

Instructions for
Mt Hood to Timothy PCT Hike
8/9/12/17/29 kms

Walk Start Location: Timberline Lodge parking lot, Barlow Pass Trailhead, Frog Lake Trailhead on Hwy 26 or Little Crater Lake Trailhead.

GPS Coords:

Timberline TH:	45.33287, -121.70966
Barlow Pass TH:	45.28296, -121.68478
Frog Lake TH:	45.22899, -121.70018
Little Crater Lake TH:	45.14777, -121.74771

Driving Directions: From Portland OR drive toward Government Camp on Hwy 26 and after Government Camp turn left on Timberline Hwy to the lower parking lot below the Timberline Lodge. For Barlow Pass, continue on US 26 to OR 35 and after 2.8 miles on OR 35 turn right on Forest Road 3531 to Barlow Pass parking area. For Frog Lake Trailhead continue past Government Camp on US 26 for 6.5 miles and the parking area is on the left side of the road. To Little Crater Lake TH drive 11 miles past Government Camp on US 26, then right on NF 42 (Skyline Road) for 4.2 miles, then right on Forest Road 58 to Little Crater Lake Camp Ground where you'll park in the far end of the park loop near the restroom.

Park: Trailhead parking areas at all sites.

Restrooms: Bathroom at Timberline Lodge, pit toilets at all trailheads Frog Lake TH and Little Crater Lake TH.

For the Pacific Crest Trail challenge program there are three segments to this hike that can be done independently for separate credit toward the challenge. Each segment must be hiked on a different day for credit and clearly documented in the challenge book. Segment 1 is Timberline to Barlow Pass, Segment 2 is Barlow Pass to Frog Lake Trailhead and Segment 3 is Frog Lake TH to Little Crater Lake.

Walk Completion and Credit: Be sure to log back into the OSB system to finish/complete your online registration after doing the event. The OSB system does not deduct any event fee from a participant's Event Bank until they have submitted event completion info including the event was walked, the distance walked, and the selection of applicable special programs that person is participating in. (Nevertheless, a fee of \$2 for a downloaded PDF is deducted from the user's Event Bank when the PDF is downloaded. Later, any PDF fees are credited back to a user's Event Bank when he/she submits the event completion info as a paying for credit participant. Note, however, the \$2 coupon for the downloaded PDF will expire in 60 days.)

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8/9/12/29 Km rated 3C, Y-3290



This 3-part hike is offered in support of the Pacific Crest Trail Challenge, but is available for all hikers. The preferred way to enjoy the hikes is to have a drop off at one trailhead and pick up at the next trailhead. Alternatively, hikers can do out and backs on each segment.

Hikers should be experienced with trail hiking, as there is no support along the way and there are a number of crossing trails. It's always prudent to have a topographical map of the area, along with compass, GPS and cell phone.

Wear appropriate hiking clothes and foot wear, bring along water, snacks, sunscreen, and first aid supplies, plus trekking poles are recommended.

Be sure family or friends know your hiking plans and stick with those plans.

Segment 1 – Timberline Trailhead (TH) to Barlow Pass TH.

1. From the lower parking lot at Timberline Lodge hike uphill to the Pacific Crest Trail (#2000) and turn **right**. Signage is reasonably visible along the trail and the below metal markers can be found in some locations.



2. At 8 kms carefully cross OR 35 and proceed a half kilometer to the parking area along Forest Road (FR) 3531 to finish this segment.

