

Directions to the Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs Division (NREA), Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center (MCAGCC)

Please find attached directions to the NREA building. There are two maps, one showing the detail of the Main Gate and the Visitor's Center, and one showing detail of the route from the Main Gate to the Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs building, Building 1451.

Enter the base from Adobe Road, which intersects US 62 in downtown Twentynine Palms. From Twentynine Palms, take Adobe Road north, and as you approach the Main Gate, you will see the Visitor's Center to the right. Exit Adobe Road to the right to enter the Visitor's Center parking lot, and check in with the staff in the vehicle registration office (see Main Gate Diagram for more detail). They will ask to see a photo ID, your vehicle registration and insurance, and will issue you a pass. Please plan on about 15 to 30 minutes to get the day pass at the Visitor's Center.

Place the day pass in your windshield, then proceed out of the Visitor's Center parking lot by the same road you entered. Turn right towards the gate, and be prepared to stop and show a picture ID to the guard on duty at the gate. The guard will also need to be able to clearly see your day pass. The guard will direct you to proceed through the gate.

Once through the gate, follow Adobe Road to Del Valle Drive, which will be the first traffic light. Turn left on Del Valle, and proceed to Third Street, which will again be the first traffic light. Turn right on Third Street, and proceed through two four way stops to the third stop sign at Griffin Road. At Griffin, make a left turn, and make an immediate left into the NREA parking lot. As you face the building, enter through the door at the center or the door on the right end of the building (please see Map to NREA attachment for more detail). Both are marked "NOT AN ENTRANCE." Ignore the signs, as those doors are not entrances only during higher states of security.



Main Gate

Visitor's Center

Visitor's Center Entrance

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To reach NREA from the Main Gate:

1. Proceed through the Main Gate on Adobe Road to the traffic light at Del Valle Drive, and make a left turn onto Del Valle.
2. Proceed northwest on Del Valle Drive to the traffic light at Third Street, and make a right on Third Street.
3. Proceed northeast on Third Street to the third stop sign at Griffin Road, and make a left turn onto Griffin Road.
4. Turn left at the first parking lot on the left at Building 1451, Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs.
5. Once in the parking lot at building 1451, enter either through the center door or through the door at the end of the building on the right hand side (see map on next page). Please ignore the signs saying “NOT AN ENTRANCE” (it’s the government; it doesn’t always make a lot of sense!).

The Cultural Resources staff offices are at the northwest (right hand) end of the building. Please find contact information below for any questions or concerns.