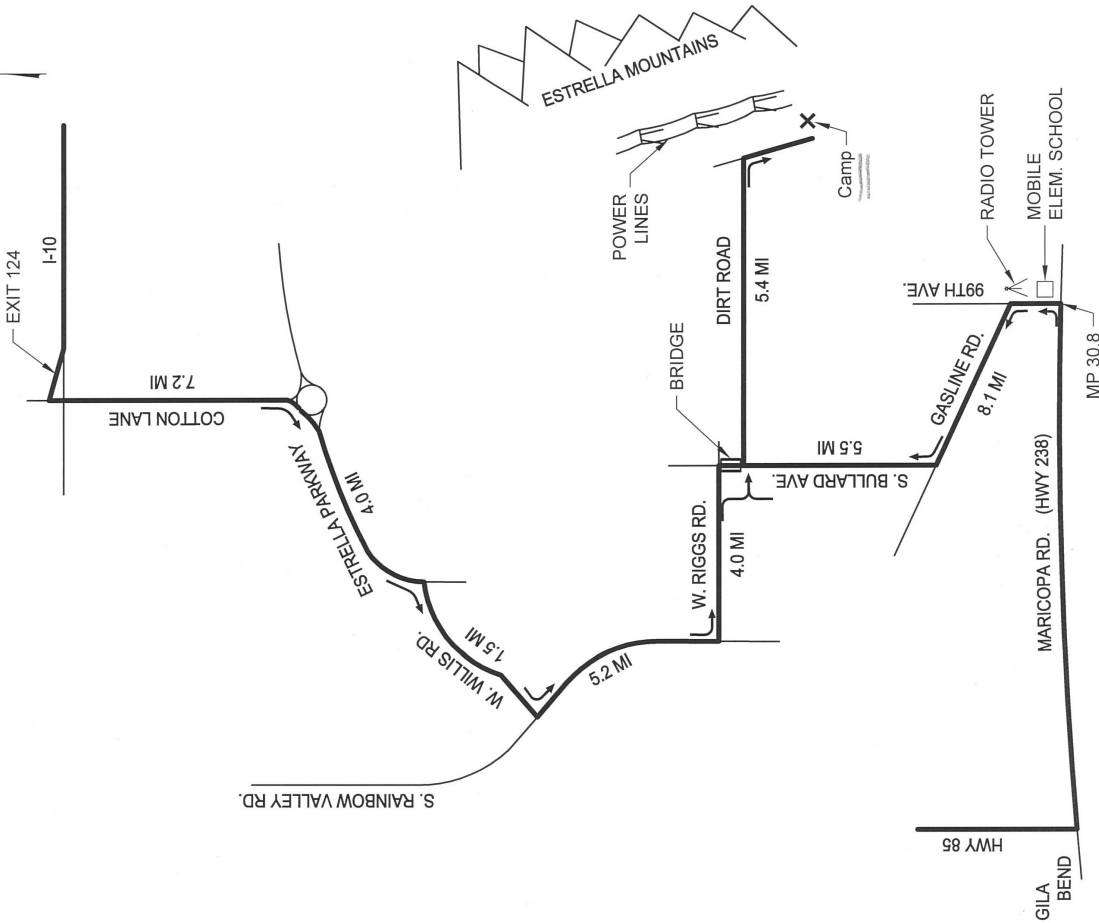


SHANNAHAN'S BUTTERFLY TANK

JAN. 13, 14, 15, 2012

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2012 AGFD/ADBSS Project Schedule— Mark Your Calendars!

Jan 14—Shannahan's Butterfly Tank, Unit 39
Feb 11—Cipriano Tank, Unit 40B
March 3—ADBSS Annual Fundraiser

Mar 24— TBD, Unit 40A or 43B
April 21—Pick Point Redev., Unit 13BS
May 12—Steak Fry, Cave Creek Recreational Area



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ADBSS/AGFD COOPERATIVE WATER PROJECT

Shannahan's Butterfly Mountain Tank Cleanout (#808)

January 13-15, 2012

Location:

GMU: 39M; Sierra Estrella Wilderness Area • T 02S, R 01E, Section 26 NE NW SE;
GPS coordinates of project: N 33° 13.407'; W 112° 13.471'
GPS coordinates of camp site: N 33° 11.559'; W 112° 16.164'

FROM PHOENIX: Go West on I-10. Exit on the Cotton Lane ramp (Exit 124). Turn left onto Cotton Lane and head south 7.2 miles to a roundabout. Take first exit right in the roundabout onto S. Estrella Parkway and head west and curve south 4.0 miles. Turn right at W. Willis Rd and head southwest for 1.5 miles to S. Rainbow Valley Rd. Turn left and head south 5.2 miles to W. Riggs Rd. Turn left and head east 4.0 miles to S. Bullard Ave. Turn right and cross over the bridge and immediately turn left onto dirt road. Head east 5.4 miles toward powerlines. At the powerlines, turn right and head 2 miles south to camp.

FROM GILA BEND: From Highway 85 and Maricopa Road (Highway 238), head east on Maricopa Road to 99th Ave (at milepost 30.8 with Mobile Elementary School on the northeast corner) Turn left and head north 0.26 mile, past the radio tower, to a "Y". Take the lefthand fork, onto S. Komatke Rd (aka: Gasline Rd) and head northwest 8.1 miles to S. Bullard Ave. Turn right and head north 5.5 miles to a bridge and turn right just before the bridge. Head east on dirt road 5.4 miles toward powerlines. At the powerlines, turn right and head 2 miles south to camp.

Please call the AGFD (toll free) at 866-950-2433 for additional information or restrictions relative to this project.

Project

Description:

Project will involve the removal of sand, silt, gravel and debris from the existing pothole and upstream gabion. We will also have a small work detail at the staging area to rebuild the transplant boxes.

Difficulty of Hike:

Moderate but short hike including some minor boulder scrambling/climbing.

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Special

Advisories:

- 1) Please, please, please bring charcoal, firewood, or propane stoves for cooking/heating. Wood is a rare in the desert and best left alone to provide nutrients to surrounding plants and habitat to numerous small animals.
- 2) Road to campsite is accessible by two wheel drive vehicles, motor homes, and trucks pulling trailers.
- 3) Please bring your own water and plenty of it.
- 4) Funded by the Bighorn Sheep Special Tag Fund, ADBSS and Federal Aide to the Arizona Game and Fish Department.
- 5) Please follow the map and do not drive off existing roadways.
- 6) Please do not destroy native vegetation.
- 7) Campsites should not be located more than 50 feet from existing two track roads in and around the camp area. Fire rings and vehicle tracks leading to camps should be raked out when leaving the project.
- 8) This project is being dedicated to charter member and past president Ed Shannahan for his tireless support of the ADBSS and his passionate commitment to the conservation of bighorn sheep in Arizona.

General

Advisories:

This is remote desert area and the possibilities of life threatening injuries exist. Volunteers should be in good physical condition and comfortable hiking in rugged terrain. Volunteers should bring and wear protective clothing, a sack lunch, rain gear, sunscreen, and water (enough for the whole day) to the project site. Project site is unsafe for young children due to the steep terrain and the use of construction equipment. Parents or guardians must maintain direct control and supervision of any minors on the project site at all times. Projects will take place regardless of local weather conditions. All ADBSS projects feature a catered Saturday evening meal and Sunday breakfast. Membership in the ADBSS will put you on the mailing list to receive project flyers and maps.

SEE PROJECT MAP ON REVERSE

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