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## -5. "Wilson"

(. 2 miles west of address 6455 Wilson Hill Rd.).

View Point: Large Rock as you start to walk south from parking area.

View comments: good southern view -but blind spots -e.g., can't see horse sanctuary (to south west) area because too close in towards lookout - see Wilson Short Lookout as potential alternative (or combine both locations for observations).
-5A. "Wilson Mid Point"
Approx. $4 / 10$ mile on road past "Wilson Lookout" (i.e., on road to Manton).
View Point is a few feet East of Telephone Pole marked with "\#4". (good lookout) (caution - near edge of RD.)

## -5B. "Wilson SHORT"

further down Wilson Hill Rd (past sharp turn) \& just before " 15 MPH " sign, and the cement colvert on East side of road. Is less than .10 mile (approx) North of SHORT HILL RD. Limited View - but can see Wild Horse Sanctuary through gap in brush (i.e. it is closer to hill). Note: From here could SEE AND SMELL the fire (7/2016) at Wild Horse Sanctuary - when couldn't see/smell it at "WILSON LOOKOUT"

Shingletown / Manton Quadrangles

| Object Viewed | Bearing True North Apprx. | Approx. Distance | Object Height Apprx. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Digger Butte (NOT visible) | 120.00 +/- | 5.66 Mi | 4012. FT. |
| Hampton Butte | 121.00 +/- | 15.00 Mi | 6252. FT. |
| Turner Mt / Lyons Peak | 130.00 +/- | 18.60 Mi | 6897/6767 FT. |
| Manton | 171.50 +/- | 2.70 Mi | low |
| Landing Strip (mid point) | 188.00 +/- | 1.90 Mi | low |
| Inskip Hill | 200.00 +/- | 9.75 Mi | 3091. FT |
| Tuscan Butte (Radio Towers/3 Vert. Red lights-night (on East side) NE of Red Bluff <br> East Butte <br> West Butte | $\begin{aligned} & 216.50 \text { +/- } \\ & 218.00 \text { +/- } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 18.75 Mi } \\ & \text { 18.75 Mi } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline 17001798 \\ 1845 \mathrm{FT} \end{array}$ |
| Soap Butte | 222.00 +/- | 10.20 Mi | 1836 FT. |

Shingletown / Manton Quadrangles Note: [combine reports from "Rock Creek"]

| Object Viewed | Bearing True North Apprx. | Approx. Distance |  | Object Height Apprx. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Brokeoff Mtn (behind tree) | 96.00 +/- | 17.40 | Mi | 9233. FT. |
| Greys Peak | 111.00 +/- | 14.25 | Mi | 6326. FT. |
| Digger Butte (fully visible) | 117.50 +/- | 5.50 | Mi | 4012. FT. |
| Small Hill - . 56 Mi NNW of Digger Butte |  |  |  | 3600. FT. |
| Inskip Hill (behind tree) | 199.00 +/- | 9.60 | Mi | 3091. FT |


| Object Viewed | Bearing True North Apprx. | Approx. Distance | Object Height Apprx. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Inskip Hill see - large double power lines on East Side of Inskip Hill) | 204.00 +/- | 9.30 Mi | 3091 FT. |
| Tuscan Buttes (Radio Towers/ 3 Vert. Red lights @ night ( East side). NE of Red Bluff. | 218.00 +/- | 18.30 MI | 1845 FT. |
| Soap Butte | 224.00 +/- | 9.60 Mi | 1836. FT. |
| Wild Horse Sanctuary (barn) | 228.00 +/- | 1.60 Mi | Iow |

