



RV camping at Settlement Canyon in the Oquirrh Mountains. © David Bern/TBP Photo

Tooele County has both developed and undeveloped/ primitive campsites, most of which are managed by the U.S. Forest Service, the Bureau of Land Management, and Tooele County. Please see Tooele County Map on Page 47 for specific locations. The camping/RV locations listed below are not all inclusive.

## Cottonwood Campground

Located one mile from the U.S. Forest Service boundary in South Willow Canyon. Due to rugged access, RV's are not recommended.

**Elevation and season:** 6,080 ft. Late May through mid October (weather permitting)

### Facilities:

Each site can accommodate eight people and one vehicle. Vault toilet, but no water or garbage service. Trash must be packed out.

### Reservations:

**Availability:** Check in 2 p.m.; check out 1 p.m. No access 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. Maximum stay seven days.  
**Fee:** \$5 per day.

**Restrictions:** Dogs must be leashed in camp and picnic areas. Fires in rings only and bring own

**How to get there:** From Grantsville's Main Street, turn

Mormon Trail Road to South Willow Canyon turn-off. Turn right onto canyon access road and continue for 4.2 miles to campground.

**Contact:** Salt Lake Ranger District (801) 943-1794. [www.fs.fed.us/r4/wcnf/](http://www.fs.fed.us/r4/wcnf/)

## Intake Campground

**Location:** 1.5 miles from the U.S. Forest Service boundary in South Willow Canyon. Due to rugged access, RV's are not recommended. Elevation and season: 6,320 ft. Late May through mid October (weather permitting)

### Facilities:

Each site can accommodate eight people and one vehicle. Vault toilet, but no water or garbage service. Trash must be packed out.

### Reservations:

**Availability:** Check in 2 p.m.; check out 1 p.m. No access 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. Maximum stay seven days. Fee: \$5 per day.

**Restrictions:** Dogs must be leashed in camp and picnic areas. Fires in rings only and bring own

**How to get there:** From Grantsville's Main Street, turn

Mormon Trail Road to South Willow Canyon turn-off. Turn right onto canyon access road and continue for 4.7 miles to campground.

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## Boy Scout Campground

**Location:** 1.7 miles from the U.S. Forest Service boundary in South Willow Canyon. Due to rugged access, RV's are not recommended. Elevation and season: 6,320 ft. Late May through mid October (weather permitting)

### Facilities:

Each site can accommodate eight people and one vehicle. Vault toilet, but no water or garbage service. Trash must be packed out.

### Reservations:

**Availability:** Check in 2 p.m.; check out 1 p.m. No access 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. Maximum stay seven days. Fee: \$5 per day.

**Restrictions:** Dogs must be leashed in camp and picnic areas. Fires in rings only and bring own

**How to get there:** From Grantsville's Main Street, turn

Mormon Trail Road to South Willow Canyon turn-off. Turn right onto canyon access road and continue for 4.7 miles to campground.

**Contact:** Salt Lake Ranger District (801) 943-1794. [www.fs.fed.us/r4/wcnf/](http://www.fs.fed.us/r4/wcnf/)

## Lower Narrows Campground

**Location:** 2.2 miles from the U.S. Forest Service boundary in South Willow Canyon. Due to rugged access, RV's are not recommended. Elevation and season: 6,840 ft. Late May through mid

October (weather permitting)

### Facilities:

Each site can accommodate eight people and one vehicle. Vault toilet, but no water or garbage service. Trash must be packed out.

### Reservations:

**Availability:** Check in 2 p.m.; check out 1 p.m. No access 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. Maximum stay seven days.

**Fee:** \$5 per day.

**Restrictions:** Dogs must be leashed in camp and picnic areas. Fires in rings only and bring own

**How to get there:** From Grantsville's Main Street, turn

Mormon Trail Road to South Willow Canyon turn-off. Turn right onto canyon access road and continue for 5.4 miles to campground.

**Contact:** Salt Lake Ranger District (801) 943-1794. [www.fs.fed.us/r4/wcnf/](http://www.fs.fed.us/r4/wcnf/)

## Upper Narrows Campground

**Location:** Three miles from the U.S. Forest Service boundary in South Willow Canyon. Due to rugged access, RV's are not recommended.

