

CORONADO MEMORIAL

The Coronado National Memorial commemorates the significance of the first organized expedition into the Southwest, led by Francisco Vasquez de Coronado in 1540.

Distance: 15.9 miles south of Sierra Vista

Route from Sierra Vista

1. **Start** at the intersection of Buffalo Soldier Trail (BST) and Cherokee or BST and St. Andrews Drive
2. **South** on Cherokee or St. Andrews for 3 miles (St. Andrews becomes Equestrian Avenue at Kachina Trail)
3. **Left** (east) on Ramsey Canyon Road
4. **Right** (south) on Hwy 92 for 9 miles
5. **Right** (south) on Coronado Memorial ride for 5 miles to the Visitor Center
6. **Paved road continues** 0.5 miles then,
7. **Winding gravel road continues** 3 miles to Montezuma Pass (el. 6,575 ft.)

SCENIC SIDE TRIPS

Route from Bisbee to Sierra Vista

1. **West** on Hwy 92 for 11 miles
2. **Right** (north) on Hereford Road for 14 miles (the road turns west, crosses the San Pedro River, and rejoins Hwy 92)

Short Sierra Vista Loop (12.5 miles)

1. **East** on Charleston Road* at intersection of Hwy 90 (Plaza Vista Shopping Center)
2. **Right** (south) on Moson Road
3. **Right** (south) on Hwy 90 back to Sierra Vista

Tombstone to Douglas (48.5 miles)

1. **South** on Hwy 80
2. **Left** (east) on Davis Road
3. **Right** (south) on US 191 in McNeal
4. **Continue** 19 miles to Douglas

TOMBSTONE LOOP

Tombstone, Arizona, "The Town Too Tough to Die," was founded in 1879 as a mining town. Famous for the gunfight at the OK Corral, Tombstone now abounds with live street theater, shops, and restaurants in the original historic buildings.

Distance: 47.3 miles complete loop

Route to Tombstone from Sierra Vista

1. **East** on Charleston Road at the intersection of Hwy 90 at the Plaza Vista Shopping Center
2. **Ride** 16 miles to Tombstone
3. **Right** (south) on Hwy 80 after exiting Tombstone
4. **Ride** 12 miles to Hwy 90
5. **Right** (west) on Hwy 90 for 15 miles to Sierra Vista

Notes: Charleston Road east outside of Sierra Vista narrows with stingy shoulders but low traffic volume and good visibility of oncoming traffic. Reasonably smooth grading with some rough spots. Six miles east of Sierra Vista the road descends to the San Pedro River through generally rolling terrain. One mile before Tombstone, there is a steep descent, then a short, very steep uphill entry into Tombstone.

The Tombstone Visitor Center is located at the corner of S. 4th Street and E. Allen Street.

This map is for informational purposes only.

Always use caution when bicycling.

ELGIN LOOP

This scenic ride heads through rolling grasslands and past several vineyards and wineries. Start route in Sierra Vista.

