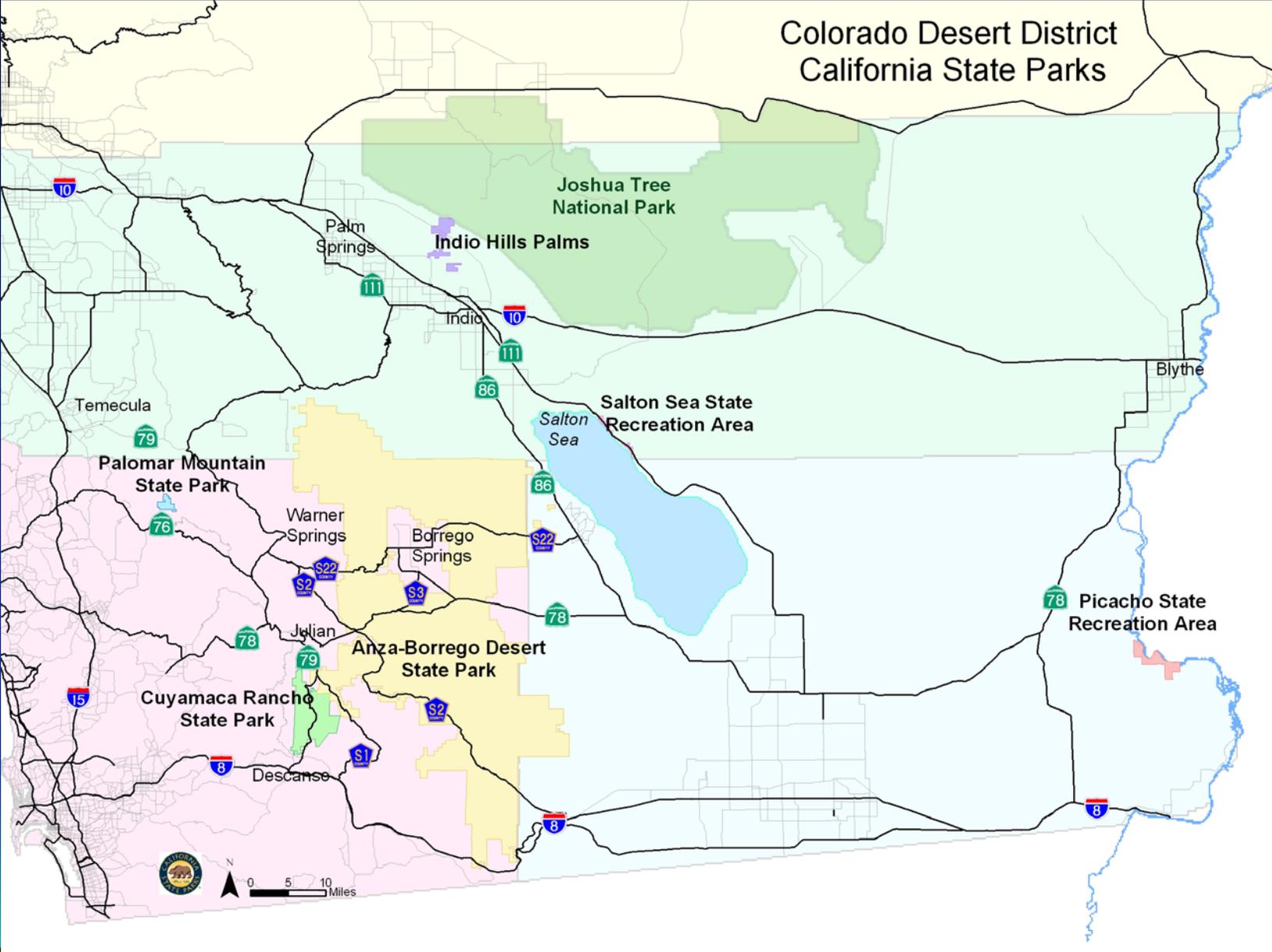


Colorado Desert District

California State Parks



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District Organization

- Sectors
- Anza-Borrego Desert State Park
- Montane
 - Cuyamaca Rancho State Park
 - Palomar Mountain State Park
- Salton Sea
 - Salton Sea State Recreation Area
 - Picacho State Recreation Area
 - Indio Palms Project



