Warning!
A surprising number of hikers become ill shortly after leaving Section G. Hikers should be especially careful with trail hygiene and the treatment of drinking water in Sections F & G, including water from caches and faucets in Kennedy Meadows.

Onyx is 17.7 miles W of the PCT on Hwy 178. The town of Lake Isabella is 37 miles W of the PCT on Hwy 178. Bus service runs between Lake Isabella and Onyx and W to the city of Bakersfield.

Ridgecrest is a larger town 25.4 miles to the E, but it is probably a more difficult hitch. To reach Ridgecrest travel E 8.3 miles on Hwy 178, then N 2.8 miles on Hwy 14/Hwy 178, then E 14.3 miles on Hwy 178.

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South Bound

Water Alert!
Next water after WR664 may be WR651 (Walker Pass Campground) in 12.7 miles.

Check the water reports, WR651 is not always reliable.
Kennedy Meadows [mile 702.2] is a small hiker-friendly community on the PCT. Kennedy Meadows has a restaurant, internet cafe and a small general store [559-850-5647] with a grill, laundry, showers, pay phone, and they allow hikers to camp out back. The store accepts hiker resupply packages [$3 ea] sent by USPS or UPS. Include ETA on your package.

(Hiker Name)

c/o Kennedy Meadows General Store
96740 Beach Meadow Road
Inyokern, CA 93527

Kennedy Meadows Internet Cafe [AKA Tom's Place] has camping, computers, vintage trailers, trail magic, and various other hiker services.

Phone: 559-850-3447

Website: www.hikethepct-km.com

Facebook: The-Kennedy-Meadows-Cyber-Cafe-Toms-Place
The water reports stop at Kennedy Meadows. For the remainder of Section G, water locations not listed as seasonal had water in late June of 2007, which was a very dry year. Water waypoint names change from WR to WA.
The town of Lone Pine is 22 miles NE of the PCT on the Horseshoe Meadow Rd. In heavy snow years a gate 12.9 miles down Horseshoe Meadow Rd may be locked early in the season. The gate is near the DeLaCour Ranch, an organic lavender farm with several rental cabins.

Ranch website: www.delacour-ranch.com
Ranch phone: 760-264-3213
Cell phones probably will not work in Horseshoe Meadow until you walk several miles down the road to a clear view into Owens Valley.
Cottonwood Pass - Cottonwood Pass - mi 750.2 - 11145 ft
WA0751 - Chicken Spring Lake outlet, in dry years the outlet may be dry but the lake will have water - mi 750.8 - 11253 ft

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contour interval 40 feet
1:31,680 1" = 1/2 mile
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