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| South of Highway 44 approx 2.8 miles (this mileage is TO BE CONFIRMED) | See Grays Peak Quadrangle. | Lat/Long (to confirm): | 40.485062 | 121.735899 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Object Viewed | Bearing True North Approx. | Approx. Distance | Object <br> Height Apprx. |
|  | Mt. Lassen (not visible) | 90.00 +/- | 12.00 Mi | 10455 FT. |
|  | Brokeoff Mtn. (not visible) | 106.00 +/- | 9.60 Mi | 9233 FT. |
|  | Red Rock Mtn. (not visible) | 105.00 +/- | 7.00 Mi | 7456 FT. |
|  | Grays Peak (top visible through trees - if you move about 10 yards west of Oak Tree). | 139.00 +/- | 8.00 Mi | 6326 FT. |
| n parking spot | Turner Mt. | 154.00 OPEN |  | 6897 FT. |
| on right). <br> THE LARGE OAK TREE | Digger Butte (top visible if move about 25 yards westerly of Oak Tree) | 215.00 +/- | 4.80 Mi | 4012 FT. |
| WITH WRITING ON IT | Inskip Hill - visible through tree | 228.00 +/- | 15.00 Mi | 3091 FT. |
| (SOUTHERNLY) IS YOU | Tuscan Buttes | 232.00 OPEN |  | 1845 FT. |
| REFERENCE POINT | Little Inskip | 234.00 +/- | 14.00 Mi |  |
| REFERENCE POINT. | Soap Butte ( $100 \%$ visible) View down Valley | 241.00 +/- | 17.00 Mi | 1836 FT. |
|  | Manton | 244.00 +/- | 8.00 Mi |  |
| Past this parking spot is a Large gate to the left (You have gone too far.) |  |  |  |  |
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| -7. "Wildcat lookout" <br> - on Wildcat Rd. at creek / bridge just east of Ash Creek Rd. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Object Viewed | Bearing True North Approx. | Approx. Distance | Object <br> Height Apprx. |
| CAUTION: BE 15 FEET EAST FROM BRIDGE. OTHERWISE, | Latour Butte | 64.00 +/- | Mi | 6737 FT. |
| COMPASS BEARING WILL BE IN ERROR DUE TO MAGNETIC FIELD ON BRIDGE. | Chaos Crags (NOT visible) | +/- | Mi | $\begin{array}{ll} 8049 & \\ 8400 & \text { FT. } \end{array}$ |
|  | Mt. Lassen | 87.00 +/- | Mi | 10455 FT. |
|  | Black Butte | 96.00 +/- | Mi | 2558 FT. |
| *8. "Dersch Lookout" |  |  |  |  |
| View Range: Good | Object Viewed | Bearing True North Approx. | Approx. Distance | Object Height Apprx. |
|  | BURNEY MTN | 52.00 +/- | 37.05 Mi | 7856 FT. |
| 1 mile West of Leopard on Dersch. <br> Address (across street on North side is 23714 Dersch. | Latour Butte | 69.50 +/- | 26.40 Mi | 6737 FT. |
|  | Chaos Crags (middle Peak - can see top only - this bearing runs just south of Shasta Forest near mile marker 26) | 84.50 +/- |  | $\begin{aligned} & 8049 \\ & 8400 \text { FT. } \end{aligned}$ |
| Bearings taken on SOUTH side of Dersch between Road and Oak Tree). Location is just east of Franciscan. | Mt. Lassen | 88.00 +/- | 35.70 Mi | 10455 FT. |
|  | Brokeoff | ?? +/- | 33.00 Mi | 9233 FT. |
|  | Black Butte | 100.00 +/- | 10.00 Mi | 2558 FT |
|  | Jack ass Butte | 117.00 +/- | 14.70 Mi | 2012 FT |
|  | Little Inskip Hull | 124.00 +/- | 14.10 Mi | 2369 FT |
|  | Inskip Hill | 127.00 +/- | 15.75 Mi | 3091 FT |
|  | Soap Butte | 131.00 +/- | 11.70 Mi | 1836 FT |
|  | TUSCAN BUTTES (radio towers and NE of Red Bluff) | 163.50 +/- | 15.75 Mi | 1845 FT |
|  | Red Bluff (not visible) | 189.00 +/- | 21.00 Mi | N/A |

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## -9. "Millville 44"

## Highway 44 and Millville Plains Rd.

(large gravel area on south side of Hwy 44).

