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Dear Juliann :

It's hot in Bishop today, and we're all looking forward to some well-deserved time in the mountains. If you're looking for interesting ways to participate in your favorite public lands this August, we've got opportunities to explore and volunteer throughout the Inyo National Forest, Sierra National Forest, and Devils Postpile National Monument. We're also hard at work on our final comments on the Draft Inyo National Forest General Management Plan. You can submit your comments until August 25th to be part of this historic process. Thanks for being part of Friends of the Inyo and our work in the Eastern Sierra. I hope you're having a great summer.  
-LB

## Glass Mountain Exploration August 6

Come explore the incredible wild roadless lands of the Glass Mountains. This will be a strenuous hike to the summit of Glass Mountain where you'll be rewarded with sweeping views of the Sierra and White Mountains. Space is limited, so please [RSVP](#).



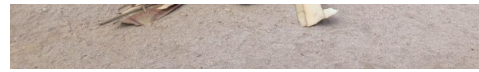
For info, check our [website](#) or [email](#) us. Feel free to call too: (760) 873-6500.

## Mammoth Trails Day Summer of Stewardship August 13

Join the Town of Mammoth Lakes, the Inyo National Forest, Friends of the Inyo and MLTPA with funding from Measure R for this



summer's second Summer of Stewardship event on the Mammoth Lakes Trail System. Come on out and help care for trails we use and love.



Meet at Earthquake Fault Day Use Area at 8:30 am. Breakfast from Old New York Bagel and Deli and lunch from Bleu Handcrafted Foods courtesy of Mammoth Lakes Sunrise Rotary will be provided for all volunteers. For more info [email](#) or visit our [website](#).

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## Devils Postpile Founder's Day

August 27

Join Friends of the Inyo and the National Park Service in celebrating the National Park Service's Centennial with a volunteer stewardship event at Devils Postpile National Monument. Come out and help care for Devils Postpile. Volunteers get a free ride to the Postpile and breakfast and lunch will be provided.



Catch the 8:00 am shuttle at the Main Lodge. Project starts in the Postpile at 9:00. For more info, [email](#) us or check our [website](#).

We're honored to thank the California Wildlands Grassroots Fund of the Rose Foundation for their generous support of this project and a season of citizen science commemorating the Centennial of the National Park Service.

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## Backcountry Volunteers Needed in Humphreys Basin

August 23-27

Join Friends of the Inyo and the Sierra National Forest in the John Muir Wilderness, just over Piute Pass, for a multi-day wilderness restoration project. Help protect beautiful Golden Trout Lake by restoring campsites that adversely impact unique riparian habitat. Expect a moderate hike in, three days of work, pack support for tools and food, and beautiful views of the backside of Mt. Humphreys.



For info or to RSVP, [email](#) or call (760) 873-6500

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## Save the Date: Member Rendezvous

September 24 and 25

Join us in the White Mountains for Friends of the Inyo's annual Member Rendezvous. We're heading up to Cedar Flat Campground for a weekend exploring and celebrating the good work we've accomplished together this year. More details will be coming soon.



For more info or to RSVP, call (760) 873-6500, [email](#) us, or visit our [website](#).

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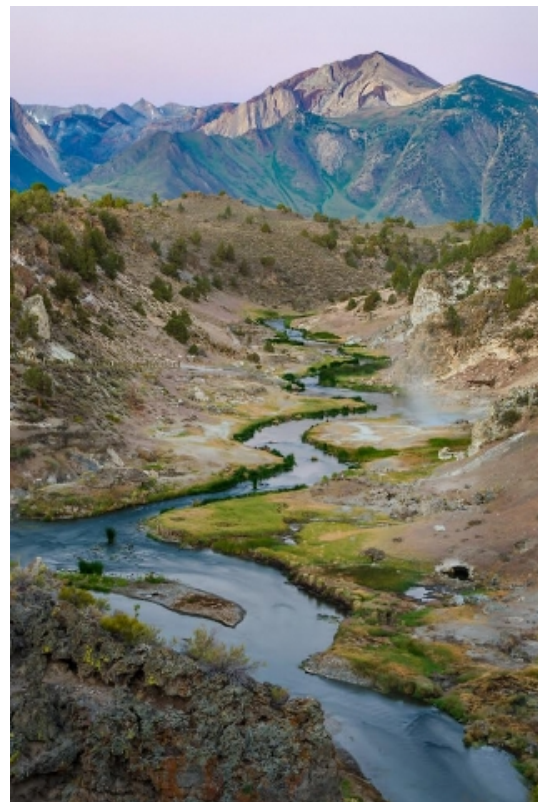
## Weigh in on the Future of the Inyo

We're coming down to the wire on the open commenting period for the Inyo National Forest's Draft Management Plan and the Draft Environmental Impact Statement. If you haven't reviewed it, now is the time. Comments will be taken until August 25.

The best comments address issues specific to the Draft Plan and provide **insightful feedback** and **realistic alternatives**. To comment, go [online](#), [email](#), or fill out Friends of the Inyo's [survey](#).

This is your best opportunity to speak out for the places that you love. The Inyo National Forest will read every comment submitted.

For more information check our [website](#) or contact [Jora](#).



Hot Creek, a potential Wild & Scenic River, by Sam Roberts

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## Help Your Public Lands

You can invest in the future of the places you love by supporting Friends of the



you love by supporting Friends of the Inyo. Every donation helps maintain trails, restore habitat, and protect wild places throughout the Eastern Sierra. We can't do it without you. Thank you for being part of your public lands.



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