Distance: 52.3 miles complete loop

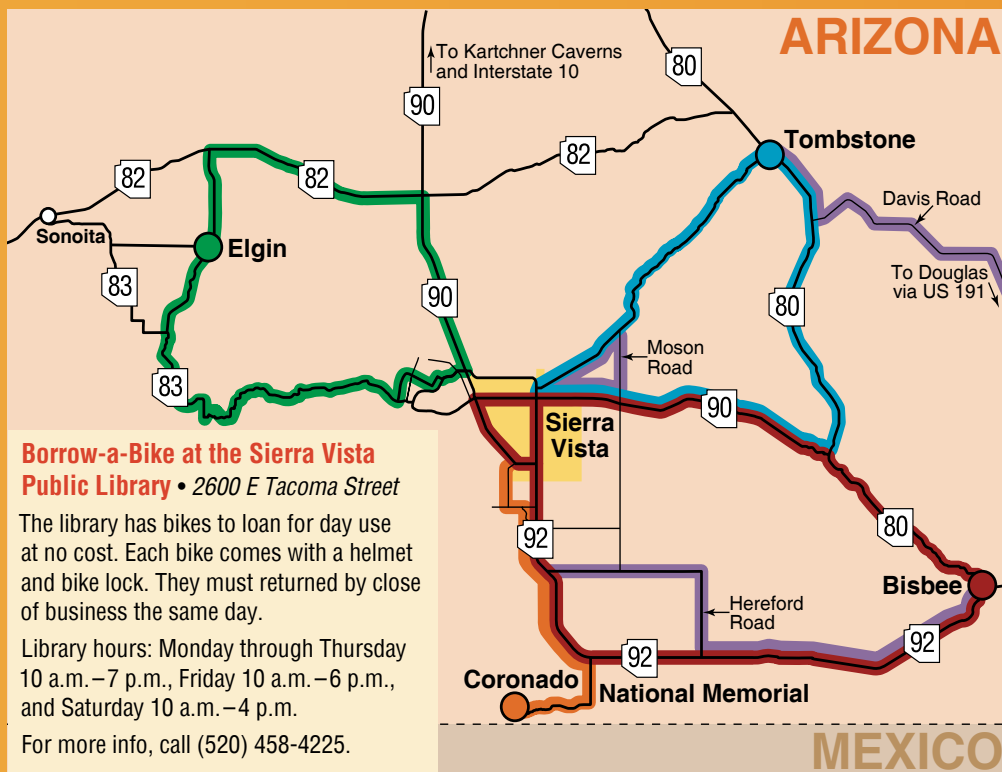
Route through Fort Huachuca *

1. **Enter** Fort Huachuca through the Van Deman Gate
2. **Continue west** on Hatfield Avenue
3. **Right** on Hunt Avenue
4. **Left** on Arizona Street
5. **Right** on Irwin Street
6. **Bear left** onto Gatewood Road
7. **Right** on Canelo Road
8. **Continue west** on Canelo Road to Fort Huachuca's West Gate, where Canelo Road becomes Cimarron Road
9. **West** on Cimarron Road for 4.5 miles
10. **Right** (west) on Hwy 83 for 7.6 miles
11. **Right** (north) on Elgin Canelo Road for 5 miles to the town of Elgin
12. **Right** (southeast) on Upper Elgin Road (turns north) for 4.7 miles
13. **Right** (east) on Hwy 82 for 11 miles
14. **Right** (south) on Hwy 90 for 11.6 miles back to Sierra Vista

Notes: Elgin has no services. Sonoita has restaurants, shops, and service stations. Sonoita is located 10 miles west of Elgin.

Hwy 82 east of Sonoita has steep hills, limited sight distances, no shoulders, and guard rails that prevent cyclists from "bailing off" to avoid traffic. Hwy 82 has significant semi-trailer truck traffic.

*Fort Huachuca is an active military base and specific entrance requirements are enforced. U.S. Citizens without a valid Department of Defense credential are required to take a background check before receiving a photo ID pass, valid for up to 30 days. Allow 30 minutes to complete the entrance requirements.



Borrow-a-Bike at the Sierra Vista Public Library • 2600 E Tacoma Street

The library has bikes to loan for day use at no cost. Each bike comes with a helmet and bike lock. They must be returned by close of business the same day.

Library hours: Monday through Thursday 10 a.m. – 7 p.m., Friday 10 a.m. – 6 p.m., and Saturday 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

For more info, call (520) 458-4225.

BICYCLE SAFETY

Bicycling Laws

- Always ride in the direction of traffic.
- Use hand and arm signals when turning or slowing down.
- All bicycle riders under 18 years of age are required to wear a helmet.
- At night, a white front headlight and rear reflector on your bike are required by law.

Legal Ways to Make a Left Turn

- Like other vehicles, look over your shoulder, signal, and move into the left turn lane when it's safe.
- Go to the far side of the intersection, turn your bike, and use the roadway to cross as traffic from your right.
- Go to the far side of the intersection, turn your bike, and then walk your bike in the crosswalk.

Bicycling Tips

- A red rear taillight and brightly colored or reflective clothing is suggested for better night visibility.
- You may "take the lane" if the lane is not wide enough for both a car and bike. Check behind to make sure it's safe, signal your intentions, then take the lane by riding one third to one half of the way into the lane. When safe and possible, move to the right to allow a following vehicle to pass.
- When using a shared path, give verbal alert to pedestrians of your intention to pass and provide at least 5 feet passing distance between you and pedestrians.
- Arizona's climate can easily cause dehydration. Make sure you drink plenty of water.

BISBEE LOOP

A historic copper mining town dating from the 1880s, Bisbee is known for its many galleries, restaurants, coffee houses, and specialty shops.