Anza-Borrego Sector





Anza-Borrego Issues

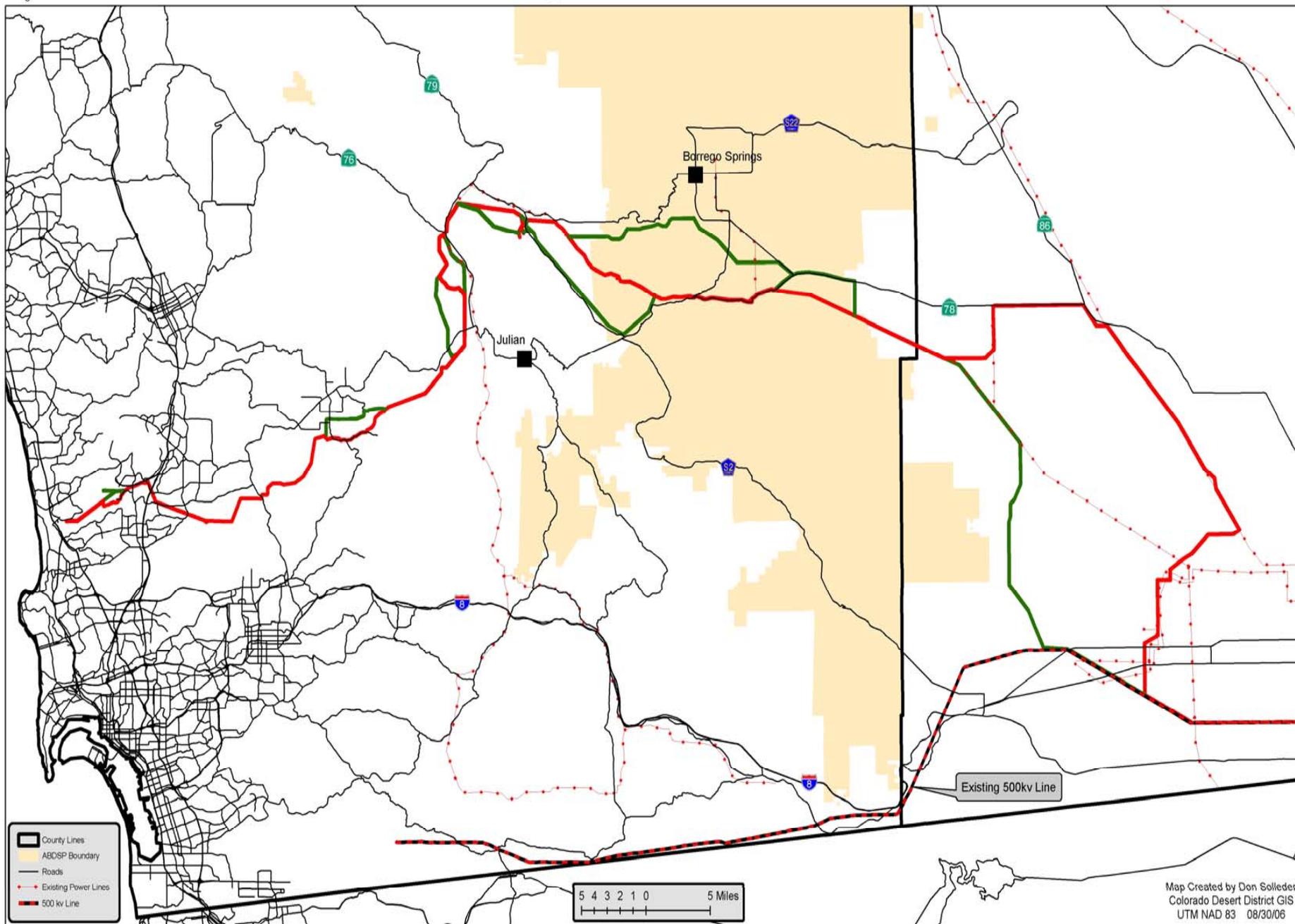
- Trespass
- Non-mission uses
 - Sunrise Powerlink
- Natural and cultural resource management
- Recreation management







