



30 Electric Sites



50 Developed Sites



Handicap Accessible
Tables & Grills



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Rest Rooms



Fishing



Wildlife Viewing



Trails



Percha Dam State Park



Park Information

Land

80 acres

Elevation

4,100 feet

Precipitation

9.81 inches



Gate Hours

Gate closed 9:00 p.m.
to 7:00 a.m.



Emergency Numbers

911

(505) 743-3942

Sierra County Dispatch

(505) 894-6617

Set in the deep shade of towering cottonwoods, Percha Dam State Park features fishing and hiking on the Rio Grande.

The park is covered with a blanket of grass protected by cottonwoods, salt cedar and Russian olive trees. The park provides excellent fishing and bird watching along the river. Swimming and sunbathing are also activities enjoyed by park visitors.

Percha Dam State Park is among the area's best bird-watching locales, with about the same species as nearby Caballo Lake, but often in greater numbers, and it is easier to see them because Percha Dam is usually less crowded. Migratory species include ducks and geese, American white pelicans, trumpeter swans, sandhill cranes, both great blue and little blue herons, golden eagles, bald eagles, northern goshawks, scaled quail, yellow-rumped warblers, song sparrows, red-winged blackbirds, great-tailed grackles, western meadowlarks, western bluebirds, willow flycatchers, dark-eyed juncos, and yellow-breasted chats.

The developed campsites are spacious, shady, and serene, and most are close enough to hear the river, even when its view is blocked by trees. The park has no designated hiking trails, just paths leading to favorite fishing and bird-watching spots, but a very pleasant walk of a mile or so can be had along the park's dirt roads.

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How to get there

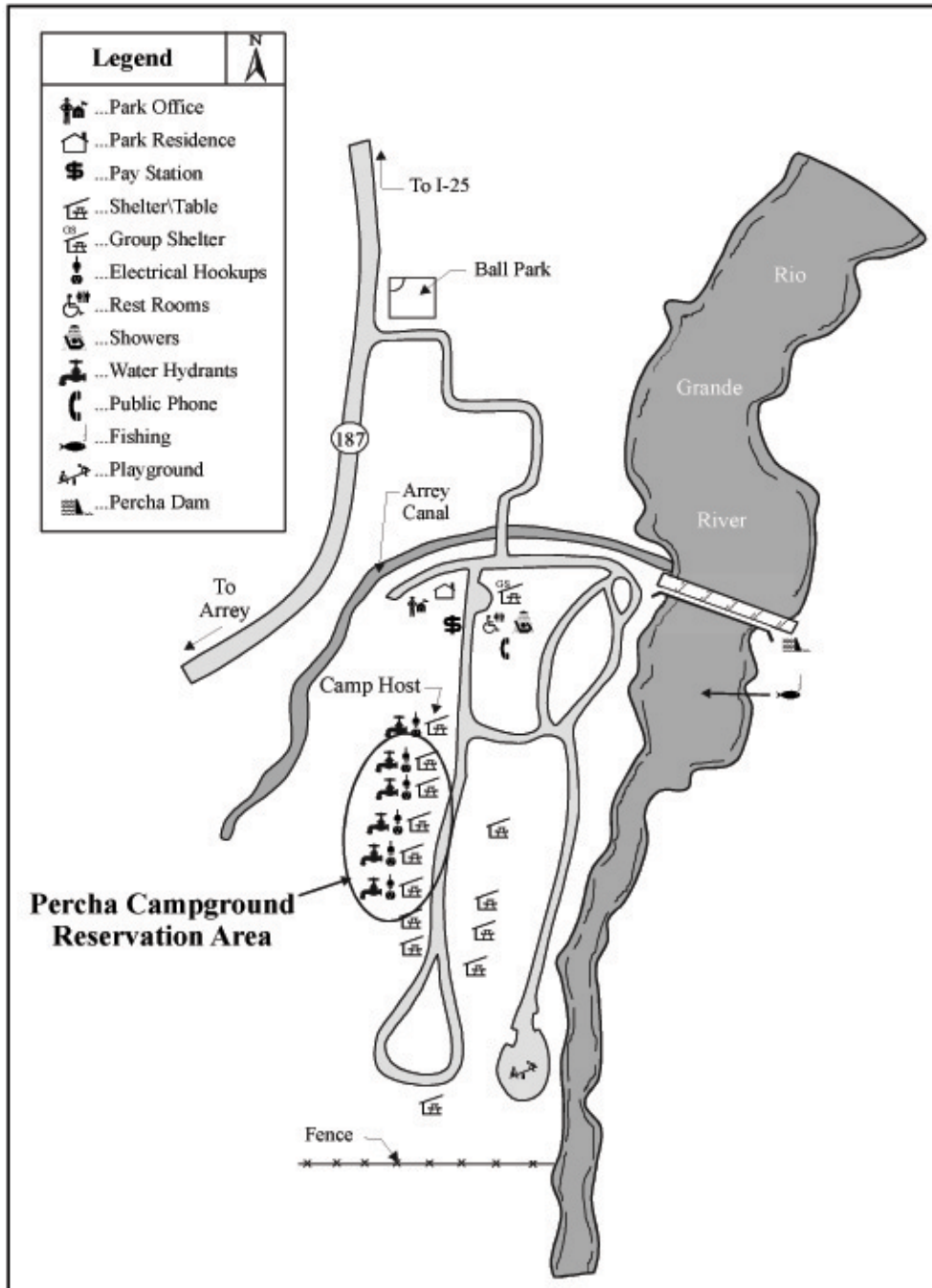
Percha Dam State Park is 21 miles south of Truth or Consequences via I-25 exit 59.

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Campgrounds



PARK FEES

Day Use

Per Vehicle	\$5
Bicycle Walk-in	Free
Bus	\$15

Overnight Camping

Primitive Site	\$8
Developed Site	\$10
Electrical Hookup	\$4
Sewage Hookup	\$4
Water Hookup	Free

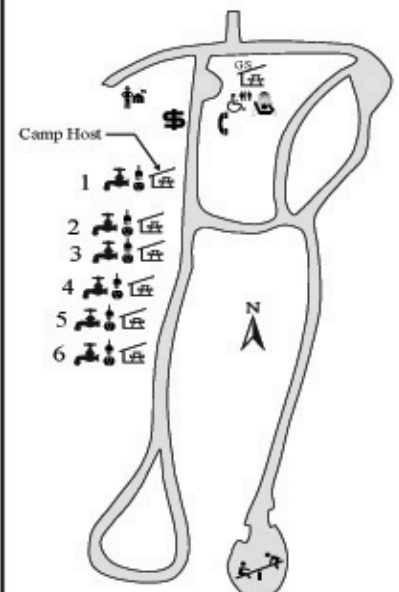
Annual Day-Use-Permit

Valid full year from purchase month	
All Parks	\$40
Resident 100% disabled veteran	free

Annual Camping Pass

Valid full year from purchase month	
NM Resident	\$180
Senior NM Resident (62+)	\$100
Disabled NM Resident	\$100
Out-of-State	\$225

Percha Campground Reservation Areas - 2 to 6



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