



State Wildlife Areas

Laguna del Campo

Built in 1932, Los Ojos Hatchery (formerly Parkview Hatchery) was due for a major rebuilding before it fell apart; some improvements in 1970 only prolonged the inevitable. Fortunately, the State Legislature in 1986 approved \$3 million in severance tax bonds for the project. The renovation was completed in 1989.

The main building and the old office are on the State Historic Register and were built in 1932. The former was completely rebuilt inside. The latter became a visitor center. Other improvements were raceways, water supply lines and a new office.

Los Ojos Hatchery normally maintains the state's brood fish stock, with rainbow trout eggs hatched here and at other state hatcheries. Its water quality and temperature are excellent.

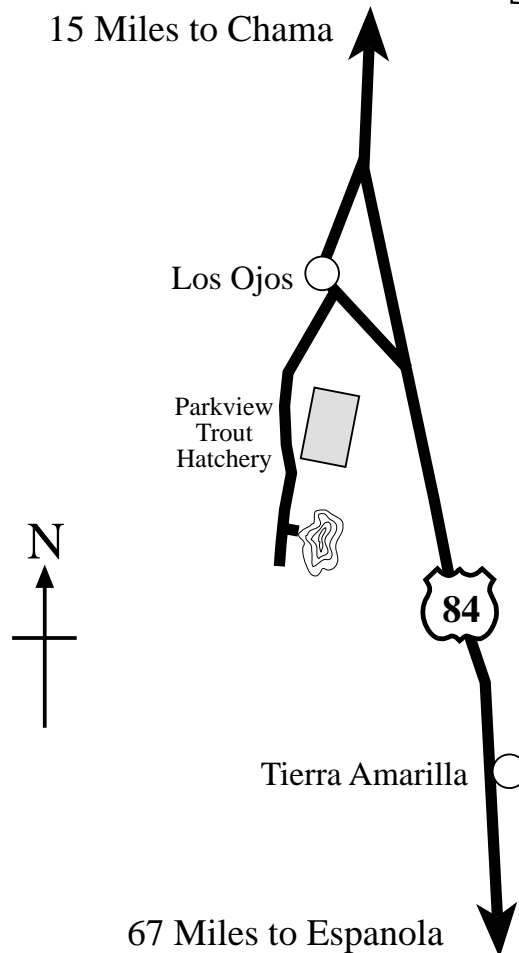
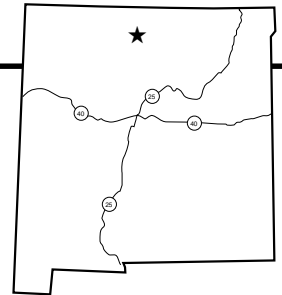
Nearby Laguna del Campo (formerly Burns Canyon Lake), 10 acres, was once part of the trout-rearing operation is now New Mexico's first "family fishing water." No camping or picnicking facilities are available, but some 15,000 visitors yearly take the self-guided tour of the hatchery area, near Los Ojos.

In the winter of 2006, the

New Mexico Game Commission gave approval to re-name Parkview Hatchery to Los Ojos Hatchery, and Burns Canyon Lake to Laguna del Campo. This they hoped would help give the

hatchery and the lake more identity with Los Ojos community, and would give the community more ownership.

Open daylight hours only.
Season is from April 1-Oct. 31.



Hunting
No

Fishing
Trout

Boat Ramp
No

Camp Sites
No

Picnic Tables
No

Toilets
Yes