



# State Vehicular Recreation Area

# Oceano Dunes

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Grand Avenue Park Entrance →



Pier Avenue Park Entrance →

### Park Rules and Regulations

You are responsible for knowing park rules and regulations. All provisions of the California Vehicle Code are enforced. A copy may be found at: <http://www.dmv.ca.gov/pubs/vctop/vc/vc.htm>.

The term OHV means off-highway vehicle. Any motor vehicle operated off-highway is an OHV. A highway licensed vehicle is an OHV when operated off of the highway. Vehicles having green and red stickers are OHVs.

**ALCOHOL:** Open containers and DUI laws apply off-highway just as they do on-highway. Don't drink and drive.

**ATV LAWS:** There are laws which apply specifically to the operation of ATVs only. (For more complete information please see reverse page.)

**DOGS:** Dogs must be kept on a leash at all times. Please clean up after your dog.

**LIGHTS:** OHVs operated between sunset and sunrise must display at least one lighted white headlight and one lighted red taillight visible from 200 feet.

**NOISE EMISSIONS:** The law limits noise emissions from all OHVs. Noise emissions for most OHVs are limited to not more than 96 dBA when measured from a distance of 20 inches using standardized test procedures. For more specific information, go to: [http://ohv.parks.ca.gov/noise\\_emissions](http://ohv.parks.ca.gov/noise_emissions).

**REACH AND OPERATE ALL CONTROLS:** All operators of off-highway vehicles must be able to reach and operate all controls.

**REGISTRATION:** When operating an OHV you must display either a license plate or an OHV sticker. OHV stickers include "Green Stickers," "Red Stickers," California Nonresident OHV Use Permits, and OHV stickers from states that have an OHV program.

**SPARK ARRESTERS:** All vehicles operating off-highway must be equipped with either a street legal muffler or a spark arrester maintained in effective working order.

**SPEED:** The speed limit is 15 mph on the beach and in camping and developed areas. Never drive faster than is safe for conditions.

**SUSPENDED OR REVOKED LICENSE:** Anyone whose driving privileges have been suspended or revoked is prohibited from operating any motor vehicle, on- or off-highway.

**VEGETATION:** It is never legal to run over vegetation.

**WHIP AND FLAG:** All off-highway registered vehicles must have a whip and flag to operate at Oceano Dunes SVRA. All highway registered vehicles must have a whip and flag to operate in the dunes.

Pacific Ocean

### Oceano Dunes SVRA Map Legend

- OHV Recreation and Camping Area
- Street Legal Vehicles Only
- Closed to All Use March 1 - Sept. 30
- Closed to Motorized Use
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- Closed to Public Use
- Fence
- ADA Accessible Beach Boardwalk
- Restrooms
- Beach Post Markers
- Sand Highway Markers
- Points of Reference
- RV Dump Station
- Entrance Station

**Pismo Dunes Natural Preserve**  
(Closed to vehicles and dogs)

**Open Area**

Worm Valley  
Moy Mel  
ATV Safety Training Area

Barbeque Flats

Cottonwood

Eucalyptus Tree

Competition Hill

Tabletop

Boy Scout Camp

Vent Pipe

Seasonally Closed to All Use

Boneyard

Maidenform Flats

Oso Flaco Lake Trail

Oso Flaco Day Use Area

Little Oso Flaco Lake

Private Property  
(no trespassing)

(Closed to Public Use)

(No Motorized Use)

Locations of features are representations. Actual locations of some features may vary over time as a result of weather, maintenance and other factors. Observe all signage, and use appropriate caution when traveling through the park.

