

General Land Office (GLO) Surveyed Points of Interest (POIs): 1855 JA-14 Maple Creek To 1893 JA-15 South Rat Creek

Map 8. Jacksonville Road (JR) Of Applegate Trail (Trail): 1874 Josephine County's First Surveyed Road Base Map: 1874 Josephine County Survey¹

January 9, 2012 This 1874 county road is a surveyed road with many features accurately located along the road, but survey does not tie into any surveyed corner or monument, and it is difficult to be accurately located. Josephine County Public Works¹ was able to establish it's general location and relationship to today's roads with an AutoCAD program by plotting the 1874 survey notes. Chard identified the boundaries of Section 23.

The old 1874 road is partially composed of today's Warner Road, Railroad Avenue, Edgewood Road, Sunny Valley Loop, Old Stage Road, Hugo Road, Oxyoke Road, Monument Drive, Grants Pass Road, Camp Joy Road and Highland Avenue.

Especially applicable here are three survey notes (i.e., points) in Section 23 (Map 8). However, all points as to course and distance are important in the later comparison analysis to accurately plot road on 1998 USGS Quad (Map 9).

AutoCAD	Links	Feet	Course
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Ascend Hill [Close to JA-15; *Location Of Applegate Trail in Upper Rat Creek: A Work In Progress*^{17A}]

Point 191	12.5	825'	S. 6½" W
Point 192	6.5	429'	S. 15½" E
Point 193	7.0	462'	S. 10" E

Top of Hill

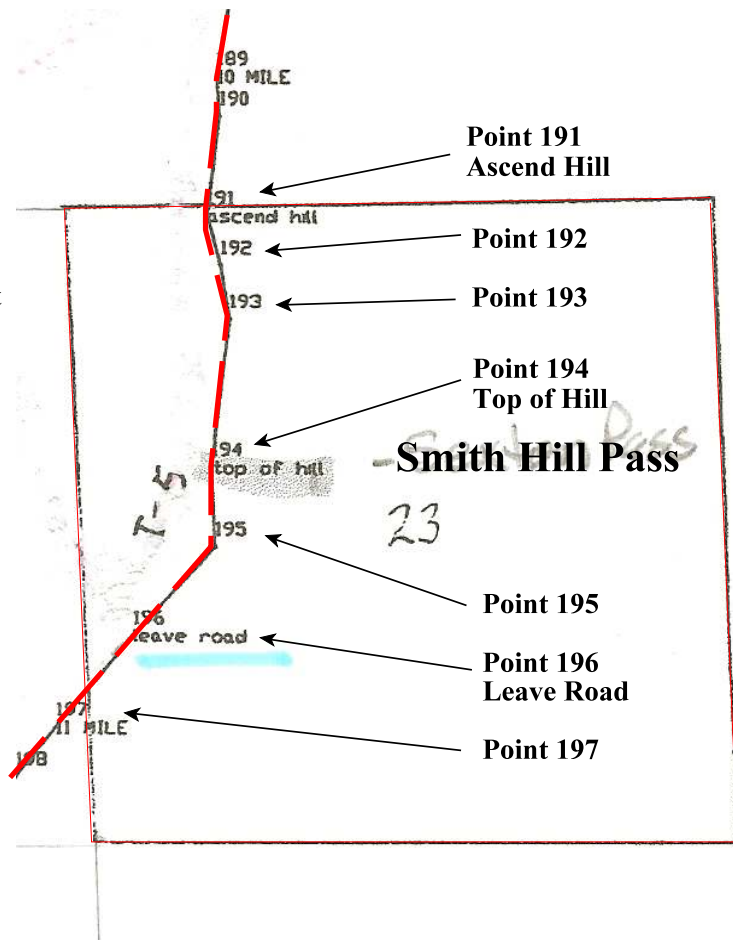
Point 194	19.0	1,254'	S. 6" W
Point 195	10.0	660'	S. 3½" E

Leave Road

Point 196	15.0	990'	S. 42" W
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[Close to JA-14]

Point 197	15.0	990'	S. 38½" W
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Footnote 1. On July 11, 1997, Bob Chard, Engineering Technician III, Josephine County Public Works, developed a report on a road established by the Josephine County Commissioners on April 9, 1874 (Commissioner's Book 2, Page 261). Alex Watts, County Surveyor at that time, did a survey of the route. It is recorded as part of the Road Viewers Report as Road Number 12 (Book 1, Pages 40-45, May 20, 1874, copy enclosed).