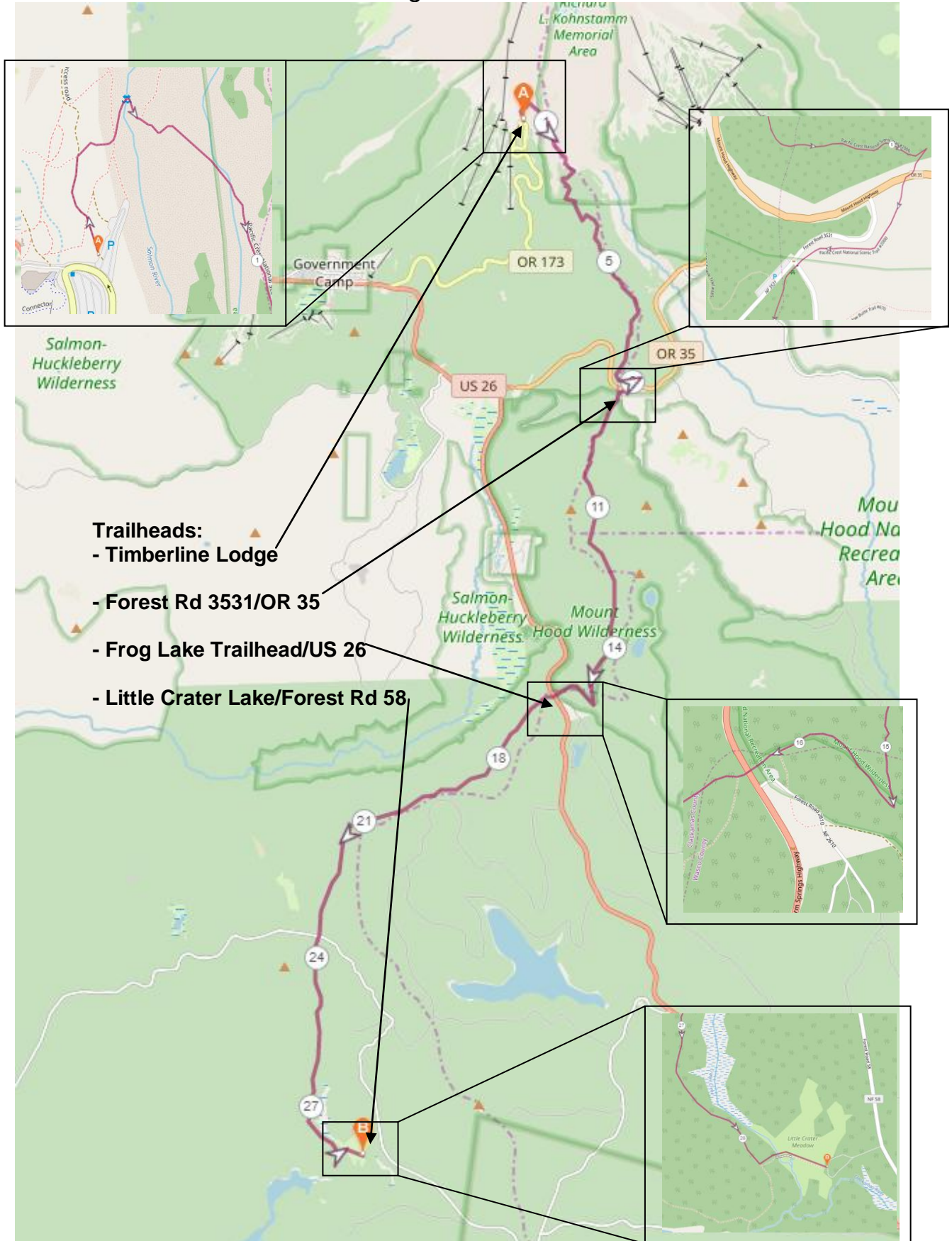
Segment 2 – Barlow Pass TH to Frog Lake TH.

1. From the parking area on FR 3531 cross the road to intersect the PCT and turn **Right**.
2. Follow trail signs to remain on the PCT (#2000) for 9 kms.
3. Just before US 26 turn **Left** on the trail to the Frog Lake TH to finish this segment.

Segment 3 – Frog Lake TH to Little Crater Lake.

