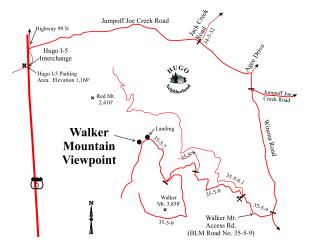
## Walker Mt. Viewpoint Elevation 3,200'

There are lots of safe and comfortable scenic view points to discover picturesque Hugo from the air. Well, from the viewpoints looking down, it feels like being in the air, sorta.

The Walker Mt. Viewpoint is about 9.5 vehicle miles and 32 minutes one-way from the Hugo I-5 interchange (see map).



The Jumpoff Joe Creek Valley from I-5 to the Winona Road junction is a beautiful drive in itself. The valley has a farming and ranching history along with the wonder of gold mining, especially the historic Lucky Queen Mine. An early 1910s lumber town, Mountain, was located in its headwaters, which was the beginning of an unusual 11.5-mile long lumber flume all the way to the Town of Three Pines on the Southern Pacific Railroad right-of-way.

## Walker Mountain Elevation 3,858

Walker Mountain is a dominate feature in the Hugo neighborhood. It is 3,858' high and named after two Hugo pioneer brothers, Augustus and Wesley Walker. The brothers were 1850s donation land claimants (Augustus Walker - Donation Land Claim Patent No. 861; Wesley Walker - Donation Land Claim Patent No. 778).

#### Vehicle Travel Miles

- 0.0 Hugo I-5 Interchange Parking. Elev. 1,160'
- 3.0 Junction of Jumpoff Joe Creek Road & Jack Creek Road (34-5-32)
- 4.0 Agee Drive
- 4.2 Junction of Jumpoff Joe Creek Road and Winona Road
- 6.1 Walker Access Road junction with Winona Road (35-5-9)
- 6.7 Junction of 35-5-9 & 35-5-8.1
- 7.9 Junction of 35-5-9 & 35-5-8
- 8.6 "Y" junction near top of Walker Mountain (35-5-9 & 35-5-7)
- 9.35 North Walker Mountain Landing
- 9.5 North Walker Mountain Viewpoint
- 9.5 Total Miles

#### **OUTDOOR RISK WARNING STATEMENT -**

**WARNING!** There is a personal risk the individual assumes anytime he ventures into the "wilds" of Hugo. Non-paved roads can be dangerous anytime, but especially in near vertical terrain (i.e., narrow, steep, curvy, blind corners, edge of cliff, poor road material, overhanging vegetation, mud holes, loose rocks, changing conditions, etc.). Besides dangerous roads there are other environmental elements to prepared for: weather, hazardous terrain, potentially dangerous plants, and critters. The big "real" common concerns are hot summer heat, ticks, poison oak, and rattlesnakes. The *Hugo Neighborhood* assumes no liability for information provided, nor any harm that may result from individuals traveling into the "wilds."

#### More Information

Five popular Hugo view points are:

- Pacific Highway
- Burgess Gulch
- Walker Mountain
- Quartz Creek
- Sexton Mountain Lookout

The 32-minute drive from the Hugo I-5 interchange to the Walker Access Road junction with Winona Road (35-5-9) is on public pavement and paved roads. The Walker Access Road Number 35-5-9 to the north viewpoint is a rough bedrock gravel road, some feel road is pushing 2-wheel and needs 4-wheel drive.



Want more information? Contact an officer of the *Hugo Neighborhood* on how you can become involved in your community's history projects.

# Hugo Neighborhood Association & Historical Society's Mission

This information brochure is one of a series of documents published by the Hugo Neighborhood Association & Historical Society (Hugo Neighborhood). It is designed to be shared with neighbors for the purpose of helping protect our rural quality of life by promoting an informed citizenry in decisionmaking. The Hugo Neighborhood is an informal nonprofit charitable and educational organization with a land use and history mission promoting the social welfare of its neighbors.

### Land Use & History

The Hugo Neighborhood's land use mission is to promote the social welfare of the citizens of the area by working to promote Oregon Statewide Goal 1 — Citizen Involvement, and by preserving, protecting, and enhancing the livability and economic viability of its farms, forests, and rural neighbors.

Its history mission is to educate, collect, preserve, interpret, and research its local history and to encourage public interest in the history of the Hugo area.

Membership dues are \$10.00 annually and are due in January. They will be used for paper, ink, envelopes, publications and mailings. Make checks payable to the *Hugo Neighborhood* and send them our Treasurer. Send us your e-mail address if you want to know what we are doing.

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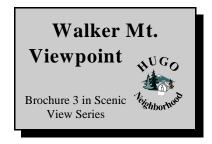
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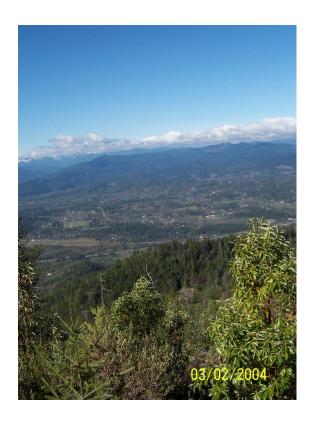
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