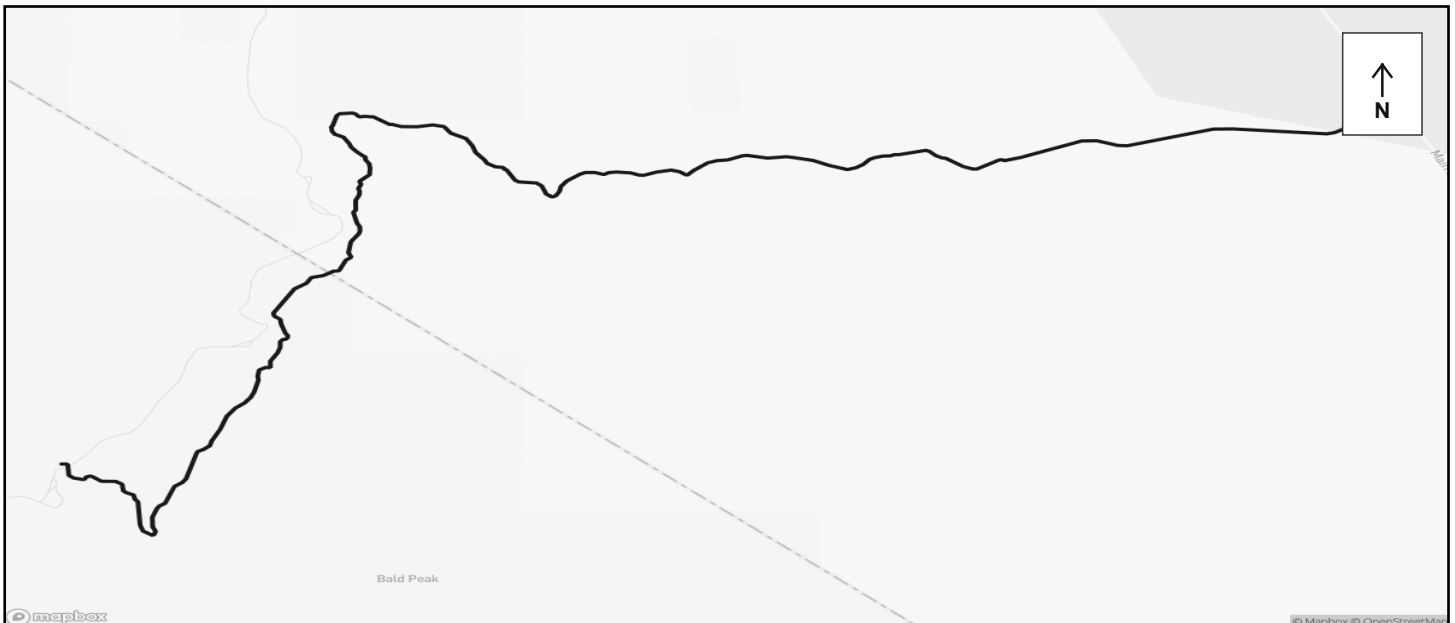


Leviathan Mine To Carson River Hot Springs

Wild West Offroad Trails | April 10, 2026

Rating: 3/10 | Length: 9.3 mi | Waypoints: 0

Gardnerville, Nevada



Rating:	3 / 10	Waypoints:	0
Length:	9.3 miles	Location:	Gardnerville, Nevada
Trail Start:	38.80403, -119.60689		
Trail End:	38.76985, -119.71473		
Min Elevation:	5,196 ft	Peak Elevation:	5,982 ft
Total Ascent:	1,090 ft	Total Descent:	1,872 ft
Gradient Bias:	Mostly Downhill		

Description

Another alternate route to access the Carson River Hot Springs. This route also requires that you cross the river, so please make sure to gauge the water level and flow before attempting. Leviathan Mine Rd. is flat, but once you drop off, things get quite a bit tighter. There aren't any real "obstacles" but there can be washouts and ruts to watch out for. About 6 miles in, you will intersect with Young's Crossing, which is part of the route in from China Springs.

Recommendations / Other Info

We recommend having 33" tires and some basic recovery gear. Also, this trail can be much more difficult in the winter season due to snow and ice. Prepare appropriately for that!

Notices

-

Trail URL: <https://www.wildwestoffroadtrails.com/trails/leviathan-mine-to-carson-river-hot-springs>

Data is community-contributed and may be incomplete or inaccurate. Use caution and verify local conditions before travel.