

WATER SOURCES

- Indian Creek** The trail crosses Indian Creek three times in miles 4 and 5.
- Rocky Creek** Normally 1'-2' deep.
NOTE: Rocky Creek is subject to flash flooding! Do not attempt to cross during swift high water!

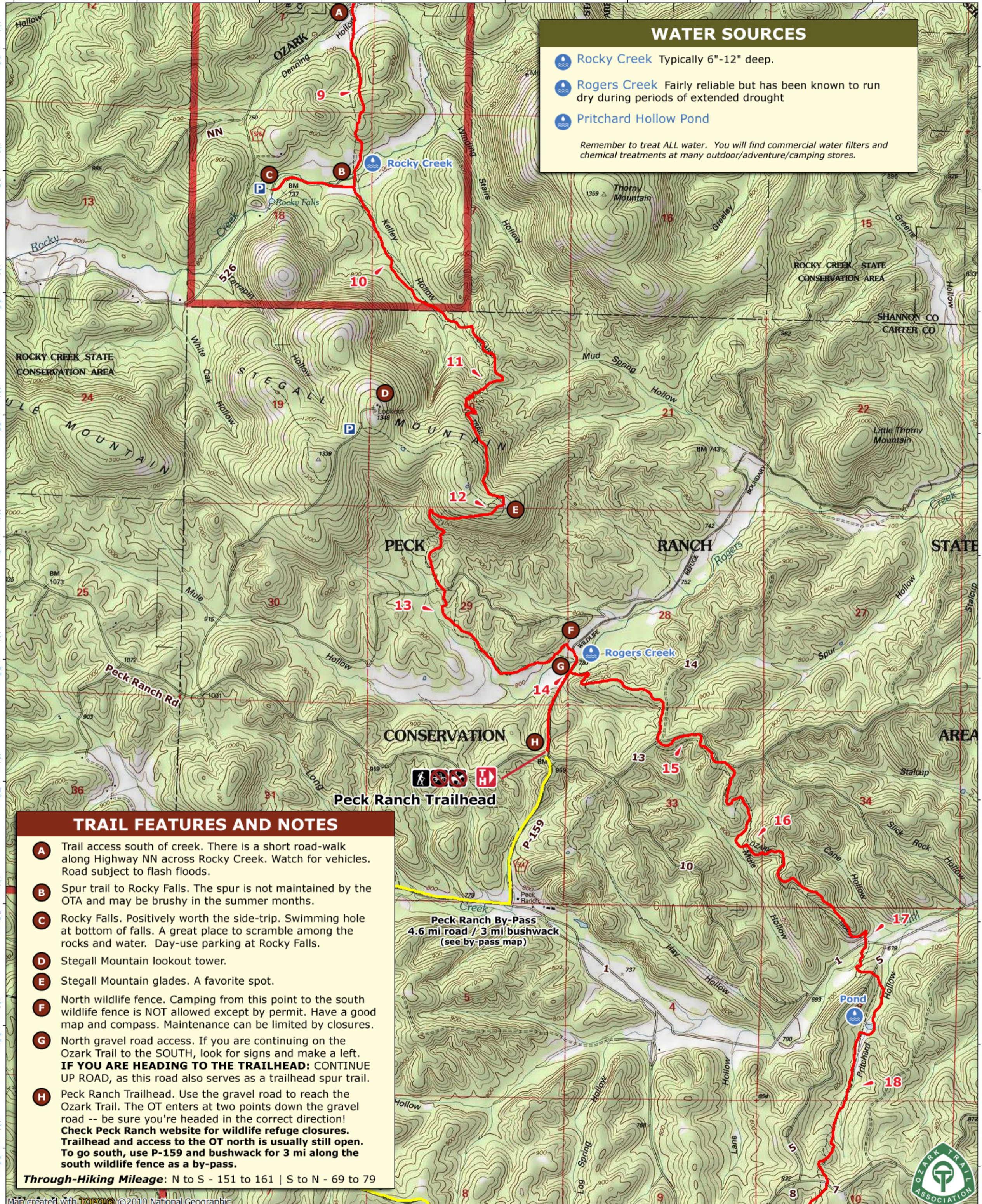
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TRAIL FEATURES AND NOTES

