

Directions to Oak Flat Campground

GPS: N 34° 59' 50" W 106° 19' 15"

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Weather: http://raws.wrh.noaa.gov/cgi-bin/roman/meso_base.cgi?stn=TJRN5&unit=0&time=LOCAL

From Albuquerque:

1 Go East on I-40

From I-40 and Tramway Blvd, the distance to the Tijeras exit is about 6.5 miles.

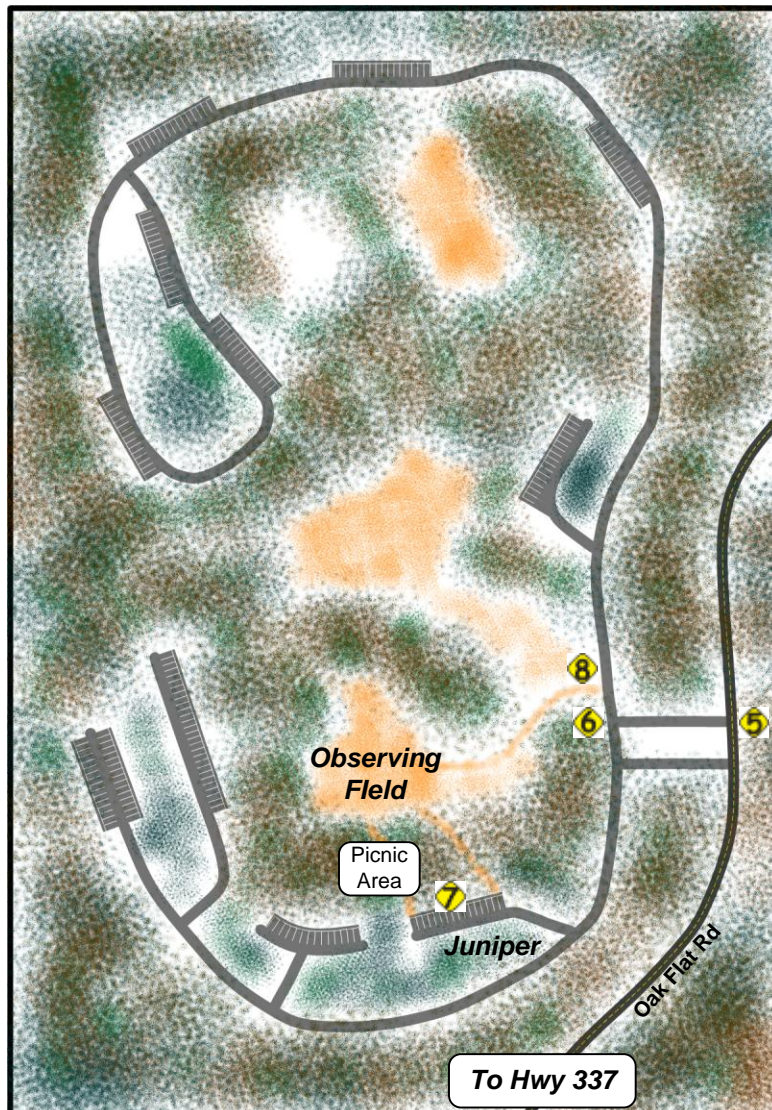
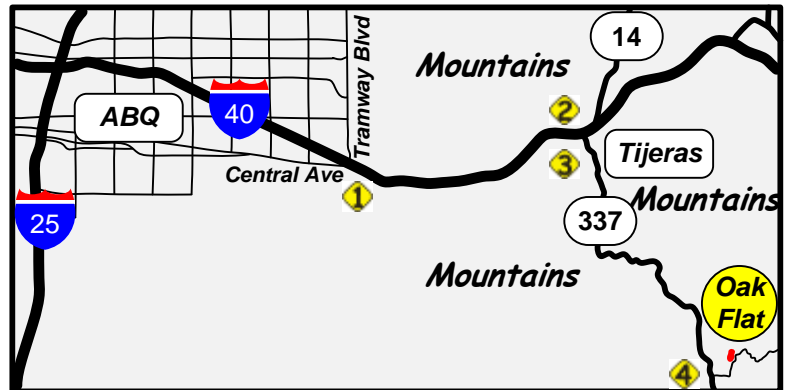
2 Take Exit 175 - Tijeras

On exit ramp, bear right and then enter center lane. Go straight at the stop light. This is Hwy 337.



3 Go South on Hwy 337 8.6 miles

You will follow Tijeras Canyon for several miles.



4 Turn Left on Oak Flat Rd and go 0.9 miles

Watch for the sign on the Right as you come up out of the canyon.



5 Turn Left into Oak Flat Campground

The entrance is the 2nd of the two short roads. Proceed to the end of the entrance.

6 If you are setting up equipment turn Right and continue at 8

Otherwise, turn Left and continue with 7



7 Proceed to Juniper Parking Area

Go thru a gate and take the first Right thru another gate into the parking area. Walk down one of the two paths starting at the North of the parking area to the Observing Field.



8 Take the first Left thru the cable gate

The cable gate is not very far from the turn at the entrance tee. It is just an opening in the cable fence and is easy to miss. Drive down the dirt road to the Observing Field. If you are arriving after dark, turn off your lights and ask someone to guide you in.