



In case of emergency, call 911.

Using this map as a guide, indicate which trail you are on or near to help speed up the rescue process.

Additional contact numbers:

Sandy Police: 801-799-3000 (non-emergency dispatch), 801-568-7200 (Administration)

Sandy Fire: 801-799-3000 (non-emergency dispatch), 801-568-2930 (Administration)

Sandy Parks & Rec: 801-568-2900

Public Utilities: 801-568-6087

Trail Info:



Hiking Safety:



No swimming.

No dogs.

No littering.

No camping in this protected watershed area.

No fireworks.

No horses.



BELL CANYON TRAILS

Offering numerous hikes of various difficulties including scenic highlights like the waterfalls, lower reservoir, and upper mountain reservoir.



HIKER WARNING!

In recent years, 3 people have died at the waterfall, 1 person has died rock climbing past the waterfall, and numerous people have been injured and/or had to be rescued.

**DO NOT JUMP ACROSS THE WATER
AROUND THE WATERFALL**



**Pack
Plenty of
Water**



**Wear
Proper
Shoes**

Keep It Pure
Don't pollute the watershed.



BACKPACKING CHECKLIST

10 ESSENTIALS

For Safety, Survival and Basic Comfort



NAVIGATION

Maps (with protective case) | compass | GPS/Altimeter (optional)



SUN PROTECTION

Sunscreen | Lip Balm | Sunglasses



INSULATION

Jacket | Vest | Pants | Gloves | Hat



ILLUMINATION

Headlamp/Flashlight/Lantern | Extra Batteries



FIRST-AID SUPPLIES

First-aid Kit



FIRE

Matches/Lighter | Waterproof Container | Fire Starter



TOOLS & REPAIR

Knife/Multi-tool | Duct Tape Strips | Repair Kit Portable Cell Phone Charger



NUTRITION

Extra Day's Supply of Food



HYDRATION

Water Bottles | Hydration Reservoirs | Water Filter Device



EMERGENCY SHELTER

Tent | Tarp | Bivy | Reflective Blanket

This is a Protected Watershed Area WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?

- The water here ends up in our drinking supply!
- We need YOUR help to KEEP IT PURE
- No dogs (waste can end up in the water supply)
- No swimming, camping, or campfires
- Carry out any trash to keep area clean

For more info: sandy.utah.gov/watershed

HIKING TRAIL SAFETY TOP 10



Hike with a buddy and tell someone where you are going and when you will return



Stay on marked trails and do not climb on waterfalls



Don't take unnecessary risks and know your physical limitations



Take a phone, but don't count on cell phones to work in the wilderness (don't rely on a GPS to prevent you from getting lost)



Take plenty of water and snacks (never assume stream water is safe to drink)



Wear sunscreen to protect your skin from sun damage



Dress for the season in bright colors (Always carry quality rain gear and turn back in bad weather)



Help others on the trail



All hikers (especially children and older adults) should carry a whistle — three short blasts is a sign of distress



SANDY CITY
ONE
WATER WAY

BELL CANYON HIKES



Granite Trailhead to Bell Canyon Trail

Granite Trail is a .15-mile, moderately trafficked, connection trail, good for all skill levels. The end of this trail brings you to the Bell Canyon Trail. The trail is best used from March until October.

DISTANCE: .15 miles to trail connection
ELEVATION GAIN: 107 feet



Bell Canyon Preservation Trailhead to Lower Falls

Bell Canyon Trail to Lower Falls is a 4.88-mile, moderately trafficked, out-and-back trail, and is only recommended for very experienced adventurers. The trail begins at Bell Canyon Preservation Trailhead skimming past the lower reservoir on the way to the falls. It is best used from April until September.

DISTANCE: 4.88 miles, out & back
ELEVATION GAIN: 1,532 feet



Boulders Trailhead to Lower Bell Canyon Reservoir

Boulders Trail to Lower Bell Canyon Reservoir is a 1.16-mile, moderately trafficked, out-and-back trail, good for all skill levels. This trail takes you past the Lower Reservoir Outlook. The trail is primarily used for hiking, walking, nature trips, birding, and is accessible year round. The trail is best used from March until October.

DISTANCE: 1.16 miles, out & back
ELEVATION GAIN: 458 feet



Lower Bell Canyon Reservoir Back Loop

Lower Bell Canyon Reservoir Back Loop is a .52-mile, moderately trafficked loop trail, featuring a lake and is good for all skill levels. The trail offers a number of activity options and is best used from March until October.

DISTANCE: .52 miles long
ELEVATION GAIN: 73 feet



Lower Bell Canyon Reservoir to Bell Canyon Falls Trail

Lower Bell Canyon Reservoir Loop Trail to Bell Canyon Falls Trail is a .45-mile, moderately trafficked, connection trail, and is only recommended for very experienced adventurers. The trail is best used from April until September.

DISTANCE: .45 miles long
ELEVATION GAIN: 168 feet



Lower Waterfall to Upper Bell Canyon Reservoir

Bell Canyon Lower Falls to Upper Reservoir is a 2.11 mile, moderately trafficked trail, and is only recommended for very experienced adventurers. Approximately .66 miles after passing the lower falls, you will come across the upper falls on the way to the reservoir. This trail is rated as difficult and is best used from April until September.

DISTANCE: 4.22 miles, out and back
ELEVATION GAIN: 2,643 feet

