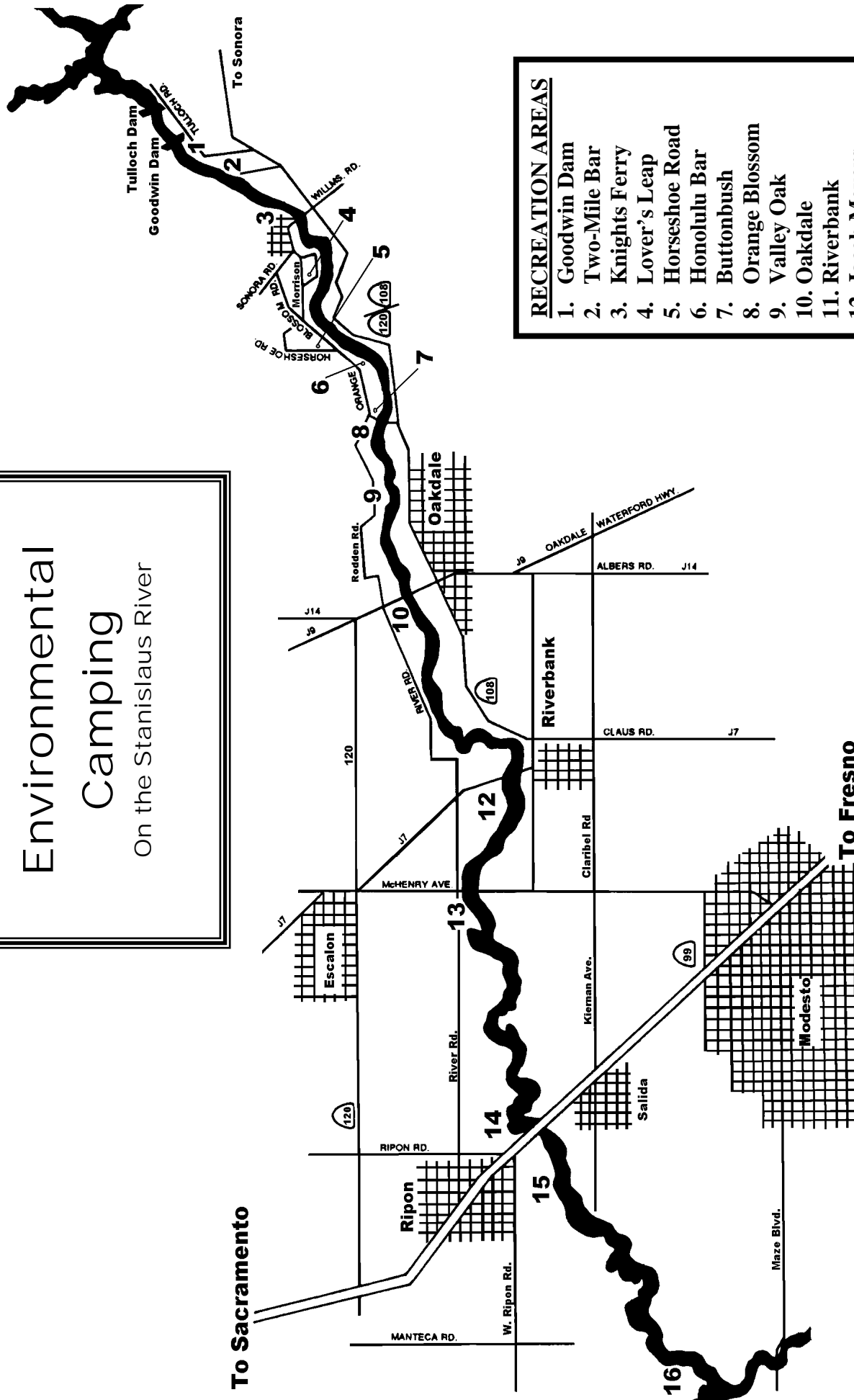


Boat-in Environmental Camping

On the Stanislaus River



RECREATION AREAS

1. Goodwin Dam
2. Two-Mile Bar
3. Knights Ferry
4. Lover's Leap
5. Horseshoe Road
6. Honolulu Bar
7. Buttonbush
8. Orange Blossom
9. Valley Oak
10. Oakdale
11. Riverbank
12. Jacob Meyers
13. McHenry Avenue
14. Ripon
15. Mohler Road
16. River's End



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Stanislaus River Parks ENVIRONMENTAL TENT CAMPING

- * Environmental camping is permitted at three recreation areas along the Stanislaus River, Horseshoe Road, Valley Oak & McHenry Avenue Recreation Areas. Individual and group sites are available by reservation only. Individual sites are boat-in only. Group sites are available for boat-in or walk-in access. Camping permits are issued from the Knights Ferry Administrative Building, Monday - Friday, 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Camping fees are \$10.00 per individual site and \$40.00 per group site. For more information call (209) 881-3517.
- * Reservations must be started two (2) weeks prior to expected camping date, and payment must be received a minimum of one (1) week prior to expected camping date.
- * Camping at one or more campsites at any Corps of Engineers park along the Stanislaus River for a period longer than fourteen days in any thirty consecutive-day period is prohibited.
- * Occupancy is limited to four (4) people per individual site at Horseshoe Road & McHenry Avenue Recreation Areas. Maximum number of vehicles per site is restricted to (2) two. Occupancy is limited to four (4) people per individual site at VORA. Maximum number of vehicles per site is limited to one (1)
- * Group campsites are designated for a maximum of twenty-five (25) people and ten (10) vehicles at Horseshoe Road & McHenry Avenue Recreation Area. Group campsites are designated for a maximum of fifteen-twenty (15-20) people and five (5) vehicles at Valley Oak.
- * Campers must arrive at least one hour prior to sunset to ensure entrance into the park. Parks close at sunset with closures strictly enforced. No entry is permitted after closure hours.
- * Campers must have camping permit posted on the individual site marker while occupying the campsite.
- * Campfires must be contained in the fire rings provided at the camping area. Downed, dead wood can be collected for campfire purposes. No cutting of live trees or shrubs allowed.
- * No vehicle access to campgrounds is permitted. Vehicles must be parked in designated parking areas with overnight permit displayed in dashboard window. Recreational vehicles, such as motor homes, trailers or pop-up tent campers, or any overnight occupancy in vehicles is prohibited.
- * Quiet hours are from 10 PM to 6 AM.
- * Check out time is 12 noon and will be is strictly enforced.
- * Two universally accessible campsites are available at McHenry Avenue Recreation Area. Call the Knights Ferry Administration Building for access to the campgrounds.

Horseshoe Road Recreation Area

The campground is situated amongst Cottonwood and willow trees along the river. This area is the halfway point for the 7-mile Knights Ferry to Orange Blossom raft trip.

Valley Oak Recreation Area

The campground is situated under a canopy of Valley Oak trees. This is a great area for fishing, and a popular place to walk your animal.

McHenry Avenue Recreation Area

The campground is situated under willow and cottonwood trees that provide plenty of shade. Enjoy walking the nature trails along with the popular swimming areas with sandy beaches.

	Walking distance from parking lot	Potable water	Flush toilets	Pit toilets	Handicap sites	Group sites	Individual Campsites	Boat put in & take out	River miles from Knights Ferry
Horseshoe Road	1/2 mile	No	No	Yes	No	Site 9	14	Yes	5
Valley Oak	¼ mile	No	No	Yes	No	Site 2	5	Yes	8
McHenry Avenue	¼ mile	Yes	Yes	No	Site 4 & 5	Site 8	4	Yes	27