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## Road Map Travel Guide

### New Mexico United States Highway #285

MILE	KM	ITEM	SUMMARY	MILE	KM
0.0	0.0	Photo Looking at the Pecos River	City of Carlsbad, New Mexico. Attractions in Carlsbad, New Mexico: (largest)- Pecos River Village & Conference Center - International Bat Festival - River Walk - Living Desert Zoo and Gardens State Park - Lake Carlsbad Water Recreation Area.	77.6	124.8
0.0	0.0	City of Carlsbad, New Mexico	Photo Looking at the Pecos River	77.6	124.8
0.0	0.0	City of Carlsbad	Junction of Highway #62 & 180 South. West to city of Hobbs. South to Carlsbad Caverns National Park. ---For Travel East or West via U.S. highway # 180 / #62 See Milebymile.com New Mexico Road Map Travel Guide Texas/New Mexico Border to Carlsbad to Texas Border for driving directions.	77.6	124.8
0.7	1.2	Junction of Highway #216		76.8	123.6
1.5	2.4	Access to Truck Route	East to city of Hobbs, New Mexico. Unique attractions in Hobbs, New Mexico: Christmas in the Desert - Confederate Air Force Museum - Lea County Cowboy Hall of Fame - Harry McAdams Park - Hobbs August Nights (antique and custom cars), Hobbs Industrial Airpark - Lea County Heritage Center - Linam Ranch Museum - Hobbs, National Soaring Foundation Championships.	76.1	122.4
2.1	3.4	Green Street	Note: Highway #62 & #180 North leaves Highway #285 at this point.	75.4	121.4
5.2	8.3	Access to New Mexico University of Carlsbad	West of highway.	72.4	116.5
5.5	8.9	Access to the Living Desert & Zoo State Park	No campground. West of highway. Living Desert Zoo & Gardens State Park is an indoor/outdoor living museum displaying more than 40 native animal species and hundreds of succulent plants from around the world.	72.0	115.9
8.9	14.4	Junction of Eddy County Roadway #435	North side of highway.	68.6	110.4
10.3	16.5	Junction of Highway #524	West side of highway.	67.3	108.3
10.4	16.8	Junction of Eddy County Roadway #407		67.1	108.0
12.3	19.8		View from highway driving North.	65.2	105.0
12.6	20.3	Junction of Eddy County Roadway #406	West of highway.	64.9	104.5
14.5	23.3	Junction of Highway #137	Southwest to Lincoln National Forest. South to Sitting Bull Falls. South to Guadalupe Mountains National Park.	63.1	101.5
14.8	23.8		View from highway driving North.	62.8	101.0
14.8	23.8		View from highway driving North.	62.8	101.0
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17.2	27.7	Brantley Lake Road	Access to Brantley Lake State Park campground-East of highway. Brantley Lake State Park Campground: Developed camping Sites (51)- Electric Sites (51)- RV Dump Station - Restrooms - Showers.	60.3	97.1
18.4	29.6		Point of Interest - view from highway looking East at Brantley Lake, New Mexico.	59.2	95.2
19.5	31.4	Junction of Eddy County #28	West side of highway.	58.0	93.4
19.9	32.1	Junction of Eddy County #28	Access to Campground R.V. park with trailer sewage dump.	57.6	92.7
21.4	34.5			56.1	90.3
22.6	36.3	Junction of Eddy County Roadway #23	West side of highway.	55.0	88.5
23.6	38.0	Junction of Eddy County Roadway #31	Access to community of Lakewood, New Mexico. East of highway.	53.9	86.8
25.0	40.2	Junction of Eddy County Roadway #21	West of highway.	52.6	84.6
25.0	40.2	Junction of Eddy County Roadway #35	East of highway.	52.6	84.6
27.3	43.9	Junction of Eddy County Roadway #140	East side of highway.	50.3	80.9
28.8	46.3	Junction of Eddy County Roadway #38	East side of highway.	48.8	78.5