Regional Overview



- County Lines
- ABCSP Boundary
- Roads
- Existing Power Lines
- 500 kv Line



Existing 500kv Line







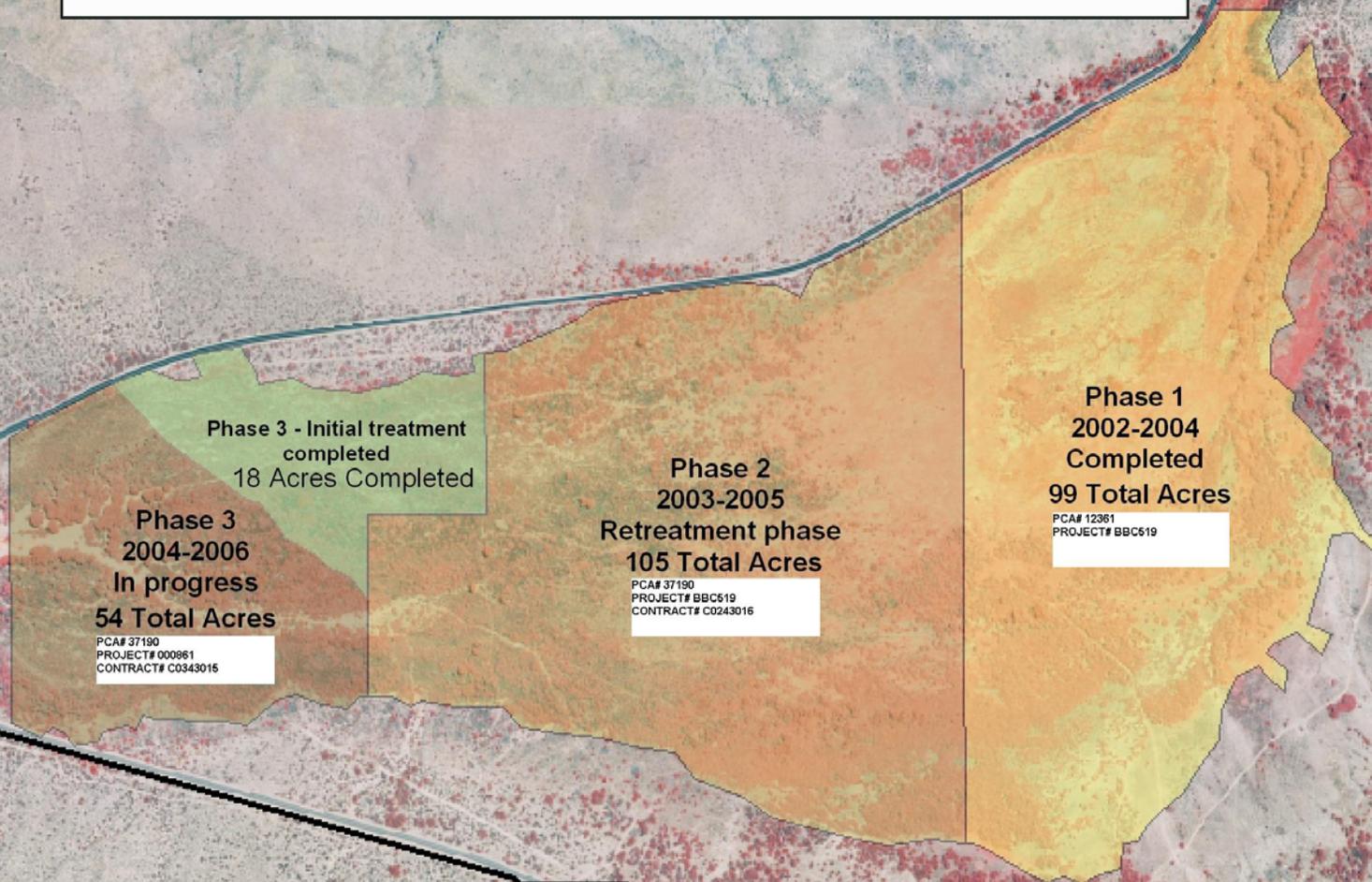








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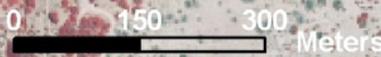


Phase 3 - Initial treatment completed
18 Acres Completed

Phase 3
2004-2006
In progress
54 Total Acres
PCA# 37190
PROJECT# 000861
CONTRACT# C0343016

Phase 2
2003-2005
Retreatment phase
105 Total Acres
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Phase 1
2002-2004
Completed
99 Total Acres
PCA# 12381
PROJECT# BBC619