Distance: 60.8 miles complete loop

Route to Bisbee from Sierra Vista

1. **Start** at the intersection of Hwy 92 and Hwy 90/Fry Boulevard
2. **East** on Hwy 90 for 17 miles
3. **Right** (south) on Hwy 80 for 5 miles to N. Old Divide Road, 0.5 miles before the Mule Pass tunnel
4. **Left** on N. Old Divide Road for 1.3 miles
5. **Left** on West Boulevard for 0.5 miles
6. **Right** on Tombstone Canyon, then ride down the hill into Old Bisbee

Notes: Hwy 90 east descends to the San Pedro River (el. 4,460 ft.), then Hwy 80 climbs to Mule Pass tunnel (el. 6,024 ft.). Hwy 80 then descends from the tunnel into Old Bisbee. The tunnel can be avoided by turning left on N. Old Divide Road 0.5 miles before the tunnel entrance.

Riding through the Mule Pass tunnel is dangerous and not recommended. If you should choose to ride through the tunnel, exit **right** onto Tombstone Canyon just after you exit the east end of the tunnel.

Route to Sierra Vista from Bisbee

1. **Rejoin** Hwy 80 on the east end of Old Bisbee. Continue east around the Lavender Pit to the traffic circle.
2. **Take the first exit** off the traffic circle (west) toward Naco and Hwy 92
3. **Continue** west on Hwy 92 for 36 miles to Sierra Vista (Hwy 92 will turn north on the west side of Coronado Memorial Drive)

Note: Hwy 80 around the Lavender Pit has a narrow shoulder.

