

contour interval 20 ft

accessible trail

**— — —** dirt road

——— paved road

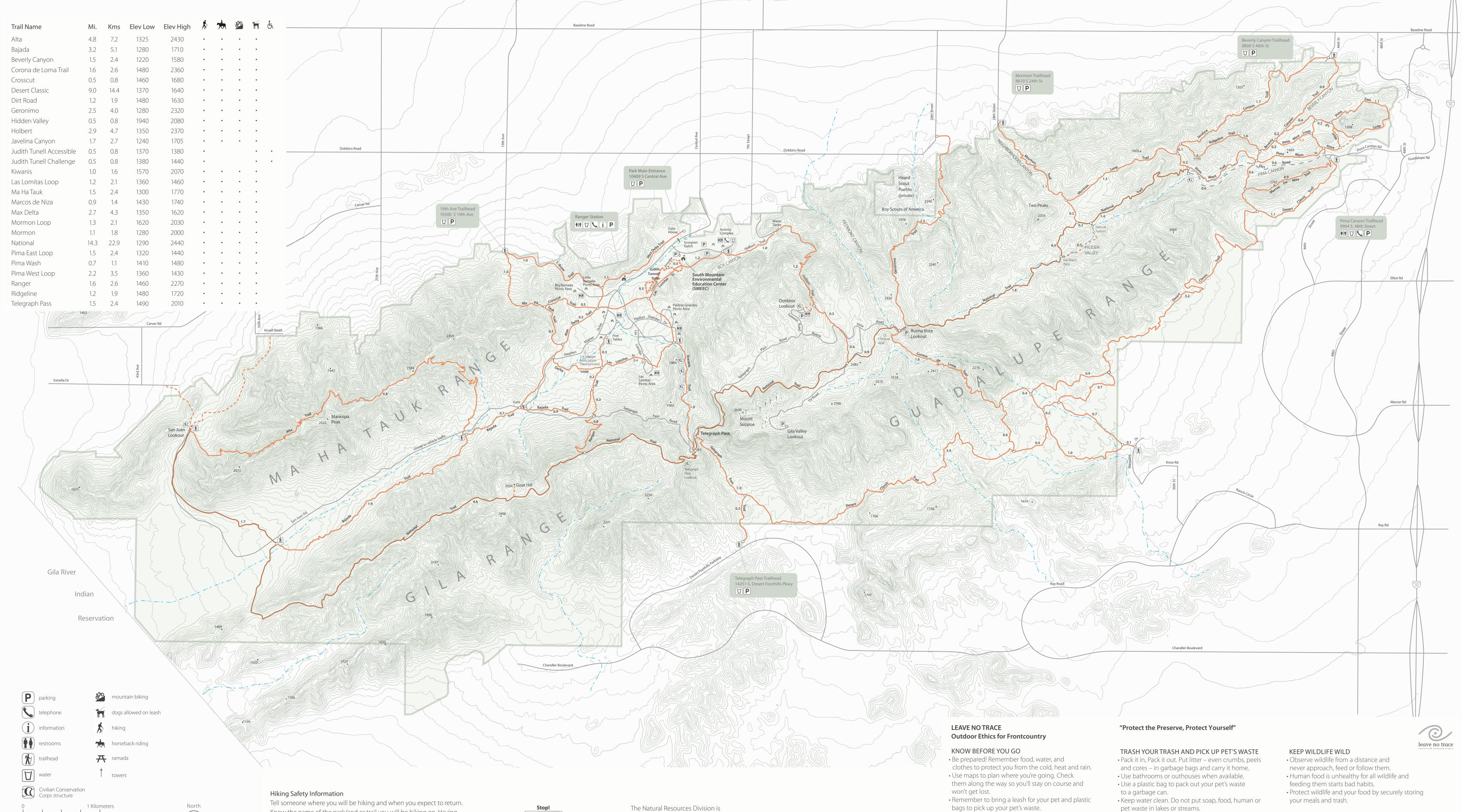
designated trail

---- undesignated trail

---- fenced restricted area

National Trail – also a segment of the Maricopa County Sun Circle Trail

## SOUTH MOUNTAIN PARK/PRESERVE



Know the name of the park/and or trail you will be hiking on. Having

a trail map is recommended. Know where you are going and know what kind of terrain you will be hiking on. It is important to remember that the Phoenix mountain preserves are open, undeveloped desert areas. Hikers can encounter rock terrain, rattlesnakes and other potential hazards native to the Sonoran Desert.

Bring plenty of water (one quart for short hikes-more for longer hikes). Wear appropriate footwear, preferably hiking boots.

Wear light-colored, comfortable clothing.

Bring a hat, sunblock, basic first aid supplies, and cell phone.



dedicated to preserving, protecting and sustaining cultural and natural resources and providing quality educational and recreational opportunities.

For additional information on: trails, environmental centers, desert parks and preserves, and programs we provide each year, please visit: phoenix.gov/parks/hikemain.html

## Important Numbers Crimestop 602.262.6151

Emergency 911 Animal Care & Control 602.506.PETS South Zone Park Rangers Office 602.262.7393 South Mountain Environmental Education Center 602.534.6324

bags to pick up your pet's waste. Learn about the areas you plan to visit.

## Let someone know where you're going.

Carry a cell phone for emergencies.

STICK TO TRAILS Walk and ride on designated trails to protect trailside plants.

• Do not step on flowers or small trees. Once

BE CAREFUL WITH FIRE damaged, they may not grow back. • Smoke only in an enclosed vehicle. Respect private property by staying on Fires limited to designated areas. designated trails.

LEAVE IT AS YOU FIND IT

them so others can enjoy them.

Leave plants, rocks and historical items as you find

• Treat living and dead plants with respect. Carving,

hacking or peeling plants may kill them.

## SHARE OUR TRAILS AND MANAGE YOUR PET

• Be considerate when passing others on the trail. • Keep your pet on a maximum six-foot leash to protect it, other visitors and wildlife. • Listen to nature. Avoid making loud noises or yelling. You will see more wildlife if you are quiet. • Be sure the fun you have outdoors does not bother anyone else.

For more information on Leave No Trace, please visit www.LNT.org or call 1.800.332.4100