

Coyote Buttes North Navigation Map

For use with Coyote Buttes North -- Finding the Wave Navigation Instructions

- * Photo Points
- - - Route to the Wave (not a trail)
- House Rock Valley Road



Map Information
 Projection: Universal Transverse Mercator (UTM)
 UTM Grid: 500 Meter (1,640 Feet) = 0.31 miles
 Latitude-Longitude: 30 second tics (in red)
 Datum: North American Datum 1927 (NAD27)
 Contour Interval: 20 feet (6 meters)

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How to use these instructions

- Use with the map titled, "Coyote Buttes North Navigation Map."
- Look on the map for labeled points (Point 1, Point 2, etc.). You will be following them in sequence.
 - ⇒ If you are using GPS, Latitude-Longitude and UTM coordinates are listed below for each point.
 - ⇒ If you are not using GPS, use the map and the directions below to navigate.
- Once you are confident you are close to one of the points, find the photo below with the same name.
- Locate the arrow next to the point on the map and face in the direction it is pointing.
 - ⇒ If you have a compass, the direction you should be facing is written next to the point (azimuth).
 - ⇒ Example: Point 1, Azimuth: 132° SE (This means you would be facing Southeast).
- Look at the photo. If you are near the point, you should see the same view shown in the photo.
- Follow the white arrows in the photos to the next point.



Getting Started

- Park your vehicle in the Wire Pass Trailhead Parking Lot.
- Cross the road, walk past the trailhead signs, and step into Coyote Wash.
- The trail is the wash itself. Turn left and walk down the wash.
- About 1/2 mile from the trailhead (10-15 minutes walking time), look for a sign that points to Coyote Buttes in one direction and Buckskin Gulch in the other.
- Leave Coyote Wash and follow the old road to the top of the hill. Sign in at the trail register. Start down the other side, keep to the right and start looking for the sandstone ridge in the first photo. The view below means you're at **Point 1**.

*** Point 1 →**

Azimuth: 132° SE
 Latitude: 37° 1' 3"
 Longitude: 112° 0' 46"
 UTM Zone 12
 North: 4097095
 East: 409903



6. Continue to follow the old road to a large sand wash. Cross the wash and then climb up and over the sandstone ridge where the white arrow indicates.

*** Point 2 →**

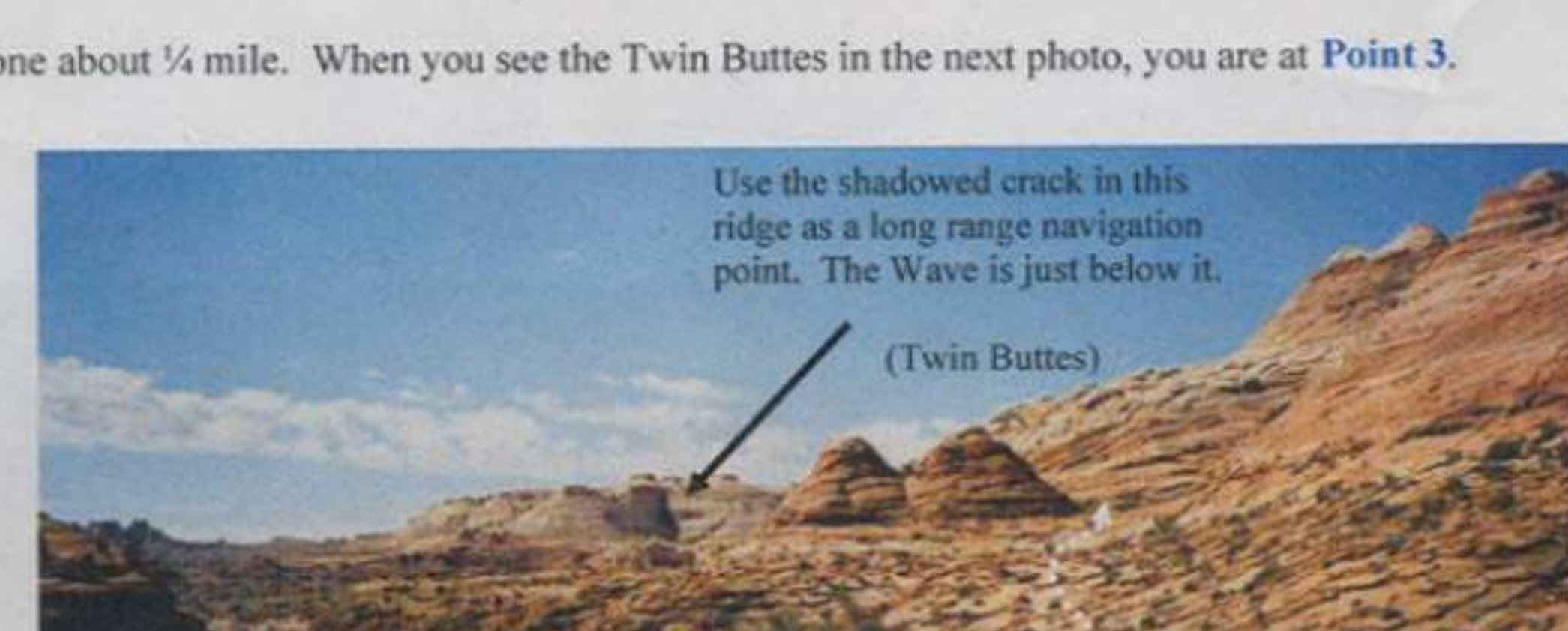
Azimuth: 176° S
 Latitude: 37° 0' 55"
 Longitude: 112° 0' 30"
 UTM Zone 12
 North: 4096837
 East: 410338



