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## Salt Lick Area Trail System

Upper Salt Lick Trail – 9074 Lower Salt Lick Trail – 9009 Nah-oon-Kara Trail – 9006  
 So-ov Trail – 9010 Sluice Box Trail – 9008 Bohdi Trail – 9007 Walden Trail – 9090  
 Too-pwech Trail—9074, Creek Trail – 9093, Grubstake Trail – 9082. Placer Trail – 9011, Teva Trail – 9012

**Difficulty:** EASY TO MORE DIFFICULT

**Trail Use:** High

**Length:** Upper Salt Lick Trail – 1.6 mi., Lower Salt Lick Trail – 1.0 mi., Nah-oon-kara Trail – 2.6 mi.  
 So-ov Trail – 0.6 mi., Sluice Box Trail – 0.5 mi., Bohdi Trail – 0.5 mi., Walden Trail – 0.8 mi., Creek Tr.  
 – 0.5 mi., Grubstake Tr. 35 – 0.5 mi., Placer Tr. – 0.7 mi., Teva Tr. – 0.2 mi., Too-pwech Tr. – 0.3 mi.

**Elevation:** The Salt Lick Trailhead at 8,960 feet. The highest point is at the end of the Upper Salt Lick Trail at 9,600 feet.

**Elevation Gain:** 640 feet

**Open In Winter To:** X-C SKIING, SNOWSHOEING

**Open In Summer To:** HIKING, HORSE, MTN. BIKING

### Access #1: Salt Lick Trailhead

- From I-70, take Exit 205, Silverthorne / Dillon. Turn south on to Wilderndest Road and proceed approximately 0.7 miles.
- Where the road makes a sharp hairpin turn to the right, turn left onto an unpaved road.
- Proceed about 0.1 miles to the trailhead by the gate.

### Access #2: Buffalo Drive Trailhead

- From I-70, take Exit 205, Silverthorne / Dillon. Turn on to Wilderndest Road and proceed approximately 1.3 miles.
- The Road becomes Ryans Gulch Road. Turn left at Buffalo Drive and park at the trailhead.

### Trail Highlights:

- The trails pass through stands of lodgepole pine and aspen.
- The Lily Pad Lake Trail can be accessed from this trail system
- Nah-oon-kara is the Ute name for the land where blue water meets the sky. Too-pwech means rock and So-ov means Aspen tree. The Ute people were the original inhabitants of this area.

### Important information:

- Mountain bikes may only be used on trails marked with a mountain bike symbol. If there is no sign, it is closed to that use.
- Upper Salt Lick Trail and the Too-pwech Trail are closed to mountain bikes at they accesses National Forest wilderness.
- Dog owners - Please be considerate of other trail users. Keep your dog in sight and when you encounter others, call the dog to your side until they pass. Use a stick to remove dog feces from the trail.

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