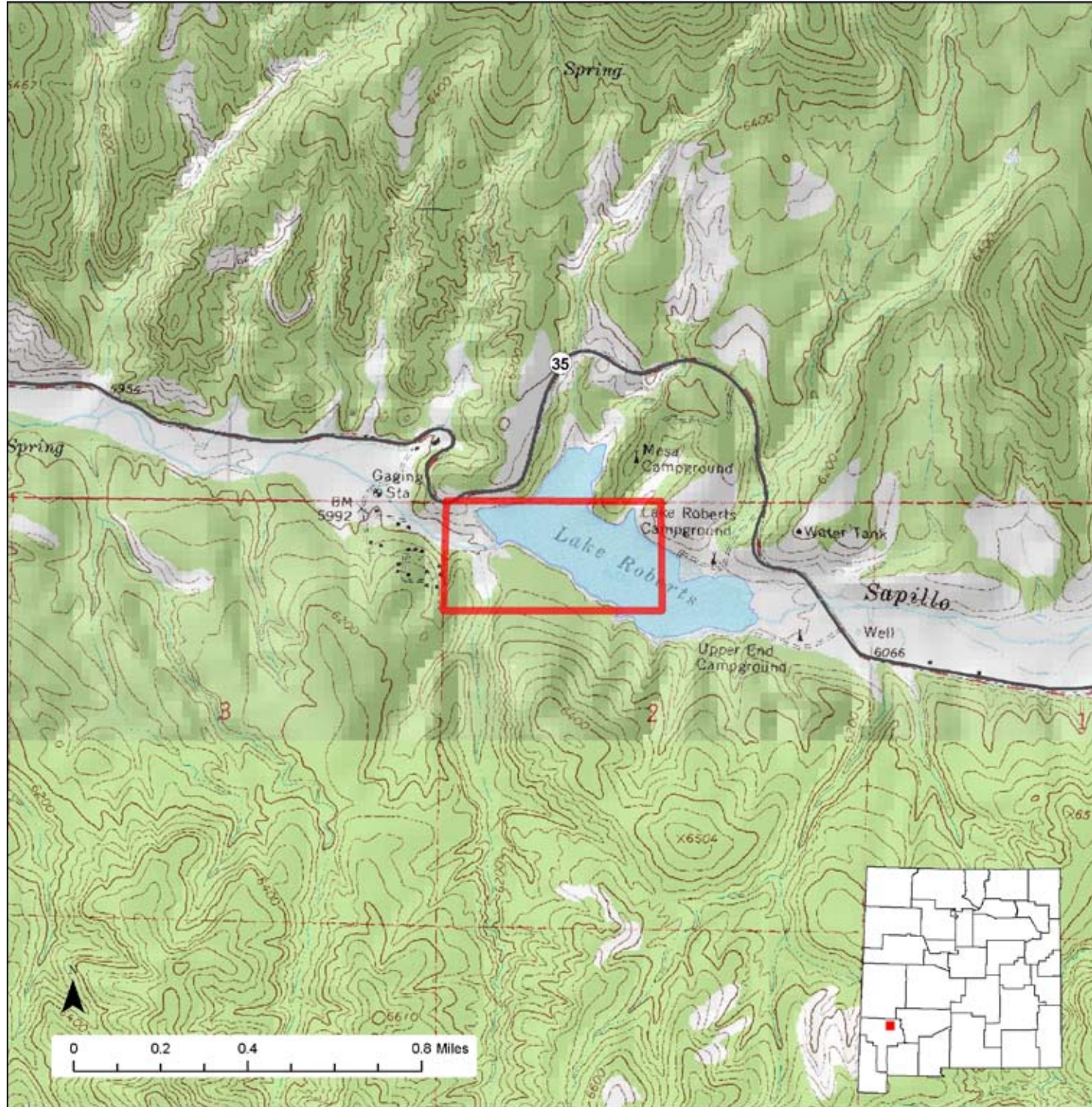




Lake Roberts Wildlife Area



Location: Lake Roberts Wildlife Area is located about 35 miles north of Silver City.

Total Acreage: 79 acres.

Purchase: Lake Roberts was purchased in 1962 to provide fishing access.

Description: This 72 acre lake sits at 6,000 feet in elevation within ponderosa pine, oak, and cottonwood stands.

For More information: More information about hunting, fishing and other activities, may be found on the Department's website: www.wildlife.state.nm.us/.

GAIN Activities	What to See, Do, and Learn
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Wildlife Viewing ✓ Photographing 	<p>Wildlife Viewing-Wildlife watchers may see deer and other wildlife year-round. Good binoculars are important. The best time to view wildlife is at dawn or dusk.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Access</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Hiking ✓ Horseback Riding 	<p>Photographing-The best time to photograph wildlife is at dawn or dusk. A telephoto lens is important.</p> <p>Hiking-Hiking is the best way to see wildlife year-round at the Lake Roberts Wildlife Area or other wildlife management areas.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Hunting and Fishing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ No hunting opportunities ✓ Fishing 	<p>Bicycling-Not allowed.</p> <p>Horseback Riding-Allowed but opportunities are extremely limited.</p> <p>Camping-Not allowed at Lake Roberts but allowed on near-by U.S. Forest Service lands.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Closures</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ No 	<p>Hunting-No hunting opportunities.</p> <p>Fishing-Fishing for trout year-round.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Facilities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ No rest rooms ✓ No camp sites ✓ No drinking water 	<p>Closures-Lake Roberts is open year-round.</p> <p>Facilities-Lake Roberts Wildlife Area does not have rest rooms, camp sites, or drinking water. However, rest rooms, camp sites, and drinking water (available seasonally) are provided at U.S. Forest Service's Lake Roberts Campground.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Fees</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Yes 	<p>Fees-Anglers must have appropriate licenses and permits. Wildlife viewers, photographers, hikers, and horseback riders must have a current GAIN Permit and a Habitat Management and Access Validation.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Motorized Vehicles</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Not allowed beyond the roadway and parking area 	<p>Motorized Vehicles-Not allowed beyond the roadway and parking area.</p>
<p>For more information on hunting and fishing rules and seasons, please read current hunting or fishing Rules and Information Booklets available on the Department's website, at Department offices, or from license vendors state-wide.</p>	