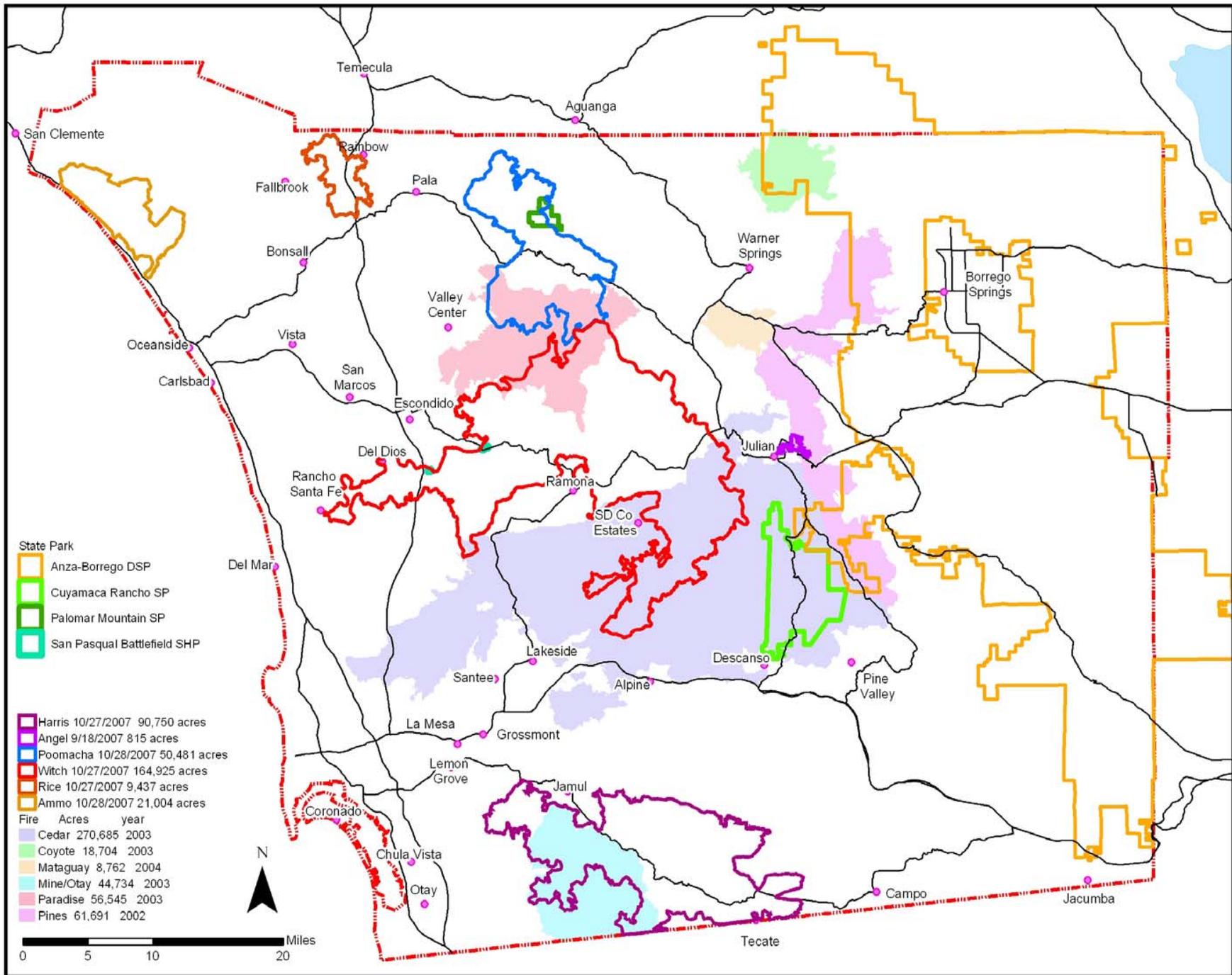
Montane Sector



Montane Sector Issues

- Fire
 - CRSP Cedar Fire recovery
 - PMSP Fuel management
- Recreation and Resource protection
 - CRSP Cultural resources protection





