**Elevation and season:** 6,920 ft. Late May through mid October (weather permitting)

### Facilities:

vehicle. Vault toilet, but no water or garbage service. Trash must be packed out.

**Reservations:** Upper Narrows Campground can be reserved as a group site. Call (877) 444-6777 or see [www.ReserveUSA.com](http://www.ReserveUSA.com)

**Availability:** Check in 2 p.m.; check out 1 p.m. No access 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. Maximum stay seven days.

**Fee:** \$5 per day per site; \$21.75 per day for entire campground.

**Restrictions:** Dogs must be leashed in camp and picnic areas. Fires in rings only and bring own

**How to get there:** From Grantsville's Main Street, turn

Mormon Trail Road to South Willow Canyon turn-off. Turn right onto canyon access road and continue for 6.3 miles to campground.

**Contact:** Salt Lake Ranger District (801) 943-1794. [www.fs.fed.us/r4/wcnf/](http://www.fs.fed.us/r4/wcnf/)

## Loop Campground

**Location:** 4.5 miles from the U.S. Forest Service boundary in South Willow Canyon. Due to rugged access, RV's are not recommended.

**Elevation and season:** 7,400 ft. Late May through mid October (weather permitting)

### Facilities:

one vehicle. One site is a double site and holds 16 people and four vehicles. Vault toilet, but no water or garbage service. Trash must be packed out.

### Reservations:

**Availability:** Check in 2 p.m.; check out 1 p.m. No access 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. Maximum stay seven days.

Fee: \$5 per day.

**Restrictions:** Dogs must be leashed in camp and picnic areas. Fires in rings only and bring own

**How to get there:** From Grantsville's Main Street, turn

Mormon Trail Road to South Willow Canyon turn-off. Turn right onto canyon access road and continue for 7.7 miles to campground.

**Contact:** Salt Lake Ranger District (801) 943-1794. [www.fs.fed.us/r4/wcnf/](http://www.fs.fed.us/r4/wcnf/)

## Grantsville Reservoir

**Location:** About four miles south of Grantsville on Mormon Trail Road. RV accessible.

**Season:** Open year-round

**Facilities:** 24 RV pads, four pavilions, 24 picnic tables, 24 barbecue grills, vault toilets, no water. Dumpster available.

**Reservations:**

**Availability:** Check in 24 hrs. Maximum stay seven days. No daily fee.

**Restrictions:** Fires in rings only and bring own

**How to get there:** From Grantsville's Main Street, turn south on Cooley Street and proceed for four miles to Grantsville Reservoir. Follow signage to campground.

**Contact:** Tooele County Corporation, (435) 843-4000.

## Settlement Canyon

**Location:** Approximately one mile inside Settlement Canyon and three miles from downtown Tooele City. RV accessible.

**Elevation and season:** 5,500 ft. April 1 to Oct. 31 (weather permitting)

**Facilities:** One group campsite (100 person capacity) with amphitheater and vault toilets. No water. Volleyball pit. Also eight individual campsites with

(electricity, water and sewer).

**Reservations:** Call (435) 843-4000 Jan. 1 through March 31.

**Availability:** Check-in and check-out is 10 a.m. Access is closed from dusk to 8 a.m. Maximum stay seven days.

**Fee:** Group campsite \$100 per day; RV sites \$15 per day; campsites \$5 per day.

**Restrictions:** No ATV's allowed. Dogs must be leashed in camp and picnic areas. Fires in rings only

**How to get there:** From Tooele City Hall, proceed south on Main Street (SR-36) for 2.2 miles to Settlement Canyon Road. Turn left and continue one-half mile to entrance gate. Stop and see gate attendant before proceeding. Campground is less than one mile after entrance gate.

**Contact:** Tooele County Corporation, (435) 843-4000.

## Vernon Reservoir Campground

**Location:** Approximately six miles southeast of Vernon and nearby the Sheeprock Mountains. Light, non-motorized boating is permitted on reservoir, which is stocked with trout.

**Elevation and season:** 6,500 ft. Late April through

November (weather permitting)

**Facilities:** Ten campsites with tables, water and vault toilets. Vault toilet, but no water or garbage service. Trash must be packed out.

