California Coastal Zone Beach Restrictions due to COVID-19

From North to South by County

This is a list of beach access restrictions and closures that will be updated regularly, but due to rapidly changing conditions it might not capture all beach access changes. For most updated information, contact your local government or recreation department about local restrictions.

Del Norte County
- County parks closed to camping except for host or other people authorized by the county for stays 30 days or longer
- Hotels, motels, RV parks and private campgrounds prohibited from housing anyone for less than 30 day period
- Short-term rentals, including vacation rentals or homestay lodging, are prohibited
- Clifford Kamp Memorial Park and Kamp Klamath RV Park and Campground
  - Unable to accept drive-ins or reservations for less than a 30-day stay until May 1 or further notice

Humboldt County
- Freshwater Park is closed.
- All other parks in the county are open for day-use.
- All campgrounds in county are closed. (Big Lagoon, Clam Beach, Samoa, Van Duzen, A.W. Way)
- King Range National Conservation Area
  - Public lands in this area are closed to all forms of public access and uses. Area includes Lost Coast Trail, Paradise Royale Mountain Bike trail, trailheads at Mattole River Campground and Black Sands Beach.

Mendocino County
- All county beaches, parks, parking lots and access ways are closed
- Moat Creek Beach
  - Access point closed
- Fort Bragg
  - City parks, recreational sites, playgrounds, beaches and navigable waterways for recreational purposes are closed

Sonoma County
- All beaches, parks and open spaces closed in the County

Marin County
- County health officials ordered all federal, state, and local parks and park facilities to be closed to motorized access.
- Golden Gate National Recreation Area
Services and operations closed at the following sites:
- Muir Woods National Monument – entire park and parking are closed
- Marin Headlands Visitor Center
- Nike Missile Site
- Point Bonita Lighthouse
- Stinson Beach parking
- Kirby Cove and Bicentennial campgrounds
- Muir Beach Overlook parking
- Muir Beach parking
- Rodeo Beach parking
- Upper Conzelman Road (scenic overlook road from Golden Gate Bridge views to Point Bonita area)
- Tennessee Valley parking

Point Reyes National Seashore – National Park Service
- Visitor centers, campgrounds are closed through 5/3/20. Ranger-led and volunteer activities closed
- Camping or beach fire permits will not be issued during the shelter-in-place order
- Trails, beaches, and restrooms (excluding Bear Valley Visitor Center) available if readily accessible by non-motorized means for essential activities

San Francisco City and County
- San Francisco Recreation and Park District
  - Closed Ocean Beach parking lot along Great Highway, between Fulton Street and Lincoln Way and Fulton Avenues
- Golden Gate National Recreation Area
  - Services and operations closed at the following sites:
    - Alcatraz Island
    - Presidio Visitor Center
    - Fort Point National Historic Site
    - Golden Gate Bridge Welcome Center
    - Lands End Lookout
    - Baker Beach parking
    - West Bluff parking
    - Crissy Field - East Beach parking
    - Long Avenue parking
    - Battery East parking
    - Langdon Court parking
    - Navy Memorial parking
    - Merrie Way parking
    - Sloat Boulevard parking at Ocean Beach
    - Fort Funston parking

San Mateo County
- San Mateo County Department of Parks
o All County parks closed

- City of Pacifica
  o Parking lots closed at the following locations
    ▪ Pacifica State Beach (Linda Mar Beach) north and south lots
    ▪ Parking lots in front of and behind the Pacifica Community Center
    ▪ Rockaway Beach north and south lots
    ▪ Council Chambers lot on Beach Boulevard
    ▪ Beach Boulevard parking south of the Council Chambers
    ▪ Fisherman’s Lot in the 800 block of Palmetto Avenue

- City of Half Moon Bay
  o Parking lots closed at the following locations
    ▪ Poplar Beach, Half Moon Bay
    ▪ Redondo Beach, Half Moon Bay
    ▪ 1 Miramontes Point Road, Half Moon Bay

- San Mateo County Harbor District
  o Parking areas and boat launch ramps closed at Pillar Point Harbor, as well as public
    parking under the jurisdiction of the Harbor District at Surfers Beach and the West Trail
    Entrance
  o Pedestrian access not restricted. Vessel owners/harbor tenants will be allowed to use
    parking lots.

Santa Cruz County
- Santa Cruz Port District
  o Partial closure of Port District’s launch ramp

- City of Capitola
  o The Upper and Lower Beach and Village Cove parking lots are closed to the public. The Upper Lot is open to permit parking and City employee parking only.
  o The maximum allowed time to park in the Capitola Village is now 1 hour, reduced from 3 hours. This change will take effect on April 2.
  o Large shade structures (pop ups, tents) are banned on Capitola Beach.