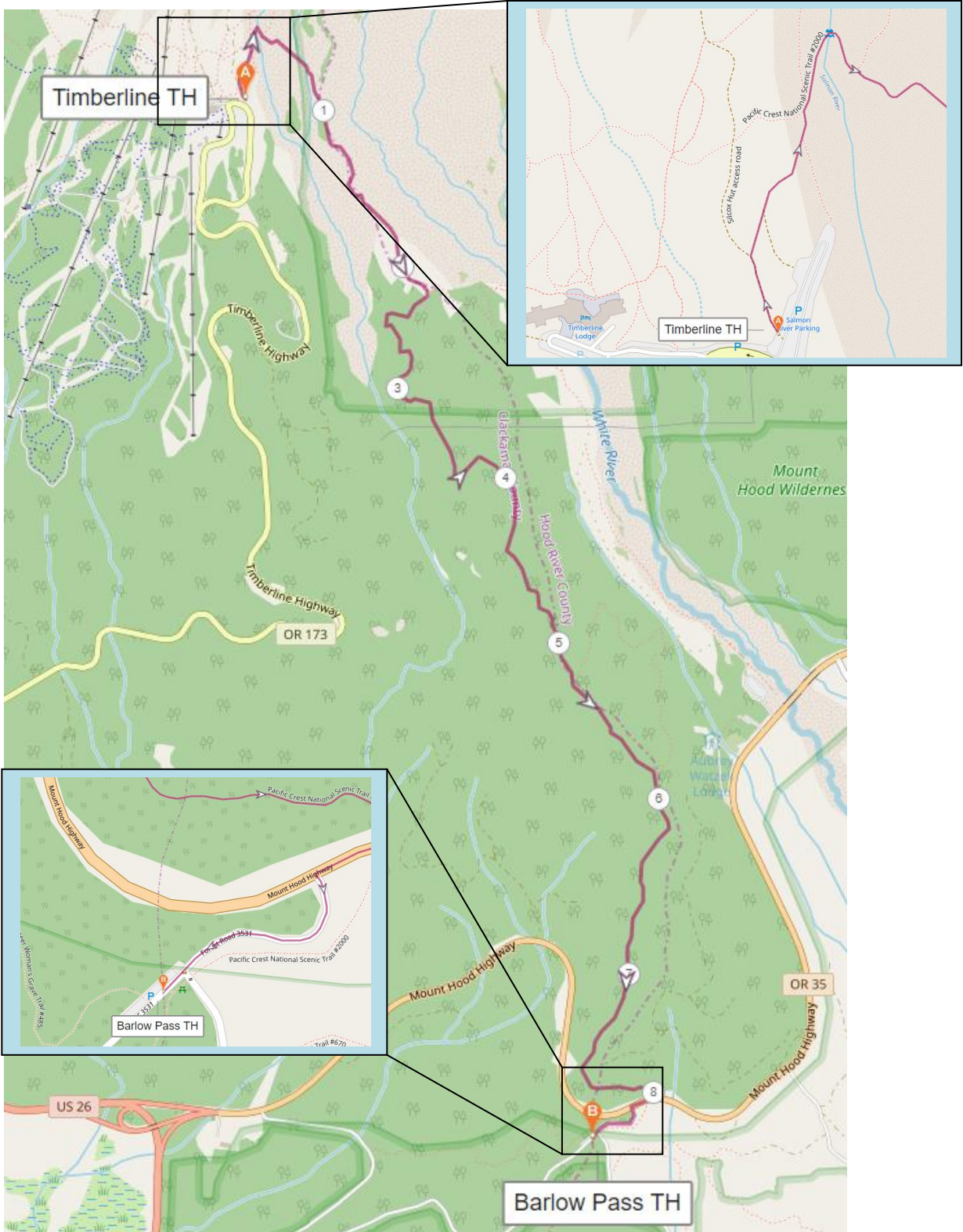
1. From the parking area follow signs to the PCT and turn **Left**.
2. Carefully cross US 26 and follow trail signs to remain on the PCT. You will cross several trails and FR 58 over 12 kms to the turn to Little Crater Lake.
3. **Left** on Little Crater Lake Trail #500 to the parking lot to finish segment 3. Be sure to take time to view Little Crater Lake.