7. Once you have crossed the ridge and walked down the other side, turn right (south) and walk 100 meters across sandstone slickrock, moving parallel to the ridge towards **Point 2**, as shown in the photo.

*** Point 3 →**

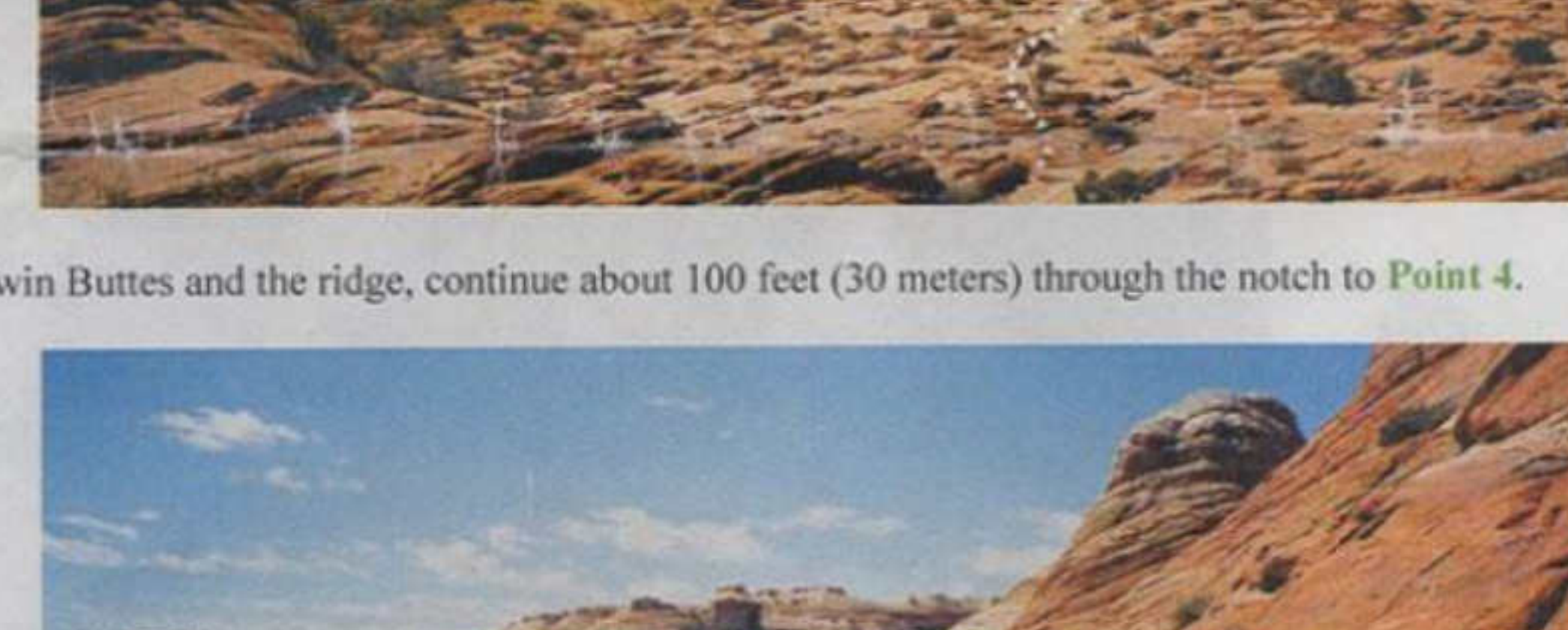
Azimuth: 183° S
 Latitude: 37° 0' 46"
 Longitude: 112° 0' 26"
 UTM Zone 12
 North: 4096571
 East: 410398



8. Walk south across the sandstone about 1/4 mile. When you see the Twin Buttes in the next photo, you are at **Point 3**.