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29.6	47.6	Roadside turnout rest area	Picnic tables, with historical marker, no toilets.	48.0	77.2
29.7	47.8	Junction of Eddy County Roadway #41	East side of highway.	47.8	77.0
31.8	51.1	Junction of Eddy County Roadway #39	West side of highway.	45.8	73.7
32.1	51.6	Community of Atoka, New Mexico		45.5	73.2
32.7	52.6	Junction of Eddy County Roadway #49		44.9	72.2
33.7	54.2	Junction of Eddy County Roadway #50		43.9	70.6
34.7	55.9	Junction of Eddy County Roadway #52		42.8	68.9
36.0	57.9	Junction of Eddy County Roadway #55		41.6	66.9
36.8	59.2	Access to R.V. park	West side of highway.	40.8	65.6
37.8	60.8	Main Street, City of Artesia	Junction of Highway #82. West to communities of Hope, New Mexico, Elk, New Mexico, Mayhill, New Mexico. East to communities of Riverside, New Mexico, Loco Hills, New Mexico, Majamer, New Mexico.	39.8	64.0
37.9	61.0	Artesia Chamber of Commerce Visitor Information Center	Unique attractions in Artesia: Artesia Public Library (125-gallon aquarium) - Artesia Historical Museum & Arts Center - Bulldog Balloon Rally - Heritage Plaza & Walkway - Artesia, Historical Train Depot.	39.6	63.8
38.1	61.3	Point of Interest	Crossing Eagle Creek.	39.5	63.5
38.8	62.5	Junction of Roadway #357		38.7	62.3
39.8	64.0	Junction of Roadway #229		37.8	60.8
40.5	65.1	Junction of Roadway #2	Access to communities of Lake Arthur, New Mexico, Hagerman, New Mexico, Dexter, New Mexico.	37.1	59.7
40.6	65.3	Junction of Eddy County Roadside #115		37.0	59.5
42.3	68.0	Junction of Eddy County Roadway #118		35.3	56.8
42.6	68.6	Junction of Eddy County Roadway #53		34.9	56.2
44.5	71.6	Junction of Eddy County Roadway #127	Cottonwood Road.	33.1	53.2
46.9	75.4	Junction of highway #348		30.7	49.4
46.9	75.5	Point of Interest	Chaves County, New Mexico Souther County Line.	30.6	49.3
48.3	77.8	Roadside turnout with historical marker	West side of highway.	29.2	47.0
49.8	80.2	Access to community of Lake Arthur, New Mexico	East side of highway.	27.7	44.6
54.5	87.7		View from highway driving North.	23.1	37.1
54.8	88.2	Junction of Highway #13	West to communities of Hope, New Mexico, Elk, New Mexico, Cloudcroft, New Mexico.	22.7	36.6
55.8	89.8	Junction of Highway #558	East to community of Hagerman. East access to Bottomless Lake State Park campground. Camping: Developed Sites (30) - Electric Sites (32)- RV Dump Station - Restrooms/Showers	21.7	35.0
55.9	90.0	Roadside turnout picnic area	Picnic tables, no toilets - West side of highway.	21.6	34.8
58.8	94.7	Junction of County Roadway #23-14	West side of highway.	18.7	30.1
60.9	98.0	Ojidwa Road	East side of highway.	16.7	26.8
62.9	101.2	Access to community of Dexter, New Mexico	East side of highway.	14.7	23.6
70.0	112.6	Junction of Highway #2	East to community of Dexter. Junction of Highway #380.	7.6	12.2
72.1	116.1	Access to Roswell, New Mexico, International Air Center	West side of highway.	5.4	8.7
73.3	117.9	Access to Truck Route #285, #70 & #380		4.3	6.9
74.2	119.4	City of Roswell, New Mexico, - The U.F.O. City	Southern Boundary. Elevation 3570 ft. Attractions in Roswell, New Mexico: Chaves County Courthouse - Goddard Planetarium - Roswell's, Historic District - Roswell Industrial Air Center (former Strategic Air Command - Roswell Museum & Art Center - Spring River Park & Zoo - UFO Museums.	3.4	5.4

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74.4	119.7	Access to R.V. park	West side of highway.	3.2	5.1
74.6	120.0		View from highway driving North.	3.0	4.8
76.9	123.8		City of Roswell business area. Photo - view from highway driving North.	0.6	1.0
77.6	124.8	Junction of Highways #380 & #70	East to communities of Caprock, New Mexico, Tatum, New Mexico. West to communities of Riverside, New Mexico, Picacho, New Mexico, Hondo, New Mexico,. For highway travel west of Roswell, See - Milebymile.com New Mexico Road Map Travel Guide New Mexico United States highway #380 City of Roswell,to Carrizozo, New Mexico, for driving directions.  Start/finish of Highway Travel Guide. -Se	0.0	0.0