LOCAL SERVICES

City of Sierra Vista • (520) 458-3315

1011 N. Coronado Drive, Sierra Vista, AZ 85635

City of Sierra Vista Public Works Department • (520) 458-5775

401 Giulio Cesare, Sierra Vista, AZ 85635
Report street and roadway maintenance needs

City of Sierra Vista Police Department • (520) 458-3311

911 N. Coronado Drive, Sierra Vista, AZ 85635
Report aggressive drivers

Cochise County Sheriff's Office • (520) 432-9505 or (800) 362-0812

205 N. Judd Drive, Bisbee, AZ 85603

Arizona Department of Public Safety, District 9 • (520) 458-8301

2599 E. Tacoma Street, Sierra Vista, AZ 85635

Canyon Vista Medical Center (hospital) • (520) 458-4641

5700 E. Hwy 90, Sierra Vista, AZ 85635

M & M Cycling • (520) 458-1316

1301 E. Fry Boulevard, Sierra Vista, AZ 85635

Sun & Spokes Bicycle Shop • (520) 458-0685

156 E. Fry Boulevard, Sierra Vista, AZ 85635

MORE INFORMATION

Sierra Vista Visitor Center

3020 E. Tacoma Street

Sierra Vista, AZ 85635

800.288.3861



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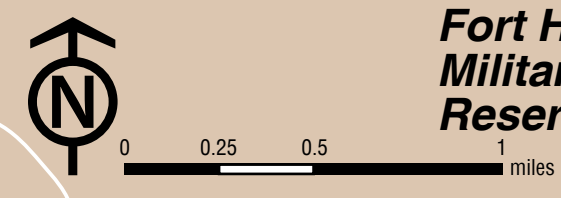
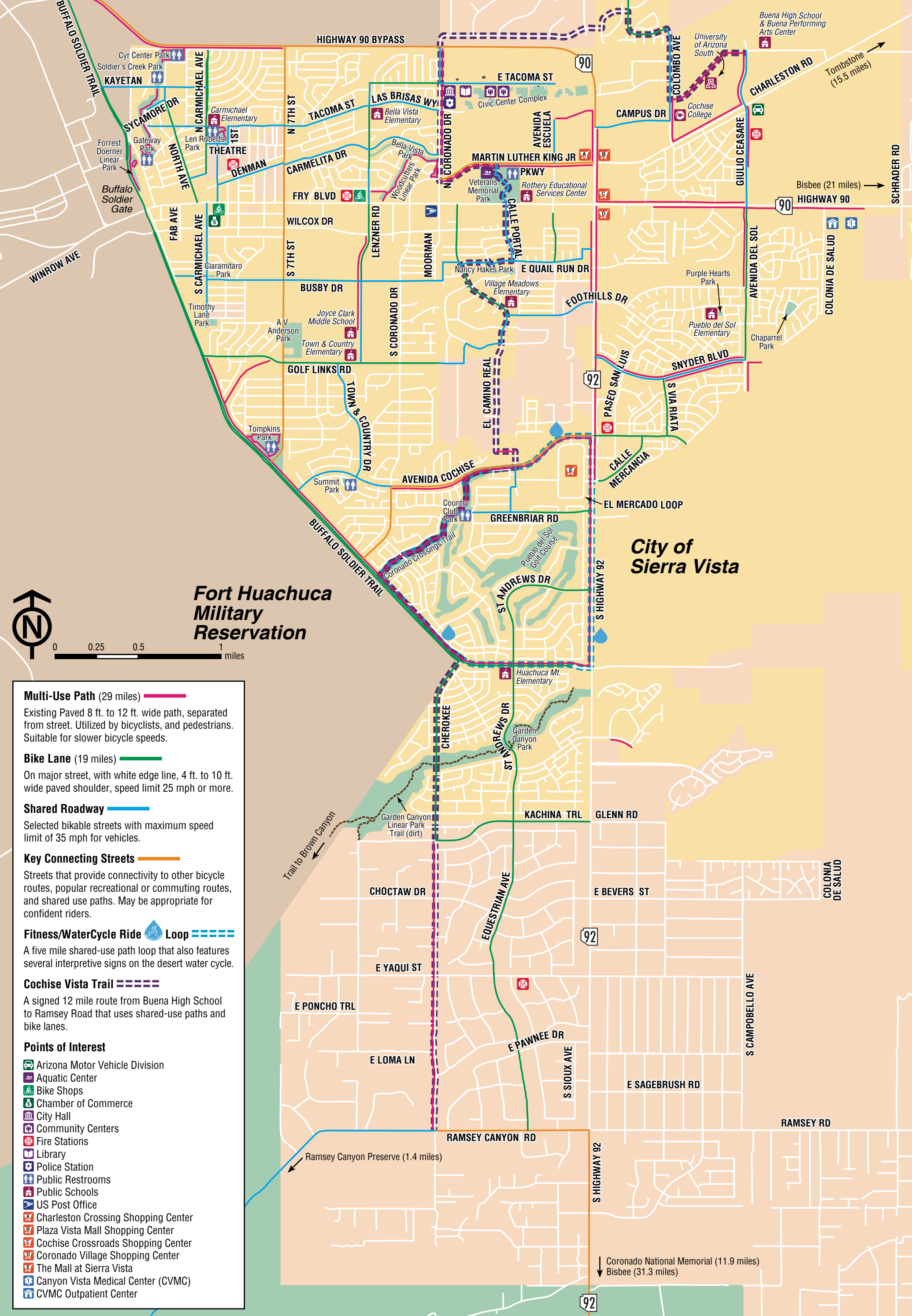
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BICYCLE & MULTI-USE PATH MAP



Kartchner Caverns (18.6 miles)

Van Deman Gate
Buffalo Soldier Trail



**Fort Huachuca
Military
Reservation**

**City of
Sierra Vista**

Multi-Use Path (29 miles)

Existing Paved 8 ft. to 12 ft. wide path, separated from street. Utilized by bicyclists, and pedestrians. Suitable for slower bicycle speeds.

Bike Lane (19 miles)

On major street, with white edge line, 4 ft. to 10 ft. wide paved shoulder, speed limit 25 mph or more.

Shared Roadway

Selected bikable streets with maximum speed limit of 35 mph for vehicles.

Key Connecting Streets

Streets that provide connectivity to other bicycle routes, popular recreational or commuting routes, and shared use paths. May be appropriate for confident riders.

Fitness/WaterCycle Ride Loop

A five mile shared-use path loop that also features several interpretive signs on the desert water cycle.

Cochise Vista Trail

A signed 12 mile route from Buena High School to Ramsey Road that uses shared-use paths and bike lanes.

Points of Interest

- Arizona Motor Vehicle Division
- Aquatic Center
- Bike Shops
- Chamber of Commerce
- City Hall
- Community Centers
- Fire Stations
- Library
- Police Station
- Public Restrooms
- Public Schools
- US Post Office
- Charleston Crossing Shopping Center
- Plaza Vista Mall Shopping Center
- Cochise Crossroads Shopping Center
- Coronado Village Shopping Center
- The Mall at Sierra Vista
- Canyon Vista Medical Center (CVMC)
- CVMC Outpatient Center

Trail to Brown Canyon
Garden Canyon Linear Park Trail (dirt)

Ramsey Canyon Preserve (1.4 miles)

Coronado National Memorial (11.9 miles)
Bisbee (31.3 miles)