*** Point 4 →**

Azimuth: 181° S
 Latitude: 37° 0' 35"
 Longitude: 112° 0' 26"
 UTM Zone 12
 North: 4096226
 East: 410395

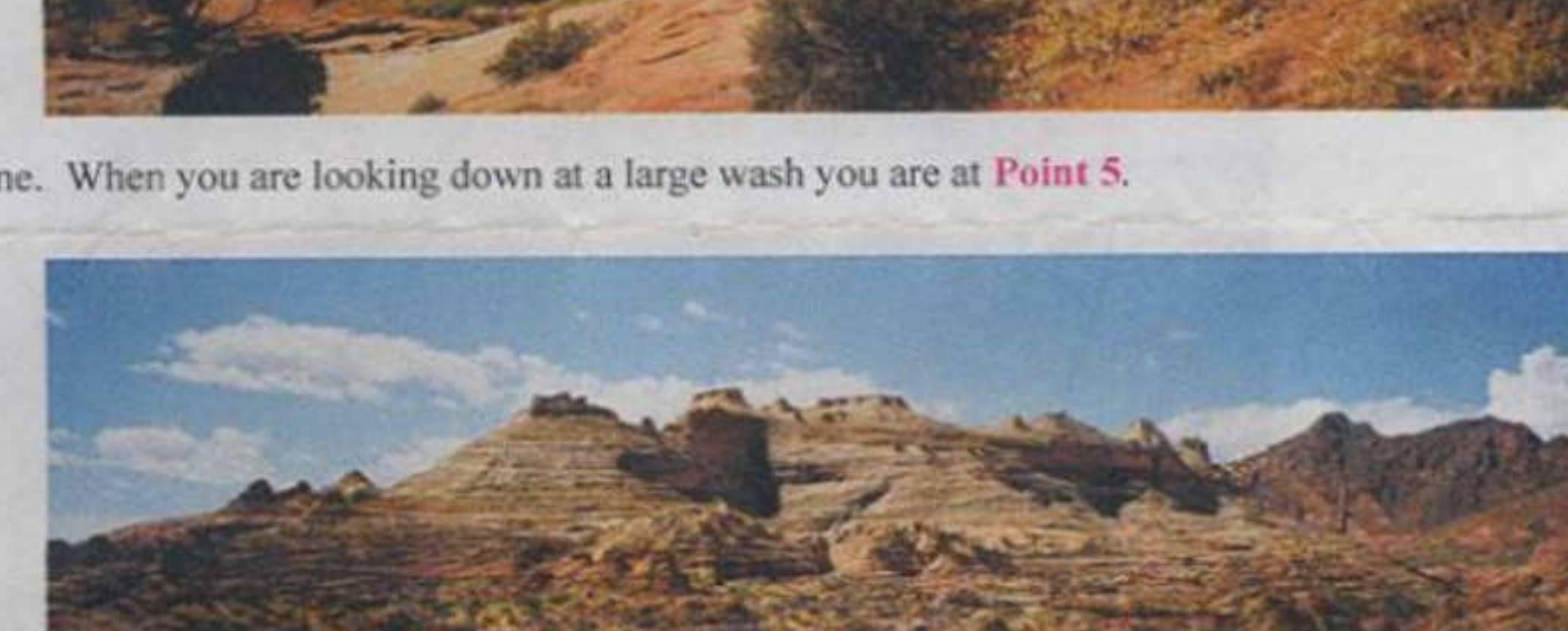


9. Follow the white arrow and pass the Twin Buttes on the right. It might look easier on the left, but it's not!

10. After passing between the Twin Buttes and the ridge, continue about 100 feet (30 meters) through the notch to **Point 4**.

*** Point 5 →**

Azimuth: 180° S
 Latitude: 37° 0' 10"
 Longitude: 112° 0' 22"
 UTM Zone 12
 North: 4095452
 East: 410486

