VOLUNTEER DESCRIPTION
Confluence Park Host

Washington County is recruiting a park host for Confluence Park in La Verkin, Utah. The selected applicant will serve as a liaison between park users and the Washington County Habitat Conservation Plan (HCP) Administrator. Duties will include, but are not limited to the following:

1. Greet and assist visitors, answer questions and explain regulations. Assist campers in locating the campsite, and inform incoming campers where family or friends are located. Applicant should be familiar with local points of interest and the location of services that might be requested by visitors. Park host may assist in public relations, educational activities, and special events/activities.
2. Ensure park gate remains locked except for permitted campers and activities.
3. Perform light maintenance work within Confluence Park such as litter pickup, trimming or weeding, cleaning and stocking of restrooms, watering trees, and making repairs to park infrastructure as needed. Be observant of all activities occurring within the park. Report situations that could affect the health and safety of visitors, including illegal activity, vandalism, and maintenance items which need immediate attention. Notify the HCP Administrator as these problems arise, and disseminate information to campers.
4. Clean campsite by performing minor maintenance tasks such as raking the campsite area, washing tables, cleaning out fire rings and picking up litter. Report any damage to the HCP Administrator. Each site must be cleaned after every camper checks out and before another camper checks in.
5. Host shall not attempt to discipline or apprehend any park violators. Host will report all disturbances to the HCP Administrator (& local law enforcement when necessary). You are to inform visitors of rules and regulations, but are not to participate in any high risk activity. Host must set an example by being a model camper practicing good housekeeping at all times in and around their assigned site and by observing all rules and regulations of the park. Host is expected to work most weekends and holidays during their term.
6. May be assigned other duties and projects not listed.

Skills required:

- ✓ Must get along well with people, and remain calm and friendly.
- ✓ Ability to physically get out and make rounds through the park, and perform maintenance duties. Must be able to lift up to 50 pounds.
- ✓ A good knowledge of the park and surrounding area.
- ✓ Ability to adapt to changing work conditions, and be able to work both cooperatively and independently.
- ✓ Must be honest, punctual and reliable.
- ✓ Must possess a valid driver's license.

Skills recommended:

- ✓ Experience operating/maintaining an irrigation system.

Working Conditions: Work is mostly outside in various weather conditions, and requires physical activity. Must reside within Confluence Park for the duration of the term of service.

Time Commitment: Approximately 1-3 hours/day, with a minimum commitment of 6 weeks.

Supervision and Training Provided: Supervised by the HCP Administrator or designee. Training in campground registration procedures, park rules and regulations, and host responsibilities.

Benefits: This is a volunteer (unpaid) position. The use of a RV site and water at no charge for the duration of the term of service will be provided to the park host. RV site does not have power hookups so host must have an alternate power source.

ABOUT THE PARK

Confluence Park is a 350-acre nature park located at the convergence of the Virgin River with La Verkin and Ash Creeks. Secluded below the communities of Hurricane and La Verkin, the park is managed by the County for habitat protection and provides a variety of non-motorized outdoor experiences to the public. Popular activities within the park include hiking, birdwatching, rock climbing, and picnicking. Although the park is open to the public, camping is limited and by permit only. Historical structures within the park serve as a reminder of the rich cultural history of Washington County. The unique riparian habitat provides critical habitat for endangered fishes and a variety of other rare species in the County.

For more information, visit:
http://www.redcliffsdesertreserve.com/welcome-to-confluence-park

Please Join Us

Official Opening and Ribbon Cutting

for

Confluence Park

Washington County's 344-acre nature park

Monday, September 24, 2012

4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Trail Tours (4 pm), Tree-planting Activity (5pm),

Food (5-6 pm), Flute accompaniment (throughout),

Brief Ceremony (6 pm)

Sign up for Trail Tours and Tree-planting

Activity by calling LaVerkin City (435) 635-2518 ext. 0

Or the Red Cliffs Desert Reserve Office

(435) 634-5759 ext. 4.

For general information about Confluence Park

and the ribbon-cutting event go to

www.redcliffsdesertreserve.com

scroll down to Confluence Park and click here

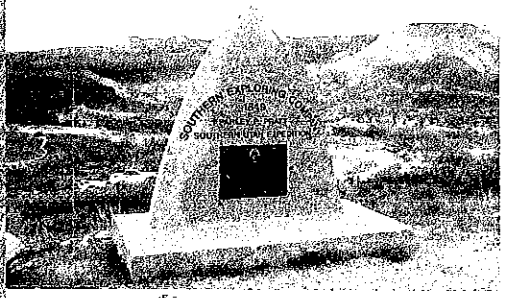
Directions to LaVerkin Creek Trailhead and

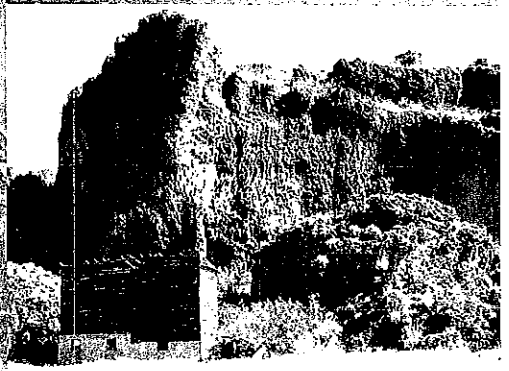
Park event: Traveling between Toquerville and

LaVerkin on Highway 17, turn west into the

Riverwood Subdivision (900 North, LaVerkin) and

follow the signs to LaVerkin Creek Trailhead.