Possible Restoration Strategy

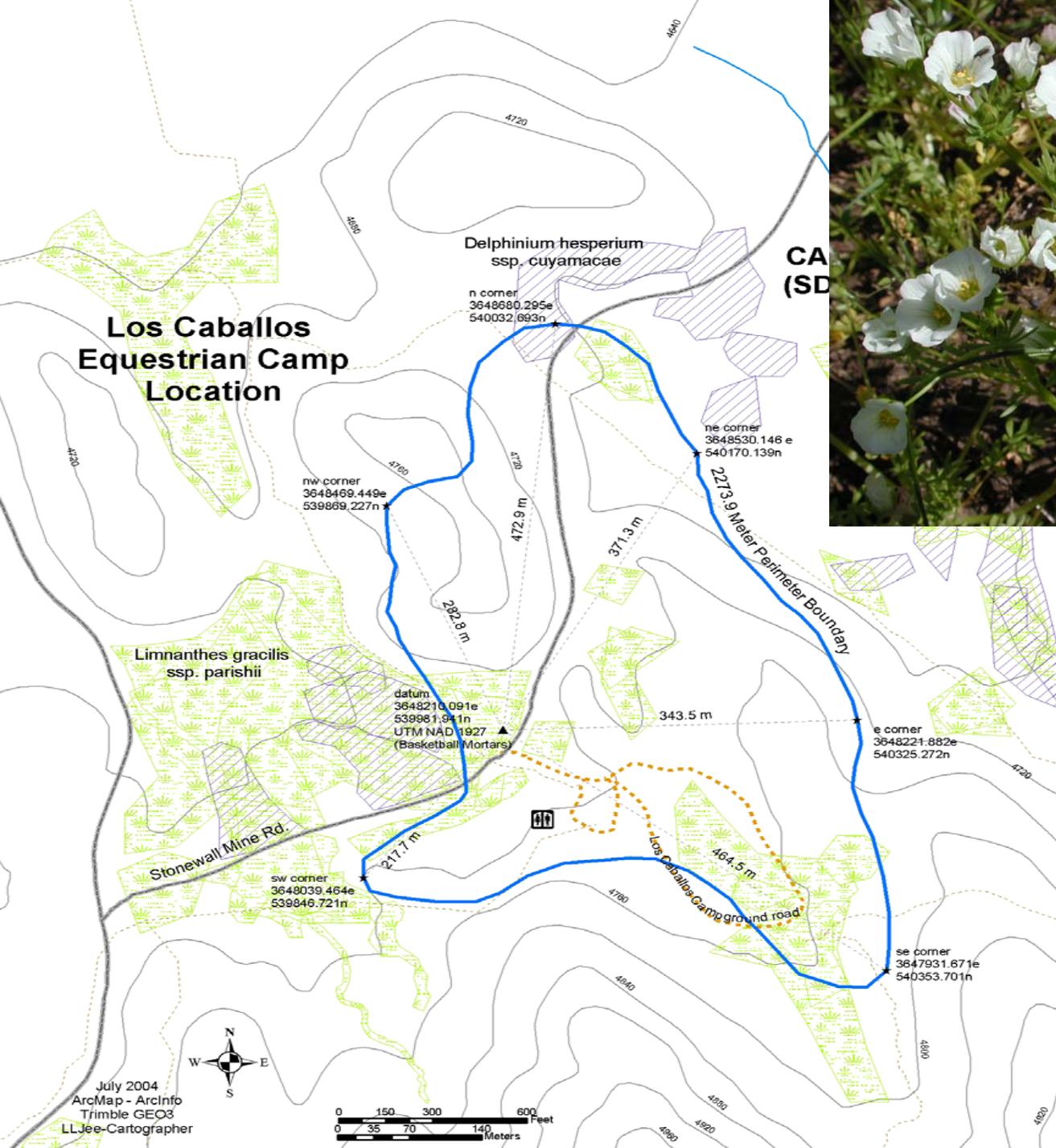
- Establish planted patches to mimic patches left by moderate intensity wildfires
- Locate patches in areas with favorable soil moisture conditions
- Plant shade intolerant species native to area
- Initial planting density and subsequent thinning to create well-spaced, fast growing trees



Likely Benefits

- Will speed restoration of mixed conifer forest
- Will be resilient to expected changes in climate and fire regime
- Will help to retain species that otherwise might go locally extinct
- Will benefit climate by sequestering more carbon from the atmosphere than shrubs or grass



