

THE L.A. RIVER: A ROUGH MAP

Historical Society of Southern California, LA River tour, 8 June 2003

San Gabriel Mountains



Tour Stops

- 0** Eagle Rock Plaza
- 1** Sepulveda Dam / Basin
- 2** Tillman Plant / Japanese Garden
- 3** Glendale Narrows
- 4** Arroyo Seco Confluence
- 5** Cornfield Yards / Chinatown

THE L.A. RIVER: A SELECT BIBLIOGRAPHY

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You can use these books, articles, and websites to find out more about the history and current restoration of the river, to find where to read further, and to get information on ongoing events.

WEBSITES

www.deliriousla.net/lariver (Alan Loomis's site)
includes extensive link library

www.folar.org (Friends of the LA River)
includes information on regularly scheduled walks and bike rides

www.theriverproject.org (The River Project)

ladpw.org/wmd/watershed/LA/ (LA County Watershed management)

www.smmc.ca.gov (Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy)
operates the River Center and Gardens at 570 West Avenue 26, Los Angeles CA 90065, 323/221-8900

BOOKS AND ARTICLES

The Los Angeles River: Its Life, Death, and Possible Rebirth, by Blake Gumprecht (Johns Hopkins University Press, 1999). The bible for the river's history to the late 1990s.

Rio L.A.: Tales from the Los Angeles River, by Patt Morrison, with photographs by Mark Lamonica (Angel City Press, 2001).

Eden by Design: The 1930 Olmsted-Bartholomew Plan for the Los Angeles Region, edited and introduced by Greg Hise and William Deverell (University of California Press, 2000). The road not taken for the river.

"Paradise Reclaimed: A Field Guide to the L.A. River," by Jennifer Price, *L.A. Weekly*, 10-16 August 2001.
The Weekly site breaks this long article into 9 links:

Introduction www.laweekly.com/ink/01/38/cover-price7.php

Valley sites www.laweekly.com/ink/01/38/cover-price6.php

Glendale Narrows sites www.laweekly.com/ink/01/38/cover-price5.php

Downtown sites www.laweekly.com/ink/01/38/cover-price4.php

South sites www.laweekly.com/ink/01/38/cover-price2.php

Watershed management sites www.laweekly.com/ink/01/38/cover-price3.php

Resources www.laweekly.com/ink/01/38/paradise-ihara.php

Laws www.laweekly.com/ink/01/38/cover-price8.php

Map www.laweekly.com/ink/01/38/lariver-map.php

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