 mi	Easy		
4W240	Backside Trail	0.5 mi	More Difficult		
4W250	Hillside Roadgrade Trail	0.8 mi	Easy		
4W260	Woodland Roadgrade Loop	0.8 mi	Easy		
4W270	Woodland Roadgrade Spur	0.4 mi	Easy		

Total Trail Miles 16.8 mi

# REITER TRAILS OVERVIEW

Reiter Trails is located 40 minutes NE of Seattle in the foothills of the Cascade mountains. There is a wide range of trails for Jeeps, quads, and dirt bikes squeezed into an area bordered by a highway to the south and tall mountains to the north. The area stretches east and west with a major powerline route running through the middle. Trails stretch out under the power lines and climb the side of the mountains. The west end barely touches Gold Bar, WA and east end terminates at a 700+ ft tall shear granite cliff overlooking the town of Index. Trails consist of dirt roads, rock gardens, forest trails, mud pits, sandy hill climbs, rock, and river crossings. Northwest weather keep the trails very damp with large mud puddles throughout much of the year. This dampness also promotes lush, moss covered forests.

## DIRECTIONS TO REITER TRAILS

From Monroe transfer onto Hwy 2 heading east-bound and continue to the town of Gold Bar 14 miles out from Monroe.

On the eastern edge of Gold Bar, turn left onto Reiter Road and continue for approximately 0.8 miles. Bear right at the Y and continue on Reiter Road for another 1.2 miles. A guarry will be on the right, and the Reiter Trails main staging / parking area will be on the left.

## TRAIL NARATIVES

### Lake Isabel Trail

This trail follows a deteriorating gravel road bed as it climbs 2,000 feet in elevation. The first segment consists of a series of large puddles as it approaches May Creek. Once across the creek Lake Isabel Trail twists and turns through the lower maple forest until it reaches a switchback at a rock wall climb. Midway up the trail is a fork. The main route continues to the left while a side spur heads toward a waterfall and foot bridge. Beyond this point the trail becomes more rocky and climbs over several rock outcroppings until it reaches a log bridge. Past the brige much of the road bed is washed out and forward travel is over large rounded rocks and small boulders. Toward the

end of the trail a faint foot path leads on a 45 minute hike to Lake Isabel.

#### **Index Wall Trail**

Deep water marks this trail before it ends in a 5 min hike to Index Wall and a commanding view of the Cascades overlooking the town of Index 1200 ft below. The trail enters the woods and immediately submerges under a series of long, deep puddles. After it crosses Deer Creek at the abandoned bridge, the trail splits in a Y. The left route leads to even deeper water. The right follows a submerged gravel road before it cuts left through the trees to meet up with the main route. Generally, the right path is the easier path.

#### **Powerline Trail**

This trail forms the backbone to the Reiter Trail system. It stretches under the powerlines in three main segments, the upper and lower main line and a souther segment. While not particularly difficult it offers plenty of opportunities to play as well as transit to other trails. At the eastern end is Sand Hill.

### **Rock Garden Trail**

Set under the baughs of tall evergreens, the rocks in this garden are covered in slimey mud and moss. Slick logs strewn about the field also prove challenging. This most difficult trail should not be taken lightly.

### **Rhinoland Trail**

Starting from the eastern end of the Upper Powerline trail, Rhinoland is a very intense trail that meanders through the mossy forest. It terminates at the midpoint of the Rock Garden trail. The eastern half is very challenging.

#### Sac Up

Another lowland forest trail moderate in its difficulty that winds in and out of the trees at the edge of the Lower Powerline trail.

# **Grumpy's Trail**

Moderately difficult, this slick mud trail twists and turns under a dark evergreen canopy. Look for it behind the twin power towers on the north edge of the Upper Powerline.

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