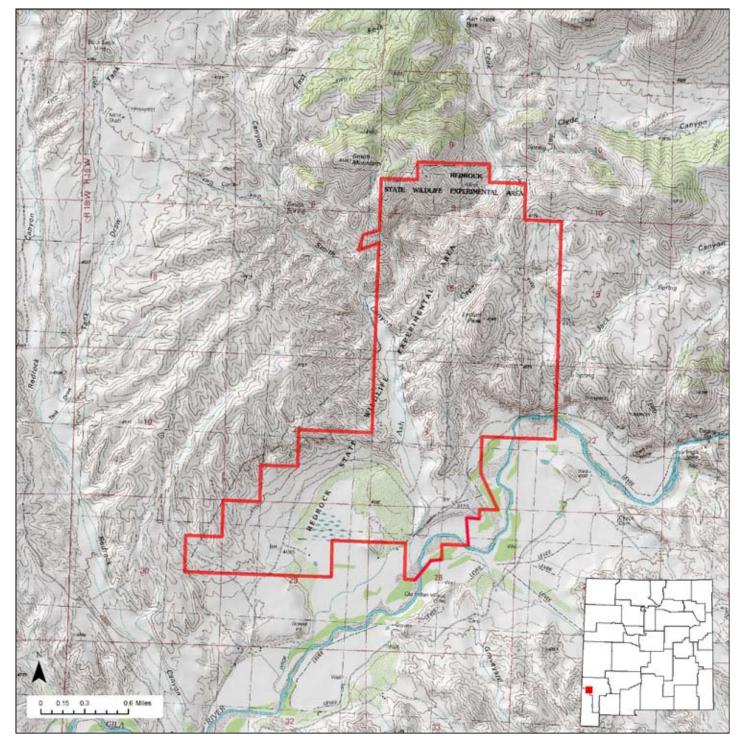


Red Rock Wildlife Area





Location: The Red Rock Wildlife Area is located about 26 miles north of Lordsburg.

Total Acreage: 1,530 acres.

Purchase: Red Rock Wildlife Area was purchased beginning in 1960 as a propagation area for several species of exotic wildlife, but now serves as a refuge for desert bighorn sheep.

Description: The area is dry and mountainous with some wet meadows along the Gila River.

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

- Wildlife Viewing
- Photographing

Access

- Hiking
- → Bicycling
- Horseback Riding

Hunting and Fishing

- No hunting
- Fishing

Closures

✓ No

Facilities

- ✓ No rest rooms
- ✓ No camp sites
- No drinking water

Fees

Yes

Motorized Vehicles

 Not allowed beyond the roadway and parking area

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.

What to See, Do, and Learn

Wildlife Viewing-Wildlife watchers may see various wildlife species year-round including desert bighorn sheep. Good binoculars or spotting scopes are important. The best time to view wildlife is at dawn or dusk. Allowed only in designated areas.

Photographing-The best time to photograph wildlife is at dawn or dusk. A telephoto lens is important. Allowed only in designated areas.

Hiking-Hiking is the best way to see wildlife year-round at the Red Rock Wildlife Area or other wildlife management areas. Allowed only in designated areas.

Bicycling-Allowed year-round only on designated roads.

Horseback Riding-Allowed year-round but opportunities are extremely limited. Allowed only in designated areas.

Camping-Not allowed.

Hunting-Not allowed.

Fishing-Limited year-round fishing opportunities.

Closures-All activities allowed year-round but only in designated areas.

Facilities-Red Rock Wildlife Area does not have rest rooms, camp sites, or drinking water.

Fees-Anglers must have appropriate licenses and permits. Wildlife viewers, photographers, hikers, bicyclists, and horseback riders must have a current GAIN Permit and a Habitat Management and Access Validation.

Motorized Vehicles-Not allowed beyond designated roadways or parking areas.