

Park at the Capitol Peak Trail parking lot and start at the Lighthouse Trailhead. There are bathrooms at the Soapberry Day-use Area about a mile North of the parking lot See <u>https://caltopo.com/m/J45U8</u> for an on-line map. Note that a GPX track file of the route is available. Hit the folder icon and click on 'Export,' or scan the QR-Code above.

- 1. At the Lighthouse trailhead there are two paths. You can take either one. You can take the other one on your return. You will stay on the Lighthouse Trail for the entire hike.
- At 0.46 miles there is a fork. Take the trail to the right that heads north. It should be labeled, 'Lighthouse Trail'. The other trail is the Capitol Peak Mountain Trail and it is dedicated to biking. Stay off that trail.
- 3. Travel 1.34 miles. Take the trail to the left that heads south to the Lighthouse Peak (total of 1.8 miles).
- 4. Travel 0.96 miles. You will come to an intersection for the Lighthouse Loop. The trail to the left is a bit more challenging, but shouldn't be a problem if you're in good shape. The trail to the right is about 0.1 miles longer but not as steep (total of 2.74 miles).
- 5. Follow the loop around the peak. This is the destination so feel free to explore and take pictures. Return on either trail.
- 6. Follow steps 1 through 4 in reverse.