

**T2094**  
**Lower San Andres Trail**  
**Sacramento Ranger District**

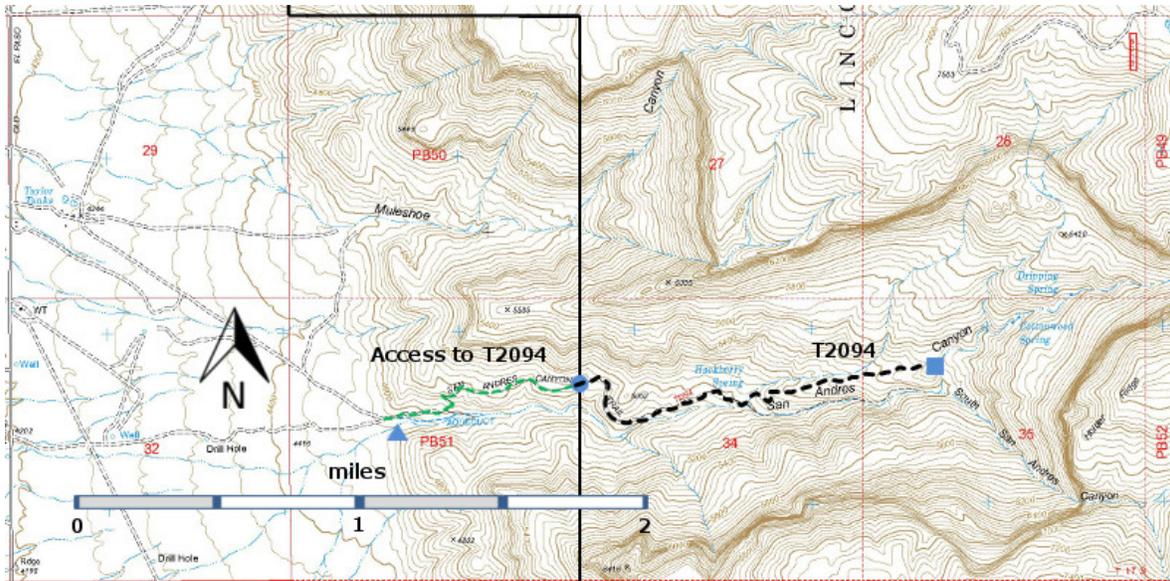


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 GPS Track (as .GPX)

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LENGTH	ELEVATION	DIFFICULTY	SCENERY
2.3 miles See Text	4560 - 5520 ft 960 ft difference	Moderate	2

Allowed Usage				



[Link to map color/symbol codes](#)

T2094 is shown as a black dashed line on the map.

**DESCRIPTION:**The trail begins officially at the Forest boundary and proceeds, on the north side of arid Lower San Andres Canyon, above the wash, to its end at a bluff. On some maps, T125 San Andres Canyon Trail, which descends from the T105 Rim Trail to Westside Road, appears to be continuous with T2094. In fact, it is not. Hikers should enjoy the beauty of the canyon and the bluffs above, and then return by the same path.

The distance from the point at which users must leave their vehicles to the official trailhead is 0.8 miles. T2094 is 1.5 miles long. Thus, hikers should plan for a one way distance of 2.3 miles.

About 0.7 miles from its beginning, T2094 descends into the brush near Hackberry Spring. Follow the draw 30 feet to the pool and then climb up out of the draw on the right side. The trail then makes switchbacks as it climbs to the ridge between Lower San Andres canyon and an unnamed small canyon. The trail is on the north side of this ridge. Remember this fact since the trail is often hard to find. On your way back, be sure to aim toward the north side of this ridge.

T2094 is often hard to follow, and on the rocky ground, there is little tread. The trail does not descend into the bottom of Lower San Andres Canyon. When heading up trail, go toward massive Holder Ridge on the east. When heading down trail, keep to the right side of the ridge.

**ACCESS:** From the intersection of US54 and US70, drive 5.0 miles south on US54 to Taylor Ranch Road. Turn left and follow Taylor Ranch Road 1.9 miles to Old El Paso Road. Turn right and continue to follow Taylor Ranch Road for 1.1 miles to a primitive gravel road just past the point where the electric power lines branch off to the east. [The pavement ends about 100 yards past this spot.] Follow the gravel road 1.3 miles to a barbed wire fence. This road becomes quite rough, and you may decide to park your vehicle and proceed on foot. The road continues through the fence, but vehicles are prohibited past the fence, and rocks may be in place to deter traffic. Hike along the road 0.2 miles past the fence. The old road makes a loop atop a small rise. From this rise, look forward 100 feet to a large isolated rock (4 ft diameter) on the right side of the road. The access trail begins on the left side of the road, just past this rock. Follow this path, with switchbacks, 0.6 miles to a second fence with a gate and a faded “125” carsonite sign. Unsigned T2094 starts at this fence.

#### GPS Coordinates for Key Points

NAD83	Lat/Lon hddd mm ss.s	UTM (13 S)
Must Leave Car	N32 46 55.6	413907
	W105 55 21.5	3627546
Depart from Old Road	N32 46 56.9	413597
	W105 55 09.6	3627509
Trail Start	N32 47 01.6	414645
	W105 54 41.3	3627685
Trail End	N32 47 05.5	416657
	W105 53 24.0	3627786

#### Links to Other Resources

[Area Map](#)

[Alamogordo South Topo Map](#)

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