**Reservations:**

**Availability:** All sites are free.

**Restrictions:** Check for signage at campground. How to get there: From Tooele City proceed south on SR-36 for 30 miles to Vernon. At Vernon the state highway turns left and heads east. Continue approximately one mile and turn right onto Forest Service Road 005. Proceed south for six miles on gravel road to campground.

**Contact:** Spanish Fork Ranger District at (801) 798-3571.

## Simpson Springs Campground

**Location:** About 60 miles southwest of Tooele City next to the famous Simpson Springs Pony Express Station.

**Elevation and season:** 5,100 ft. Late Open all year.

**Facilities:**

Vault toilets, but no water, hookups or garbage service. Trash must be packed out.

**Reservations:**

Sites are \$4 per day.

**Availability:** Check in 2 p.m.; check out 1 p.m. No access 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. Maximum stay seven days.

**Fee:** \$5 per day.

**Restrictions:** Horses are not allowed inside the campground.

**How to get there:** From Tooele City head south on SR-36 for 24 miles to Faust. Follow signs and turn right onto to Backcountry Byway, which is also the original

then becomes gravel. Proceed over Lookout Pass. Total distance from Faust to Simpson Springs is approximately 30 miles.

**Contact:** Bureau of Land Management, Salt Lake Field

## Clover Springs Campground

**Location:** About 23 miles southwest of Tooele City off of SR-199 on Johnson's Pass.

**Elevation and season:** 6,000 ft. April through October (weather permitting)

**Facilities:**

feeding stations and a feeding trough. Vault toilets, but no water or garbage service. Trash must be packed out.

**Reservations:**

**Availability:** Fee: \$4 per day.

**Restrictions:** None

**How to get there:** From Tooele City, proceed south on SR-36 for 16 miles to junction with SR-199. Turn right and proceed eight miles. Campground is on the left.

**Contact:** Bureau of Land Management, Salt Lake Field

## Middle Canyon

**Location:** 4.5 miles from the U.S. Forest Service boundary. Due to rugged access, RV's are not recommended.

**Season:** Canyon is closed during winter months.

**Facilities:** Several improved and unimproved campsites can be found throughout the canyon.

water. No disposal available; must pack out all trash.

**Reservations:**

**Availability:** Check in anytime. Maximum stay seven days. No daily fee.

**Restrictions:** Fires in rings only and bring own

**How to get there:** From Tooele City Hall, proceed south on Main Street (SR-36) for one-half block to stoplight. Turn left onto Vine Street and continue east for two miles to canyon's mouth. Continue up canyon. Campsites are found on either side.

**Contact:** Tooele County Corporation, (435) 843-4000.

## Deseret Peak Complex

**Location:** At the intersection of SR-112 and Sheep Lane between Tooele and Grantsville Cities.

**Season:** Year-round

**Facilities:** Six RV pads with full hookups.

**Reservations:** Call (435) 843-4000 year-round. Reservations are recommended.

**Availability:** Check in and check out 10 a.m. No access 10 p.m. to 7 a.m. Monday through Saturday; 6 p.m. to 7 a.m. Sunday. No maximum stay. Fee: \$15 per day.

**Restrictions:**

**How to get there:** From Tooele City Hall, proceed north on Main Street (SR-36) for one half block to stoplight and turn left onto SR-112. Continue west for six miles to Deseret Peak Complex. Stop at gate and see attendant before proceeding.

**Contact:** Tooele County Corporation or Deseret Peak Complex at (435) 843-4000.

## Other areas across Tooele County

Locations mentioned below offer mostly unimproved to primitive campsites with limited to no RV access. Call contact numbers ahead of time for availability, restrictions and road conditions.

**Silver Island Mountains** at Bonneville Salt Flats.

**Contact:** Bureau of Land Management, Salt Lake Field

**White Rocks** in Skull Valley. Contact: Bureau of Land

**Horse Shoe Springs** in Skull Valley. Contact: Bureau

977-4300.

**Lookout Pass** on Pony Express Trail. Contact: Bureau

977-4300.

**Five Mile Pass** at southern end of Oquirrh Mountains. Contact: Bureau of Land Management, Salt Lake Field

**Pony Express Trail** from Five Mile Pass to Ibapah.

**Contact:** Bureau of Land Management, Salt Lake Field

**Knolls OHV Area** in the Great Salt Lake Desert.

**Contact:** Bureau of Land Management, Salt Lake Field