

Illinois Valley Road (IV) Of Applegate Trail (*Trail*): Fort Vannoy Farms (IV-N2A)¹

Hugo's IV Road to Illinois Valley via Van Noys Ferry (route of the *Trail*) is located in Josephine County, Oregon from the Rogue River in the south to Widow Niday's place in the north.²

FORT VANNOY FARMS

POI Name Fort Vannoy Farms² ■ IV-N2A.

POI ID Code OR-AG-24-36-06-16/21-W-IV-N2A
■ IV-N2A

1855 GLO Subdivisions, West on True Line Between Sections 16 and 21, T.36S., R.6W., W.M. Page 127.

Chains

40.30 Set Sec Post [40.30 chains = 2,659.8 ']

48.00 Road from Van Noys to Willamette [48.00 chains = 3,168']

55.50 Van Noys Barn being South about 250 chs dist

59.50 Van Noys House Being South about 5 ch dist.

Latitude & Longitude POI Calculated³

42° 25' 59.6" North Latitude

123° 24' 59.1" West Longitude

Members took GPS took readings with general agreement to the C.S. 50-70 site (one GPS reading was 30' to east; two GPS readings were 50' to southeast; Photo 2).

POI Located With GPS/C.S./Temporary Interpretative Sign Yes.

1. Hugo Neighborhood. 2009 *Hugo's Applegate Trail GLO Points of Interest*. Brochure 1 in Applegate Trail GLO Surveys Series. Hugo, OR.

2. General Surveyor Office of Oregon. Subdivision Lines For 1856 Map (T.34., R. 6. W., Willamette Meridian). Field Notes. Surveyor Luke G Hyde. Contract February 19, 1855; Surveyed March 31, 1856; Hugo Neighborhood. 2006. *Hugo's Applegate Trail Field Notes*. Brochures 10A - 10D in Emigrant Trail Series. Hugo, OR.

Diaries, Journals, & Reminiscences³

County Surveys Both C.S. 50 70 and C.S. 159 90 locate the 1/4 corner between sections 16 & 21.

C.S. 50 70 - March 1970 "Survey In SW 1/4 Sec. 16 T36S R6E WM", Survey for Walt Crouse by Bryce W. Townley.

C.S. 159 90 - November 26, 1990 "Plat of Survey for Mr. Davis", Located in T.36S., R.6W., Sec. 16, SW1/4, W.M., by Richard G Templin Land Surveying



Photo 2. GPS Stakes From NV-N2A Stake

Mt. Sexton (unnamed in 1846 - 1857) could be viewed to the north by the emigrants traveling the Trail and by the members of the GLO Sub-Committee.

General Land Office (GLO)¹ & Josephine County Surveys (C.S.) & Maps

IV-N2A was located 539.21' east of 5/8" I.ROD per C.S. 50-70. The 90" true east bearing was aligned with an oak tree in the distance. The location was in a planted field corn field. There were no traces or physical signs of the trail in the cultivated field. The location was temporarily marked with a wooden stake and OCTA composite post (Photo 1). The stake was permanently removed because the area is part of a working farm.

Stakeholder Patricia A. O'Hara Lechuga, Tax Lot 2601, Section 16, T.36S., R.6W., W.M., 20.98 acres (EF), Grants Pass, Oregon 97526.

OCTA Trail Classification Class ③ Verified Trail, or Class ④ Altered and Verified Trail.⁴

Coherence Rule Linear Uniformity. Yes

Corroborative Rule Confirming Evidence. Yes

Collateral Rule Physical/Topo Evidence. No

Correlation Rule Overall Agreement. Yes

Be Respectful *Do not trespass. IV-N2A is located on private property not open to the public.*

More Information Contact a member of the Hugo Emigrant Trails Committee.

3. Rose, Karen. 2006. Hugo Emigrant Trails Committee, Hugo Neighborhood Association & Historical Society. *Hugo's Applegate Trail Diaries, Journals & Reminiscences Project*. "Yellow Book Project" For Participants of the Diaries, Journals and Reminiscences Sub-Committee. Hugo, OR. Hugo Neighborhood. 2005 *Diaries & Journals*. Brochure 11 in Emigrant Trail Series. Hugo, OR; Hugo Neighborhood. 2006 *Diaries, Journals & Reminiscences Sub-Committee*. Brochure 11B in Emigrant Trail Series. Hugo, OR.

4. Office of National Trails Preservation & Oregon-California Trails Association (P.O. box 1019, Independence, MO, 64051-0519, 816-252-2276, octa@indepmo.org). July 2002, 4th edition. *Mapping Emigrants Trails MET Field Manual*.

Hugo Emigrant Trails Committee

Hugo is blessed with a rich heritage of historic roads, rough though they were. The *Hugo Emigrant Trails Committee* was formed to bring together all those who want to learn more about the early transportation in the area, from the casual admirer to the dedicated researcher. Its aim is to collect and record information about Hugo's emigrant trails, especially its two historic 1850s General Land Office mapped roads, and to share this information (e.g., through *Hugo History Day*, talks, hikes, group visits, training exercises, workshops, publications, web sites, etc.).

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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 decision-making. The *Hugo Neighborhood* is an informal nonprofit charitable and educational organization with a land use and history mission of promoting the social welfare of its neighbors.

Land Use & History

The *Hugo Neighborhood's* land use mission is to promote Oregon Statewide Goal 1 — Citizen Involvement, and to preserve, protect, and enhance the livability and economic viability of its farms, forests, and rural neighbors. It will act, if requested, as a technical resource assisting neighbors to represent themselves.

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. Volunteer membership dues are \$10.00 annually per family and normally used for paper, ink, envelopes, publications and mailings.

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Photo 1. Bob, Joe, Leta, Kelly, Rene, & Jim
At IV-N2A

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