- A** Bluffs at Owls Bend - A great spot.
- B** Eastern terminus of Highway 106 road walk. The Blair Creek section is to the north, the spur to the trailhead is to the south, and the Current River section is along the road to the west. Register at the office if you wish to park. Watch for vehicles if traveling on the road!
- C** Powder Mill trailhead. The parking lot is next to the research center/ranger station. The trail begins at the nearby kiosk and crosses a lawn before entering the woods.
- D** Powder Mill campground. Primitive spots with a fee. There are flush toilets and running water at the nearby restroom, which is open during the warm season only. **FLOODING HAZARD AFTER HEAVY RAINS.**
- E** Western terminus of Highway 106 road walk. If heading south, watch for signs to make the turn into the woods. If heading to Powder Mill, walk along the shoulder of the road across the bridge.
- F** If traveling to the south, take the gravel road for 1/4 mile past the maintenance building to the alternate trailhead on the left. Look for signs. If traveling to the north, look for signs on the right at the top of the hill where the road turns sharply left.
- G** This is an alternate trailhead that avoids the Highway 106 road walk. If traveling to the south, look for signs into the woods on the left. If traveling to the north, take the gravel road for 1/4 mile to where the road makes a sharp left. Look for signs on the right.
- H** A big gravel bar on the Current River is just off-trail. Great spot to camp or swim or just watch the river flow by.
- I** No visit is complete without viewing the deep-aqua Blue Spring. Located off trail, east of the Current River. Just a short 1.5 mi hike from Powder Mill campground using the river trail.
- J** The trail follows a gravel bar between the woods to the west and a sharp turn before the gravel bar to the east. There is also a great trailhead here if you'd like to trim about two miles from the northern Current River section. **FLOODING HAZARD AFTER HEAVY RAINS.**
- K** Bluff overlook.
- L** Klepzig Mill, old raceway, partial dam and shut-ins. One of the nicest spots along the trail. Day-use parking spot for a couple of vehicles. Access via Highway NN - go to end of paved road, make a left and follow gravel road to Klepzig Mill.
- M** Buzzard Mountain Shut-Ins. A lovely area to explore.
- N** Trail access south of creek. There is a short road-walk along Highway NN across Rocky Creek. Watch for vehicles. Road subject to flash floods.

Through-Hiking Mileage: N to S - 140 to 151 | S to N - 79 to 90





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- Rogers Creek** Fairly reliable but has been known to run dry during periods of extended drought
- Pritchard Hollow Pond**