Comments: very good view of Western slope of Ridge (Shasta
Forest) and NORTH AND SOUTH thereof for long distance.
Probably not able to see area on Eastern side of Ridge (because below top of ridge).
Shasta Forest Village is about 2 miles east of power lines along bearing and is below top of ridge line and above power lines
Note: As to area EAST OF Ridge, and extending easterward towards Mt. Lassen, and Brokeoff Mtn., less ground area is visible THAN from "44 marker 8.8 lookout".

## Good view of Shingletown Ridge.

| Object Viewed | Bearing True North Approx. | Approx. Distance | Object <br> Height Apprx. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Burney Mtn | 58.00 +/- | 34.50Mi | 7856 FT. |
| Latour Butte | 79.50 +/- | 25,00 mi | 6737 FT. |
| Blue Mtn (on North End of Shgltn Ridge) Is approx 4.76 miles North of Louge <br> Is approx . 95 Miles East of Power Lines | 82.00 +/- | $13.20 \mathbf{~ M i}$ | 3042 FT. |
| Chalk Mtn. (not visible??) | 85.00 +/- |  | 3373 FT. |
| Chaos Crags | $\begin{gathered} 92.00+/- \\ \text { middle peak } \end{gathered}$ | 34.80 Mi | $\begin{array}{ll} \hline 8049 & 8400 \\ & \text { FT. } \end{array}$ |
| Mt. Lassen | 95.00 +/- | 35.70Mi | 10455 FT. |
| Brokeoff Mtn. . (bearing goes through Shasta Forest Village) | 101.00 +/- |  | 9233 FT. |
| Hampton Butte <br> (slightly North of Hampton Butte Name ?? | 113.00 +/- | 31.00 Mi | 6958 FT. |
| Butt Mt (visible???) AZ about a degree or so $\mathbf{N}$ of Turner. | 118.00 +/- | 48.00 Mi | 7860 FT. |
| Turner Mt | 120.00 +/- | 34.00 Mi | 6897 FT. |
| Black Butte (partial view) | 122.00 +/- | 11.10 Mi | 2558 FT. |
| Shasta Bally | 280.00 +/- | 25.65 Mi | 6199 FT. |
| South Fork Mtn (Radio Towers) | 294.00 +/- | 20.25 Mi | 3457 FT. |
| IRON MTN. | 297.00 +/- |  | 3857 FT. |

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| 9A "Millville / BASCOM RD | Object Viewed | Bearing True North Approx. | Approx. <br> Distance | Object <br> Height Apprx. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Mt. Shasta | 359.00 +/- | 62. Mi |  |
| Approx . $\mathbf{8 0}$ MILES south of Hwy 44 on Millville Plains Rd. | Burney Mtn (HIGHEST POINT) | 56.00 +/- | 35.40 Mi | 7856 FT. |
|  | Latour Butte | 78.00 +/- | Mi | 6737 FT. |
|  | Blue Mtn (on North End of Shgltn Ridge) Is approx 4.76 miles North of Louge Is approx .95 Miles East of Power Lines | +/- | 14.00 Mi | 3042 FT. |
| GOOD 360 DEGREE VIEW <br> BEARINGS TAKEN APPROX <br> 5 FEET EAST OF NORTH/SOUTH RUNNING FENCE. REASON: PIPE LINES RUN NORTH / SOUTH ALONG MILLVILLE PLAINS IN DRAINAGE DITCH UNDER BASCOM RD. ENTRANCE. | Chalk Mtn. (not visible??) | +/- |  | 3373 FT. |
|  | Chaos Crags | middle peak | Mi | $\begin{array}{ll} \hline 8049 & 8400 \\ & \text { FT. } \end{array}$ |
|  | Mt. Lassen | 94.00 +/- | Mi | 10455 FT. |
|  | Brokeoff Mtn. | 100.00 +/- |  | 9233 FT. |
|  | Hampton Butte |  |  | 6958 FT. |
|  | Butt Mt (visible???) AZ about a degree or so $\mathbf{N}$ of Turner. | 116.50 +/- |  | 7860 FT. |
|  | Black Butte (High Point) | 118.00 +/- | Mi | 2558 FT. |
|  | Turner Mt (per map) | 119.00 +/- |  | 6897 FT. |
|  | Jack ass Butte | +/- | Mi | 2012 FT |
|  | Little Inskip Hull | +/- | Mi | 2369 FT |
|  | Inskip Hill | 136.00 +/- | 18.00 Mi | 3091 FT |
|  | Soap Butte | +/- | Mi | 1836 FT |
|  | TUSCAN BUTTES (radio towers located NE of Red Bluff) | 166.00 +/- | 19.00 Mi | 1845 FT |
|  | Red Bluff |  | Mi |  |
|  | Mt Range in Distance Behind Red Bluff |  | Mi |  |
|  | Cottonwood |  | Mi |  |
|  | Anderson |  | Mi |  |
|  | Shasta Bally | 281.00 +/- | Mi | 6199 FT. |
|  | South Fork Mtn (Radio Towers) | 295.00 +/- | Mi | 3457 FT. |
|  | IRON MTN. | +/- | Mi | 3857 FT. |