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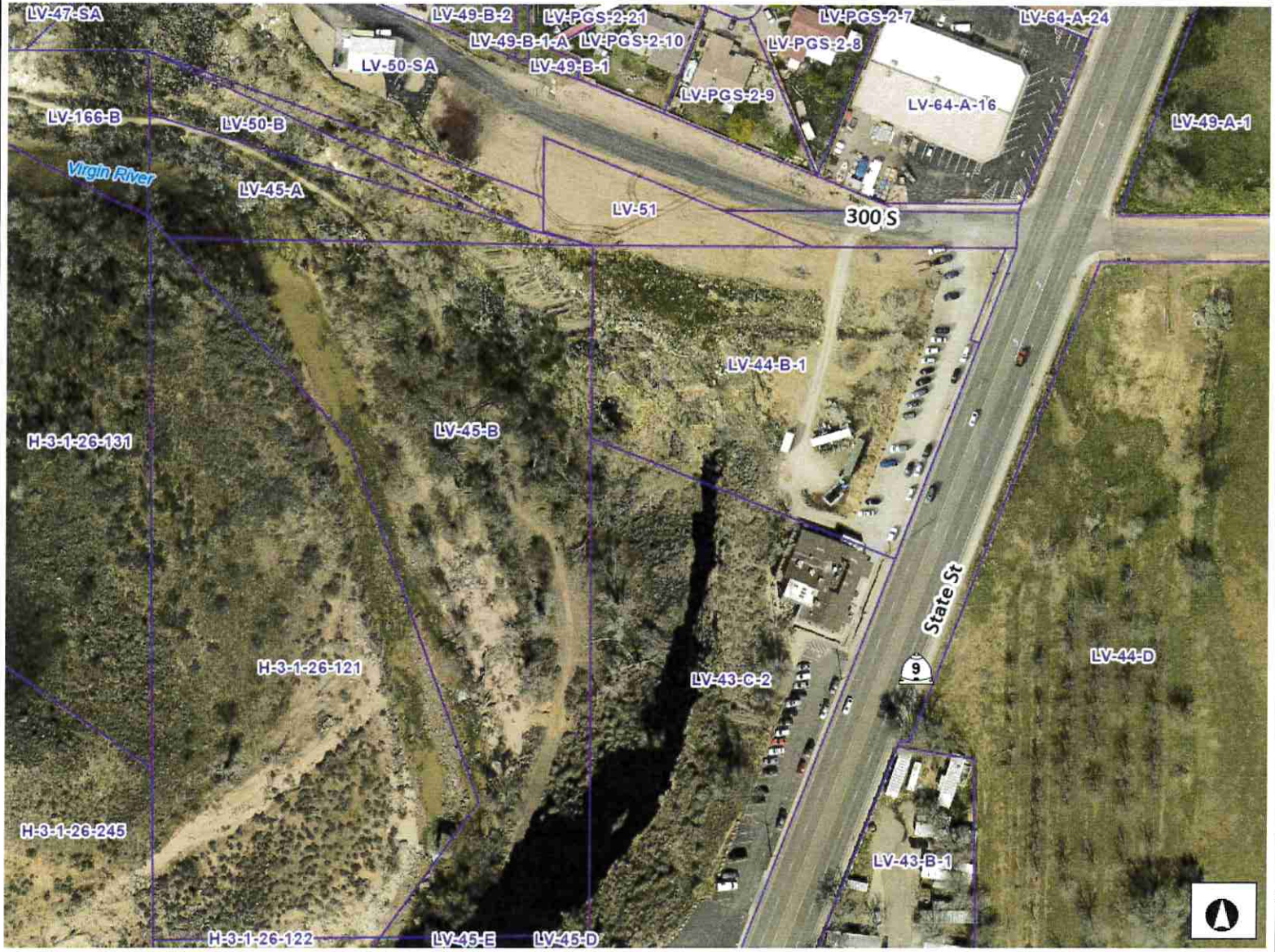

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  - Bureau of Land Management
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  - National Park Service
  - Shivwits Reservation
  - Utah Division of Wildlife Resources
  - Utah Division of Transportation
  - State Park
  - State of Utah
  - Washington County
  - Municipally Owned
  - School District
  - Privately Owned
  - Water
  - Water Conservancy District
  - State Assessed Oil and Gas
  - Mining Claim

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