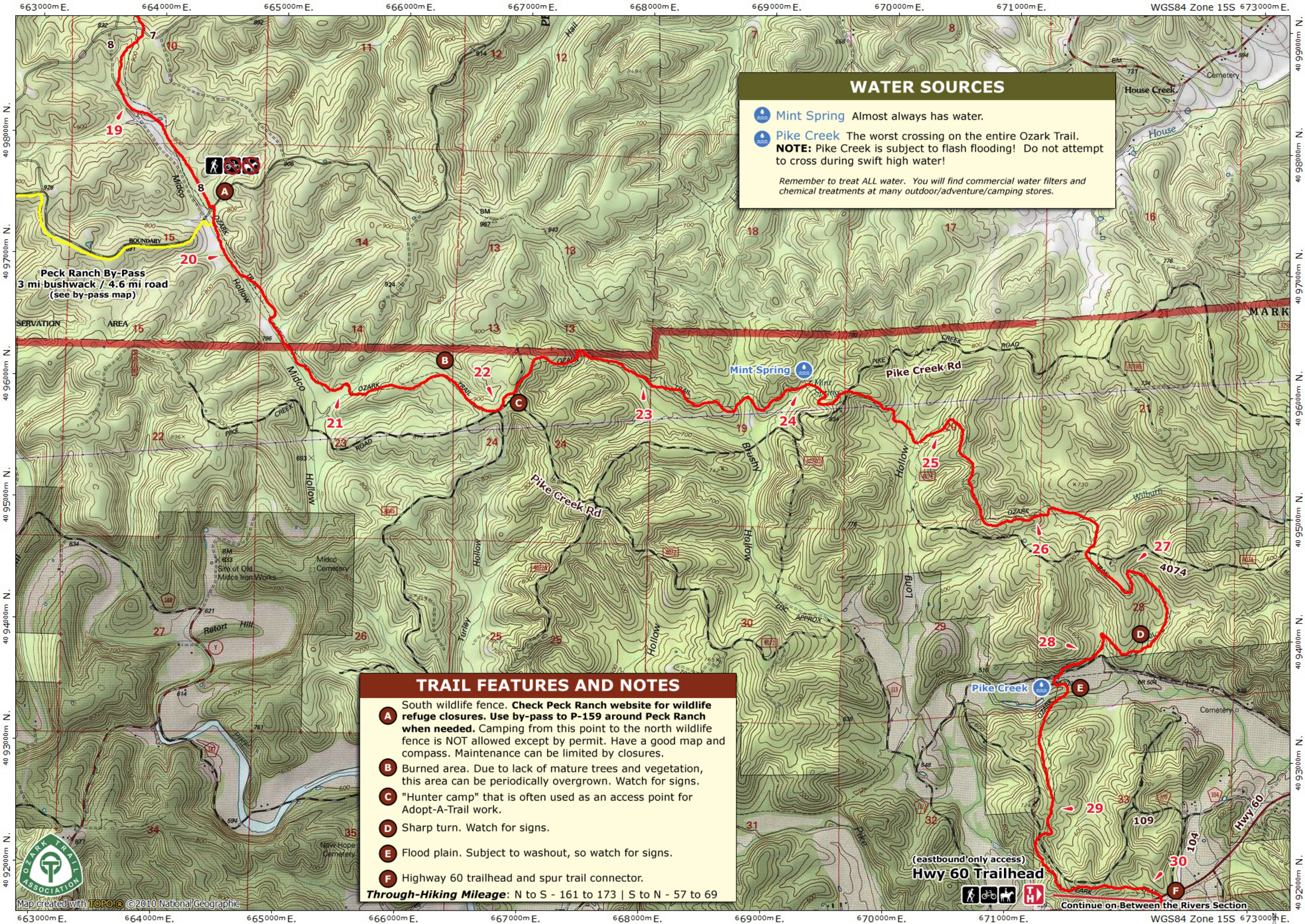
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- B** Spur trail to Rocky Falls. The spur is not maintained by the OTA and may be brushy in the summer months.
- C** Rocky Falls. Positively worth the side-trip. Swimming hole at bottom of falls. A great place to scramble among the rocks and water. Day-use parking at Rocky Falls.
- D** Stegall Mountain lookout tower.
- E** Stegall Mountain glades. A favorite spot.
- F** North wildlife fence. Camping from this point to the south wildlife fence is NOT allowed except by permit. Have a good map and compass. Maintenance can be limited by closures.
- G** North gravel road access. If you are continuing on the Ozark Trail to the SOUTH, look for signs and make a left. **IF YOU ARE HEADING TO THE TRAILHEAD: CONTINUE UP ROAD**, as this road also serves as a trailhead spur trail.
- H** Peck Ranch Trailhead. Use the gravel road to reach the Ozark Trail. The OT enters at two points down the gravel road -- be sure you're headed in the correct direction! **Check Peck Ranch website for wildlife refuge closures. Trailhead and access to the OT north is usually still open. To go south, use P-159 and bushwack for 3 mi along the south wildlife fence as a by-pass.**

Through-Hiking Mileage: N to S - 151 to 161 | S to N - 69 to 79

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-  **Mint Spring** Almost always has water.
-  **Pike Creek** The worst crossing on the entire Ozark Trail.
NOTE: Pike Creek is subject to flash flooding! Do not attempt to cross during swift high water!

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- A** South wildlife fence. **Check Peck Ranch website for wildlife refuge closures. Use by-pass to P-159 around Peck Ranch when needed.** Camping from this point to the north wildlife fence is NOT allowed except by permit. Have a good map and compass. Maintenance can be limited by closures.
- B** Burned area. Due to lack of mature trees and vegetation, this area can be periodically overgrown. Watch for signs.
- C** "Hunter camp" that is often used as an access point for Adopt-A-Trail work.
- D** Sharp turn. Watch for signs.
- E** Flood plain. Subject to washout, so watch for signs.
- F** Highway 60 trailhead and spur trail connector.

