

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION
NORTHERN BUTTES DISTRICT
LAKE OROVILLE SECTOR
ORDER NO. 645-402

“Prohibition of Possession and Use of Metal Detectors”

January 1, 2023

No person shall possess a metal detector or other geophysical discovery device or use a metal detector or other geophysical discovery techniques to locate or recover subsurface objects or features within all units of the Northern Buttes District., including:

- Ahjumawi Lava Springs S.P.
- Anderson Marsh S.H.P.
- Bidwell Mansion S.H.P.
- Bidwell-Sacramento River S.P.
- Castle Crags S.P.
- Clear Lake S.P.
- Colusa-Sacramento River S.R.A.
- Lake Oroville S.R.A.
- McArthur-Burney Falls Memorial S.P.
- Shasta S.H.P.
- Sutter Buttes S.P.
- Weaverville Joss House S.H.P.
- William B. Ide Adobe S.H.P.

Exceptions to this order are as follows.

1. When transporting, but not using, a metal detector or other geophysical discovery device in a vehicle on a public road.

The prohibition of metal detectors and other geophysical discovery devices in this area is in effect for the protection of cultural and historic resources.

Exceptions to this order may only be granted in writing by the Northern Buttes District Superintendent, 400 Glen Drive, Oroville, CA 95966.

Nothing herein contained shall be construed in derogation of other provisions of law.

Signed original at Northern Buttes District Office

Matt Teague
District Superintendent

AUTHORITY:

State of California Public Resources Code Section 5003. California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 3, Section 4300, 4301, 4305, 4326

Copies of this order have been posted with the Chief, Northern Division (Sacramento), at the Northern Buttes District Office, Clear Lake Sector, Cascade Sector Office, and at the Unit(s) affected and noted above.

