



Distance and Elevation: 31 miles and 2700 feet of climbing

Trailhead Location: Mary Lake

Route Directions:

- 1. Mary Lake to Placer designed for Lakeside to the trail that takes the rider to Muyvane and on to O'Connor to Nanket and finally to Placer. But, find your way to Placer if you have a better way for you.
- 2. Boston to Buena Ventura across Placer to Boston and through the neighborhood to Teton (Dartmouth, Rainier to Cumberland) and then down Teton to the Blue Gravel Mine Trail and on to Buena Ventura
- 3. Buena Ventura to Placer right on Westside Road and then right on El Reno at the Valley Supply Ace Store, left on Cedars, right on Branstetter which turns to Texas Springs and take Texas Springs to Placer.
- 4. Placer through Swasey to Muletown Road take the Placer Connector Trail to the Mule Ridge Trail and then Mule Ridge to Princess Ditch and finally taking the Stony Gulch Connector to Muletown Road
- 5. Muletown Road to Old Shasta rugged but fun traverse through Whiskeytown NRA eventually climbing and descending into Old Shasta.
- 6. Muletown Road to Westside Trails Muletown tees with Red Bluff, right to Swasey Drive and south to Lower Springs, left on Lower Springs, right on Valparaiso and up the hill to the Westside Trails

7. Mary Lake Ditch Trail to Mary Lake – east on the Mary Lake Ditch Trail until it empties onto Kilkee, take Kilkee to the connector Mary Lake and you are done!

Summary: This Bigfoot Adventure Challenge route has a bit of everything from home, office, or favorite brew pub in Redding. The rider can expect some urban streets, rural paved roads, some keep your eyes on the trail Swasey single track and rugged and challenging at times Muletown Road.

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