

Cowboy's Rest Troop Camp

Driving Directions:

From Elko:

Approaching Elko on I-80 East:

- Take Exit 301, turn **right** onto Mountain City Highway.
- Follow Mountain City Highway, around the outskirts of Elko (it becomes Silver Street). The 4th stoplight is 12th Street
- Turn **right** onto 12th street and follow it to Lamoille Highway.

Approaching Elko on I-80 West:

- Take exit 301, turn **left** onto Mountain City Highway.
- Follow Mountain City Highway around the outskirts of Elko (it becomes Silver Street). The 5th street stoplight is 12th street.
- Turn **right** onto the 12th Street and follow it to Lamoille Highway.

From Elko:

- Take 12th Street to Lamoille Highway.
- Turn **left** onto the Lamoille Highway and follow it over Elko Summit (Careful, the Highway Patrol is very strict on this stretch of road!)
- Turn **right** at the 2nd stoplight (it's on the far side of the summit) onto **S.R. 228**
- Take S.R. 228 south to Jiggs (27 miles)
- Continue south past Jiggs another 3.5 miles. Turn **right** at the sign reading "Bald Mountain Mine, Eureka" onto a dirt road with a cattle guard. (You might want to take it slow; this road is infamous for flat tires!)
- Follow this main dirt road for 15 miles, until you reach a large fork at the beginning of a hill; take the **left** fork up the hill.
- Continue along this road for 4.5 miles.
- On your left, you will see a white sign reading "XJ Ranch." Turn **left** at the sign onto a smaller dirt road.
- After crossing the cattle guard, take the **right** fork of the road.
- Continue on this road for 1.8 miles and you are there!

From Eureka:

- Continue on Hwy. 50 east past Eureka for 14 miles.
- Turn left onto S.R. 892 toward Strawberry.
- Continue on S.R. 892 for 36 miles (you will pass a trailer park on the right at Warm Springs).
- Just before the S.R. 892 pavement ends, turn right onto a large dirt road. (Follow the yellow signs for Bald Mountain Mine).
- Follow this main dirt road for 3.5 miles, then take the left fork
- Continue on this fork across the valley for another 6.5 miles, then turn left onto the county road, just before you reach the mine.
- Drive north on the county road for 15 miles, until you see a white sign on your right reading "XJ Ranch".
- Turn right at the sign, and then take the right fork immediately after crossing the cattle guard.
- Continue on this road 1.8 miles- and you're there!