Pacific Crest Trail Hike Timberline Lodge to Little Crater Lake

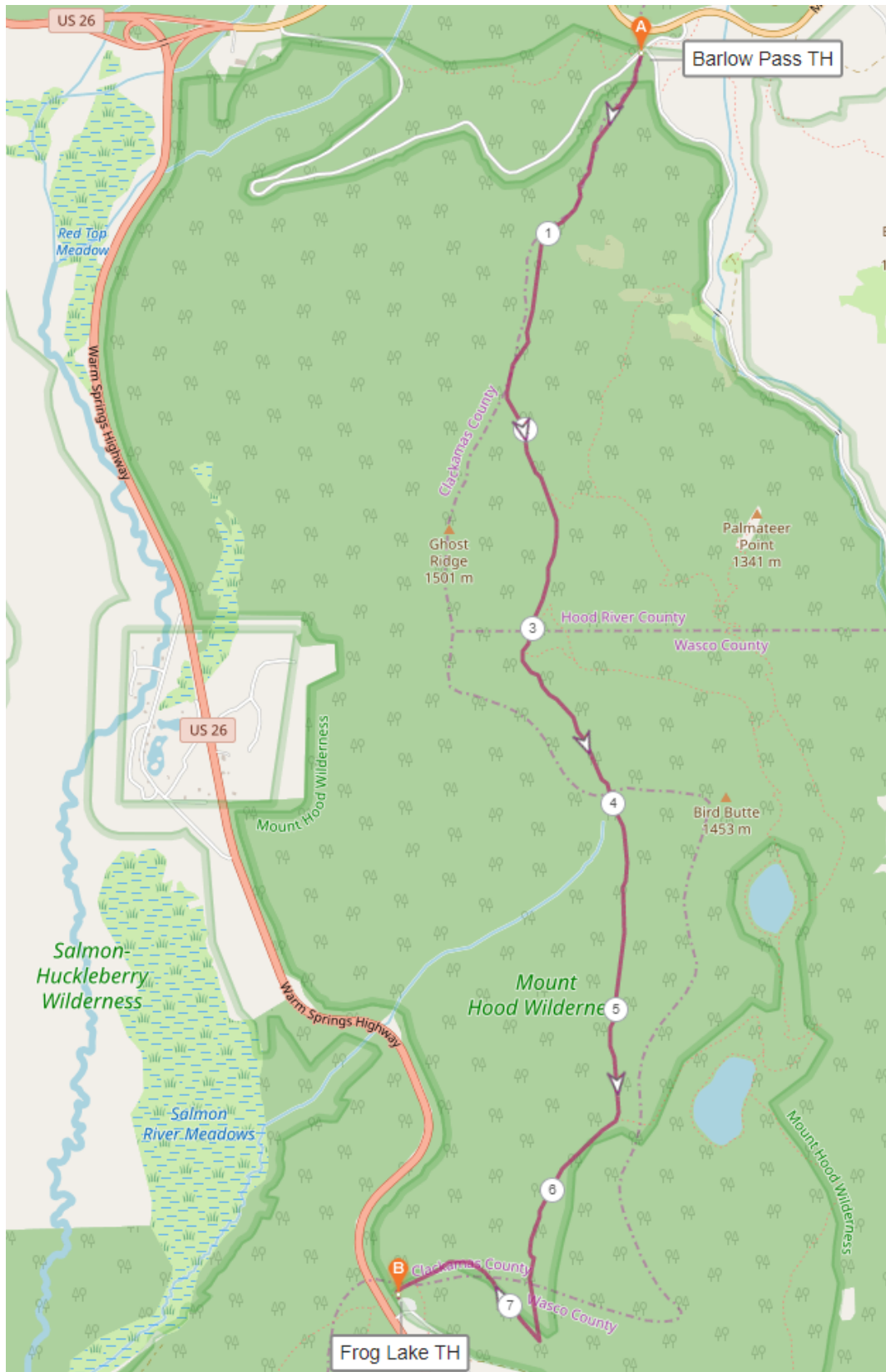


- Trailheads:**
- Timberline Lodge
 - Forest Rd 3531/OR 35
 - Frog Lake Trailhead/US 26
 - Little Crater Lake/Forest Rd 58

Timberline to Barlow Pass TH PCT Segment 1 – 9 km Rated 3C



Barlow Pass TH to Frog Lake TH PCT Segment 2 – 8 km Rated 2C



Frog Lake TH to Little Crater Lake PCT Segment 3 – 12 km Rated 2C