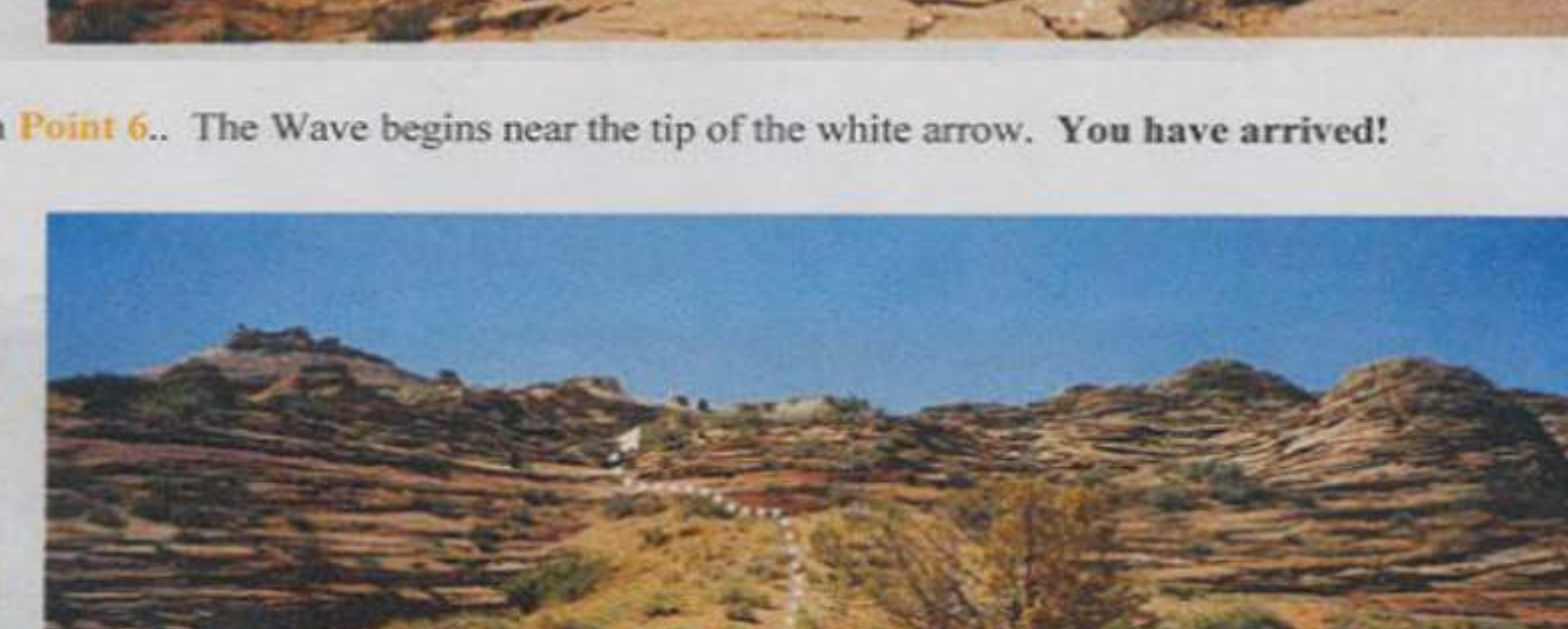


11. From **Point 4**, follow the white arrow across the slickrock. Start looking for a sand dune at the far end.

12. Aim for a gap in the sand dune. When you are looking down at a large wash you are at **Point 5**.

*** Point 6 →**

Azimuth: 174° S
 Latitude: 36° 59' 58"
 Longitude: 112° 0' 23"
 UTM Zone 12
 North: 4095087
 East: 410515



13. Follow the white arrow to the bottom of the wash. This will bring you to **Point 6**.

*** THE WAVE ★**

Latitude: 36° 59' 47"
 Longitude: 112° 0' 21"
 UTM Zone 12
 North: 4094738
 East: 410511



4. Continue up the sand hill from **Point 6**. The Wave begins near the tip of the white arrow. **You have arrived!**



Emergency Phone Numbers

Kane County Sheriff, Kanab, UT
 1-435-644-2349
 Coconino County Sheriff, Flagstaff, AZ
 1-800-338-7888
 National Park Service, Page, AZ
 1-800-582-4351
 BLM Kanab Field Office, Kanab, UT
 1-435-644-4600
 BLM Arizona Strip Field Office, St. George, AZ
 1-435-688-3200

Minimize Impacts

The Wave and all of Coyote Buttes are comprised of fragile sandstone features. Please step carefully when moving through the area. Leave it like you found it. Be considerate of others who have come to the Wave. Enjoy, take photos and continue on to see the many other striking formations in the area.

Backcountry Warning

Visitors entering wilderness areas do so at their own risk. Search and rescue efforts may take hours or even days. This area is recommended for experienced hikers only. Bring plenty of water, food, and an adequate first aid kit. Have an action plan in case of emergency. Cellular phone service may not be available.

Area Information

All area roads are impassable when wet
 Permit Boundary is posted at popular access points
 7 1/2' Topographic Map coverage
 Coyote Buttes, AZ West Gate Bench, UT
 Poverty Flat, AZ Pine Hollow Canyon, UT

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