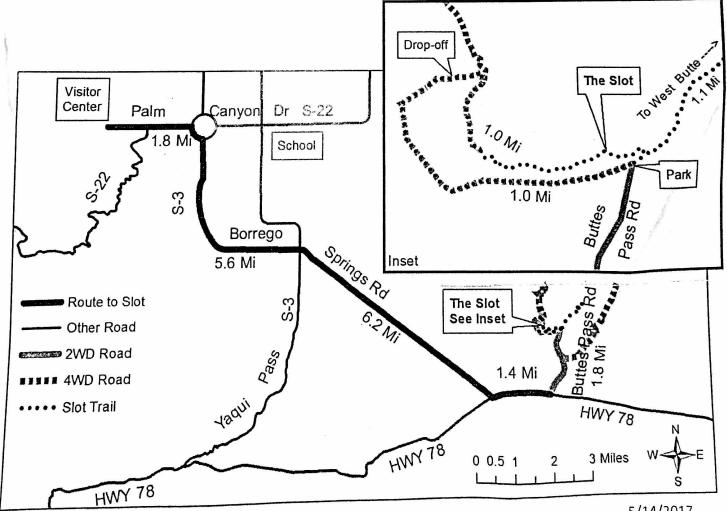
"THE SLOT" (SLOT 1), Buttes Pass (via HWY 78)

- 1. FROM THE VISITOR CENTER, DRIVE EAST ON PALM CANYON DR. (S-22) TO **CHRISTMAS CIRCLE - 1.8 MILES.**
- 2. FROM CHRISTMAS CIRCLE, TURN RIGHT (SOUTH) ON BORREGO SPRINGS ROAD AND DRIVE 12 MILES (STRAIGHT THROUGH STOP SIGN) TO HWY 78.
- 3. TURN LEFT ON HWY 78 AND DRIVE 1.4 MILES TO BUTTES PASS ROAD.
- 4. TURN LEFT AND DRIVE 1.8 MILES TO THE SLOT PARKING LOT.
- 5. FROM NE CORNER OF THE PARKING LOT, FOLLOW THE SIGNS TO THE SLOT TRAILHEAD.
- 6. THE SLOT IS LESS THAN 1/2 MILE LONG. HIKE TO THE END (EVENTUALLY YOU'LL SEE TIRE TRACKS ON 4WD ROAD), THEN RETURN THE SAME WAY. OR ...
- 7. CONTINUE ON 4WD ROAD LESS THAN 1 MILE UNTIL YOU SEE A STEEP ROAD TO THE WEST (LEFT). HIKE UP THE DROP-OFF, THEN FOLLOW 4WD ROAD SOUTH AND EAST BACK TO CAR. ROUND TRIP HIKE IS 2.0 MILES.



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