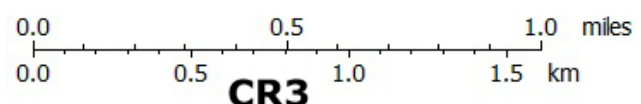
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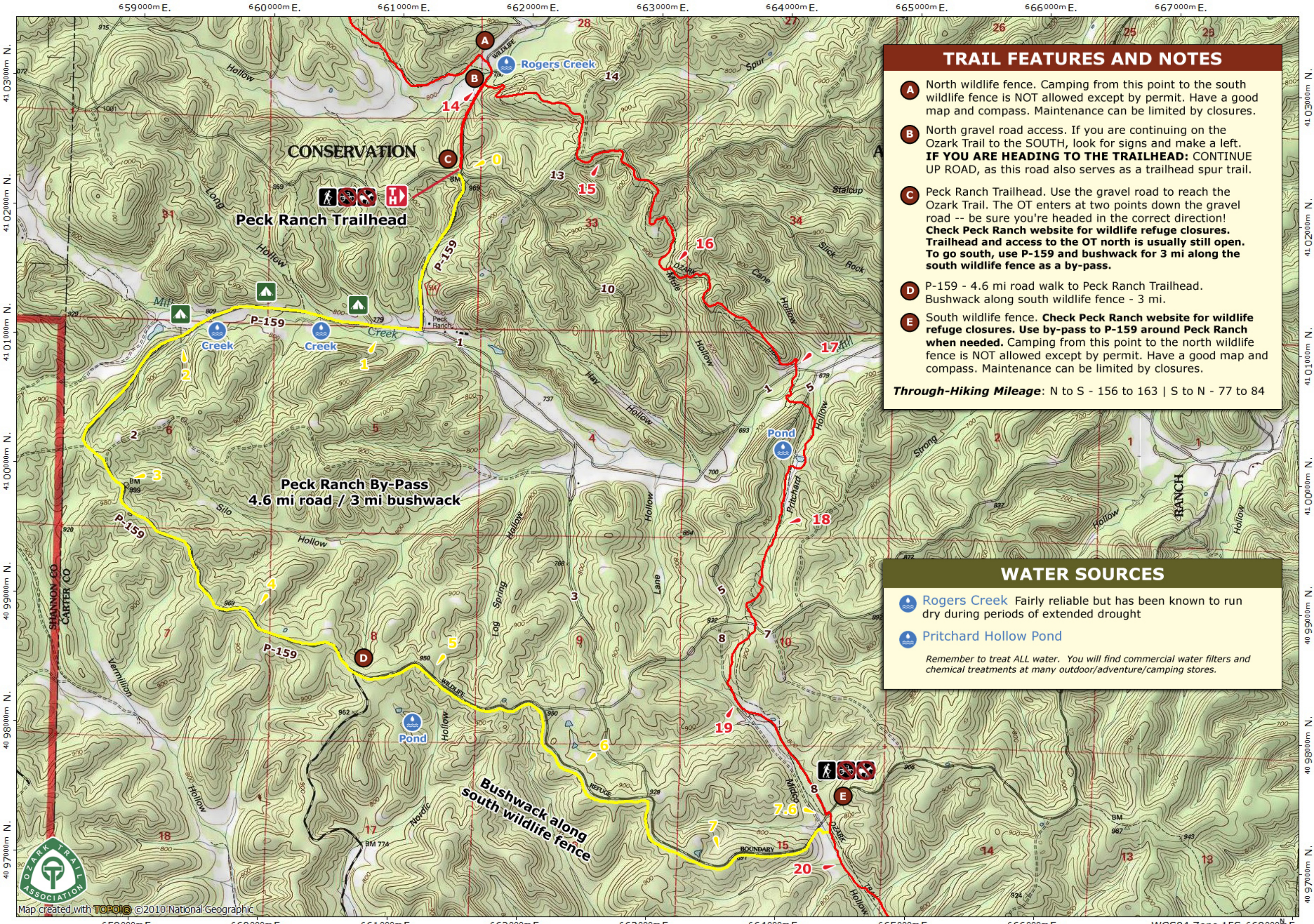


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- D** P-159 - 4.6 mi road walk to Peck Ranch Trailhead. Bushwack along south wildlife fence - 3 mi.
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Through-Hiking Mileage: N to S - 156 to 163 | S to N - 77 to 84

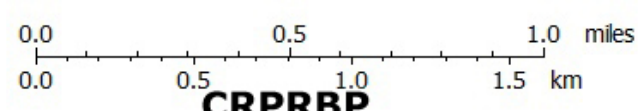
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