

# ***Maps to Spaceport America Vertical Launch Area***

***from Truth or Consequences, New Mexico***



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# Google Maps and Apple Maps are *WRONG*



- This only applies to the Vertical Launch Area for Wednesday through Saturday launches.
- All of the major mapping systems will get you lost on back roads which don't really exist.
- All of the roads to the entrance of Spaceport America **ARE PAVED**. If you find yourself on a dirt or gravel road BEFORE you enter Spaceport America, you ARE **NOT ON THE CORRECT ROAD**.
- Spaceport America will attempt to put up roadway signs up for the first few days



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- Total travel time should be about 45 minutes
- Head East on Highway 51
- Do NOT take the A014 shortcut to the south. The road is not paved and questionable at best.
- Take a Right at the Stop Sign in Engle ~15 miles onto A-13
- Police will be actively looking for speeders.
- Stay on this road until you see the entrance to Spaceport America



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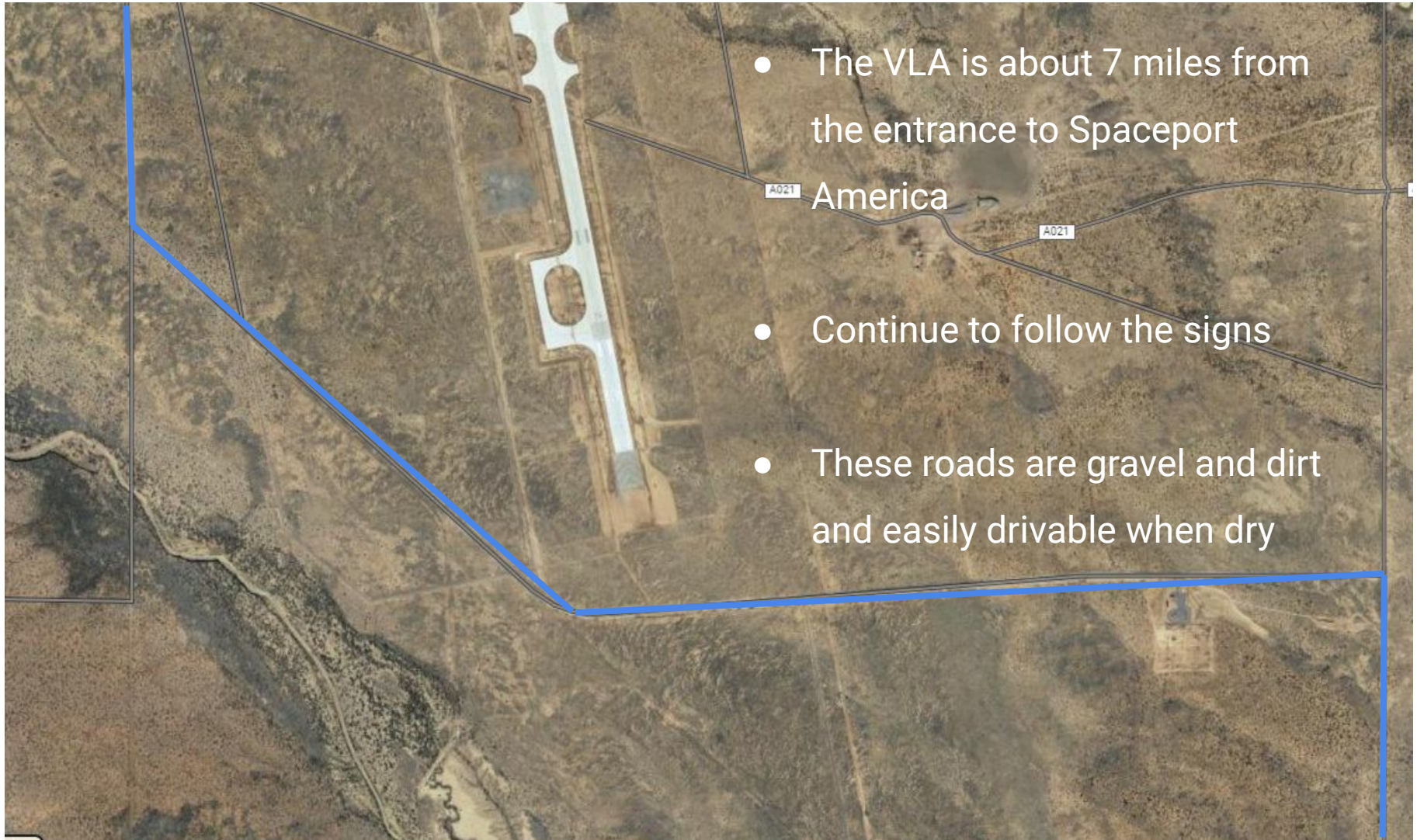
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# Getting to the Vertical Launch Area



- Take a left at Spaceport America Drive to enter the Spaceport America area.
- Follow the signs to the Vertical Launch Areas
- Do not enter the guard gate area of Spaceport America. They will turn you around.

# *Gravel and Dirt Roads to VLA*



# *Final 2 miles to the VLA*



- Continue to follow signs and other vehicles
- There will be a gate at the VLA. All vehicle occupants must present their badges to gain access. Do NOT FORGET YOUR BADGE
- Once inside the VLA, security will direct you to where to unload and park.