Harriman State Park offers over 20 miles of non-motorized trails for hiking, biking, and equestrian use. Trailheads are located at the visitor center, Ranchview, Sage Flat, and north gate. Mileage is shown on the map.

River Trail - This short trail skirts the banks of the Henrys Fork to the ranch complex and provides excellent views of the Tetons. Anglers will find easy access to the river. (easy)

Ranch Loop - The Ranch Loop travels through historic buildings and then follows the east shoreline of Silver Lake. An excellent short trail for viewing wildlife. (easy)

Silver Lake Trail - The Silver Lake Trail provides the best opportunity to view the birds of Harriman. Moose and elk are often seen on the trail's northwest end. The rolling hills on the west side of Silver Lake are a favorite of mountain bikers. (moderate)

Golden Lake Loop - The Golden Lake Trail provides an ideal semi-wilderness experience. Look for wildflowers in the large meadows. At Golden Lake, trumpeter swans and grazing elk may be seen. (moderate)

Thurmon Creek Loop - Alternating through dense stands of Lodgepole Pine and open areas, the Thurmon Creek Loop is frequently used by those wishing to get close to bugling elk in the fall. (moderate)

Ridge Trail - The 400 foot elevation gain on the Ridge Trail takes you through several forest communities. The Ridge Overlook provides spectacular views of the Tetons with the lakes and forest of Harriman in the foreground. Expect steep trail conditions. (difficult)



Ridge Shortcut - Faster to the overlook but steep, this trail takes your through shimmering aspen forests. (difficult)

Meadow Loop - During the spring, displays of wildflowers cover the meadows along this trail. A great trail to encounter nesting sandhill cranes.

Sit at Thurmon Overlook in the evening to see elk enter the meadows. (easy)

Big Bend Loop - A wide trail, accommodating side by side bicyclists and horseback riders, the Big Bend Trail travels along the Henrys Fork primarily through open meadows. Bald eagles are a common occurrence on this loop. (easy)

East Gate Trail—Provides access from HWY 20 or Bing Lempke Parking area to the Ranch Bridge at Intersection 13. This is a flat, two track trail to accommodate bikes side by side. (easy)

Harriman State Park is a wildlife refuge and its trail system was designed with that in mind. Please honor trail restrictions:

The River Trail and Big Bend are closed from snow melt to June 15 for nesting birds, and the Ridge Trail is closed from snow melt to July 1st for calving elk.

Pets are NOT allowed in Harriman—they must remain in parking lots ONLY on a leash. There is no camping in Harriman.





Please Remember

- You are in bear country—carry bear spray and don't hike alone
- Use caution around wild animals
- Watch for falling trees during high winds
- Dress for changing weather
- Carry drinking water and snacks
- Yield to equestrians
- Carry out trash
- Avoid creating shortcuts
- Please close gates behind you

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