Monterey County
- Los Padres National Forest
  o Key recreational facilities such as campgrounds, day use sites, and picnic areas as these
    are closed
  o Trail system and general forest area remain open to the public

- Moss Landing Harbor District
  o Access to Moss Landing North Harbor launch ramps temporarily restricted to public,
    allowing use only by commercial fishing vessels

- 17-Mile Drive – Pebble Beach Resort
  o Closed to visitor traffic.
  o Also suspended resort operations, which includes all hotels, golf courses (including Del
    Monte Golf Course), restaurants, retail shops, and health and tennis clubs.
San Luis Obispo County
- PG&E Diablo Canyon
  - Point Buchon and Pecho Coast trails are closed
- City of Morro Bay
  - City parking areas and boat launch ramp closed

Santa Barbara County
- City of Santa Barbara
  - All recreation centers, playgrounds, outdoor exercise equipment tennis courts and beach volleyball courts, picnic sites, Skater’s Point skatepark, Franceschi Park, Hilda Ray Park, and Skofield Park are closed.
  - Leadbetter Beach, West Beach, East Beach are open. Most parks remain open during normal hours.
  - Santa Barbara Harbor boat launch ramp closed for recreational vessels
  - Certain parking lots may have restricted access

Ventura County
- Parking restricted in certain areas on Coastal Highway 101
- Ventura Port District
  - Surfer’s Knoll and Harbor Cove beaches and parking lots closed at
  - Ventura Harbor public launch ramp closed
- City of Ventura
  - All parks and beaches closed
- Ventura Channel Islands Harbor
  - All beaches, parks, public launch ramp, and adjoining parking lots within Channel Islands Harbor are closed
- Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Area (Ventura portion)
  - Trails in Ventura County will be closed from 2 p.m. on Fridays until 6 a.m. on Mondays

Los Angeles County
- All beaches, trails, trailheads, piers, beach bike paths, and beach access points in the county are closed
- Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Area (Los Angeles portion)
  - Visitor centers, parking lots and trails in LA County are closed due to COVID-19.
- City of Malibu
  - No parking at various locations along Pacific Coast Highway, Westward Beach road parking, Point Dume Headlands parking on Cliffside Drive, West of 25442 Malibu Road to end of the street and Malibu Bluffs parking lot
  - Trancas Canyon Park, Legacy Park, Malibu Bluffs Park, and Las Flores Creek Park and parking lots are closed
- Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority
  - All parks, trails, and building facilities including restrooms are closed, including all parks owned by Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy
- City of Redondo Beach
  - City’s public access and recreation facilities, including the Redondo Beach Pier, the Esplanade, beaches, trails, public parking areas, sports courts, all public walkways, stairways, ramps, and paths that provide access to the beach and other public parks and spaces are closed

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• City of Hermosa Beach
  o Hermosa Beach Pier, Hermosa Beach Strand Bike and Walking Path, Hermosa Beach shoreline and sandy beach, and Downtown Parking Structure are closed

• City of Palos Verdes Estates
  o Parking closed at parking lot in 300 block of Paseo Del Mar and parking turnout in 1300 Palos Verdes Drive West
  o No parking signs placed on west side of 700 block of Paseo Del Mar

• City of Ranchos Palos Verdes
  o City parks, nature preserves, beaches, community centers, amenities and trails closed
  o Parking restrictions at various city parking lots and public streets
  o Public trails and public parking lots at Terranea Resort and Trump National Golf Club have also been closed

• City of Torrance
  o Torrance Beach, Torrance Beach Parking Lot, portion of the Strand within the City, Miramar Park, and Riviera Colony Public Parking Lot closed

• City of Santa Monica
  o Closed all beach parking lots

• City of Long Beach
  o Long Beach closed public basketball, tennis, and volley ball courts as well as dog parks, playgrounds and parks

• City of Avalon
  o Avalon Harbor, Santa Catalina Island, consisting of all moorings within the City of Avalon waters and public beaches within City of Avalon Jurisdiction are closed

Orange County
• City of Newport Beach
  o Beachfront parking lots and piers closed
  o Plans to close Oceanfront boardwalk on Balboa Peninsula every weekend. Closures on the peninsula are from Friday afternoon to Monday morning

• Orange County Parks
  o Beach parking lots closed but beach access still allowed. Not all parks closed, but will update list of closures on website

• City of Laguna Beach
  o City Council voted to close all beaches and parks

• City of Huntington Beach
  o City beach parking lots closed

• City of San Clemente
  o City beach parking lots, pier closed

• City of Seal Beach
  o City beaches, beach parking lots, pier, parks, biking trails closed

San Diego County
• City of Oceanside
  o Oceanside Harbor public boat launch ramp, Oceanside Pier, and public parking facilities closed

• City of Encinitas
City beaches, access points, and parking lots adjacent to beaches closed

- **City of San Diego**
  - Beaches, bays, and coastal parks closed

- **Port of San Diego**
  - Closed port parks, beaches, parking lots, piers, and boat launches
  - Public access walkways, sidewalks and promenades open for exercise with 6ft distancing.
  - Public restrooms on the bayfront will remain open and port will clean restrooms and remove trash.

- **City of Imperial Beach**
  - Municipal pier, public parks, beach area parking lots, and sand beach area west of Seacoast Drive closed

- **City of Carlsbad**
  - All city parks and trails closed
  - City beach north of Oak Avenue, lower sea wall, Agua Hedionda Lagoon inner basin and launching area are closed

**California State Parks – COVID-19 Information**

- All State Parks closed to vehicular traffic
  - List of Parks Temporarily Closed to the Public.
  - High public-use indoor facilities—including museums, visitor centers and cafés—have been closed.
  - All campgrounds across the state have been closed until further notice. All current reservation holders affected by the temporary closures have received a notification from ReserveCalifornia of their cancellation and refunds will be provided.