

# Otay Regional Trail Alignment Study

## PROJECT FACT SHEET

The County of San Diego – in conjunction with the City of Chula Vista, City of San Diego, California Department of Fish and Wildlife, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, National Wildlife Refuge, Bureau of Land Management, U.S. Border Patrol, and Otay Water District – is conducting a planning study of a new trail system in Otay Ranch and surrounding lands. The goal of the planning effort is to create a coordinated and sustainable trail system that provides quality recreational trail connections to the Otay Ranch Preserve and other public lands, while balancing the need to protect sensitive environmental resources.

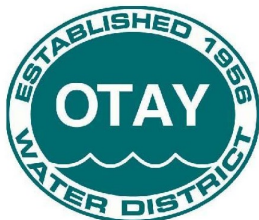
The study area contains eight ecological preserves that have been set aside for the conservation and protection of natural resources:

- ◇ Otay Ranch Preserve
- ◇ San Diego National Wildlife Refuge
- ◇ Otay Mountain Wilderness
- ◇ Rancho Jamul Ecological Reserve
- ◇ Otay Mountain Ecological Reserve
- ◇ Hollenbeck Canyon Wildlife Area
- ◇ Cornerstone Lands
- ◇ San Miguel Habitat Management Area



Study area shown in red outline

These lands contain diverse habitats that are home to many sensitive plant and animal species that are considered regionally important. The trail study will consider these and other sensitive resources when designing trail alignments. The trail alignment study will support the design of a sustainable trail system that balances natural resource protection and conservation with public access and recreation. Your input will inform the trail planning process by helping to identify user priorities and preferences for the trail system. Thank you for your participation in the Otay Regional Trail Alignment Study!



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## WORKSHOP AGENDA

Public Workshop #1

March 14, 2017 from 5:30 pm – 8:00 pm

Arroyo Vista Charter Elementary School

### **Open House**

**5:30 pm to 6:00 pm**

Sign-in Table

Poster Board Session

### **Presentation**

**6:00 pm to 6:20 pm**

### **Open House**

**6:20 pm to 8:00 pm**

Station 1: Interactive GIS Station

Station 2: Trail Design & Amenity Questionnaire

Station 3: User Questionnaire

Poster Board Session