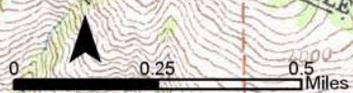
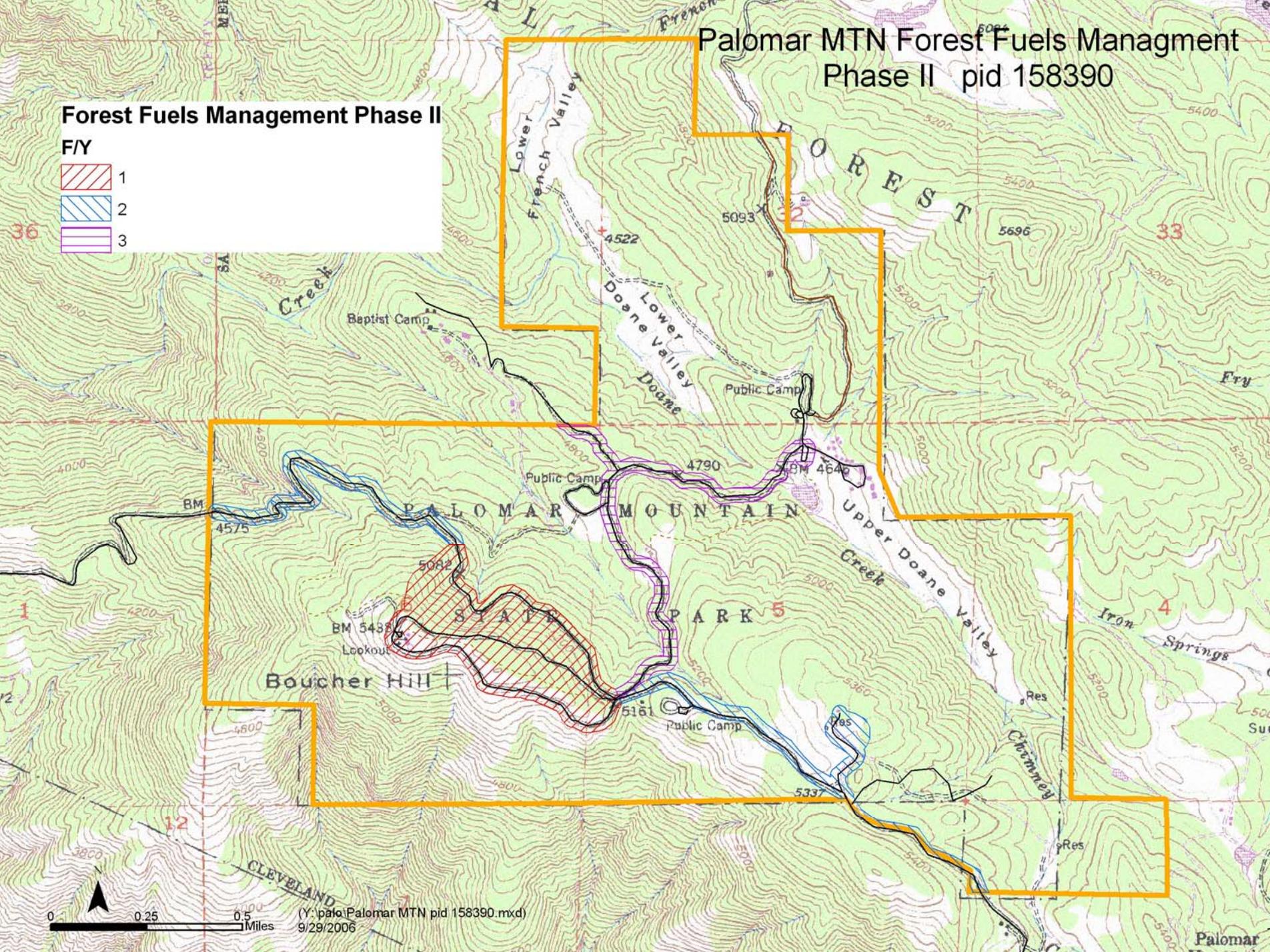


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Salton Sea Sector



Salton Sea Sector Issues

- Salton Sea restoration??
 - Value as habitat
- Picacho SRA
 - Tamarisk control
 - Cultural resource protection
 - Power generation
- Indio Palms
 - Acquisition and co-operation