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## 10. "Palo Cedro"

West of Hwy 44 and Deschutes specifically: approximately
35 Yards West of Palo Cedro sign (on SOUTH side of hwy 44 on East bound lane) showing Population and Elevation - where white road line curves from side of road into traffic lane. BE VERY CAREFUL OF TRAFFIC! NOTE: More ground area East of Ridge is visible THAN from "Millville 44 Lookout".
view range: (good view of ridge)
-11. "44 marker 8.8 lookout".
Just West of that mile marker.
$\bullet$ 12. " Broadview lookout"
(the culdasac off of Black Butte)

| Object Viewed | Bearing True North Approx. | Approx. Distance | Object Height Apprx. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Burney Mtn | +/- | Mi | FT. |
| Latour Butte | 88.00 +/- | Mi | FT. |
| Chaos Craigs (middle peak) | 97.50 +/- | Mi | FT. |
| Mt. Lassen | 103.00 +/- | Mi | FT. |
| Brokeoff Mtn | 107.00 +/- |  |  |
| Black Butte (not visible - trees block view) | +/- | Mi | FT. |

Can see more foreground in front of Lassen and Brokeoff than "Millville 44 lookout"
view range: -from $258+/$ - degrees (to view of Anderson)
-to 37 +/-degrees (to east of Whitmore) View Comments: Not good for Shingletown Ridge Area

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Recommendations - DRAFT - IN PROCESS.
The SER Program is a Radio Communications Plan (involving communications over the radio). If any Station Operator chooses to go into the field and provide reports into the RADIO PLAN, that Station Operator alone assumes all risks and dangers of being in the field.

Some general recommendations are:

1. Park in safe location off of road. When driving follow all traffic laws and drive safely!
2. Do NOT park over any grass or anything which could ignite a fire.
3. Recommendations and recommended Items - Field Teams:

| At minimal a two (2) person team per vehicle | water and snack to eat, etc.... |
| :--- | :--- |
| Mobile - 50 Watt Radio with mag mount, | first aid kit, |
| Have a dedicated radio for each frequency - | fire extinguisher, |
| HT for each team member - <br> recommend against dual watch | shovel |
| Full tank of gas / vehicle good condition | Appropriate clothing and boots |
| Compass, | Heavy gloves |
| flashlight, | Reflective vest |
| binoculars, | Traffic Cones |
| cell phone, |  |

4. If at night you usually can "normally" see lights from a city, building, etc... in the Distance, but "now" you can't, consider whether smoke from a fire is blocking the light (per W6RKK).
5. As to the Distant Lookout Locations (e.g., "Millville 44 Lookout"), they might be used where a station operator is already traveling near such location and would merely go to the Lookout along his route to provide a report to the Smoke Report Net.

Also, having reports from different field lookout locations (each station reporting bearing and distance) can allow for triangulation to determine the location of a fire/smoke.

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| CONVERTING MAGNETIC NORTH TO / FROM TRUE NORTH |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| DECLINATION - SHINGLETOWN AREA |  |  |
| MAGNETIC FIELD <br> BEARING | ADD 14 DEG | $=$ TRUE MAP NORTH BEARING |
| TRUE MAP <br> NORTH BEARING | SUBTRACT 14 DEG | = MAGNETIC FIELD BEARING |



