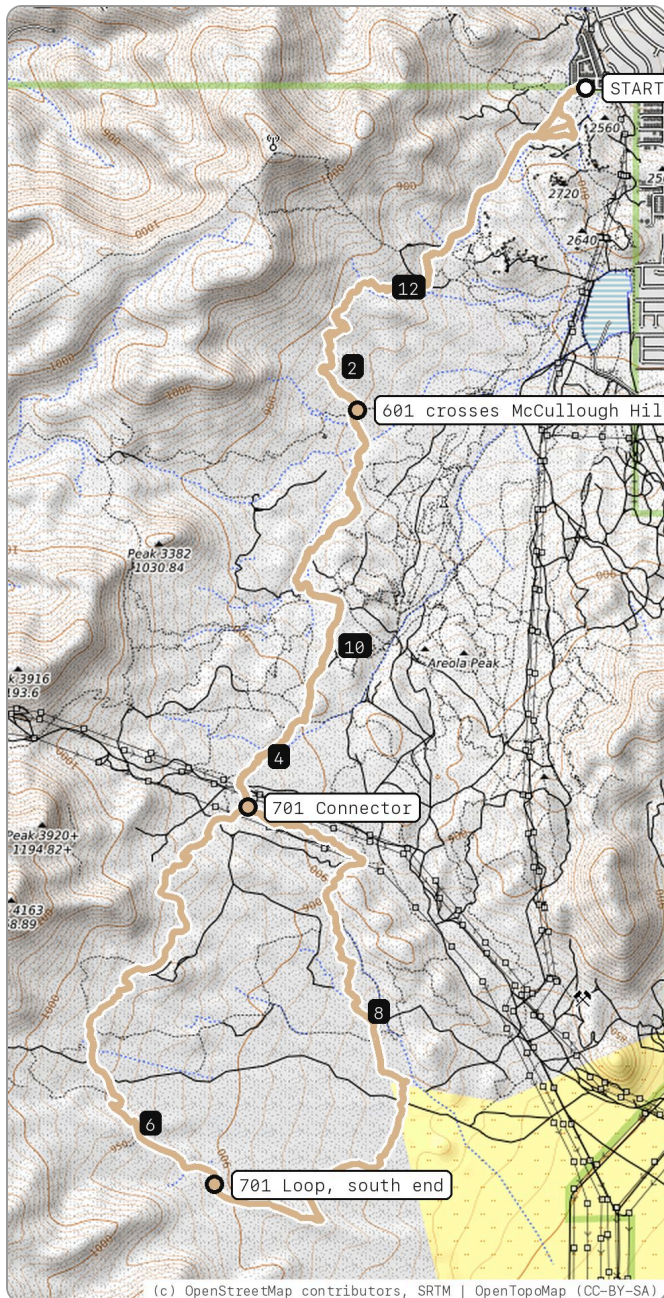


Way Out

Ride the 601 all the way south, spin a full lap of the 701 Loop under Black Mountain, and come home the same way.

Not today: Soaked: 0.59 in of rain in the last 48 hrs. Riding now ruts the trail for months. Give it a few dry days.

⚠ **Not yet rider-checked.** This line was routed from OpenStreetMap trail data and hasn't been ridden end to end yet. Cross-check turns against the trail signs or Trailforks.


14.4

MILES

1,696

FT CLIMB

3,199

FT HIGH POINT

2:10

EST. MOVING

Low

CHUNK (0%)

■ singletrack 98% ■ dirt road 1% ■ pavement 1%



Get the GPS file

Scan with a friend's phone, or tap below. Then open it in your ride app.

<https://bsqrd-designs.com/dirt/way-out/>

GETTING THERE

Park at McCullough Hills Trailhead

295 E Mission Dr, Henderson, NV 89002

- BLM/City trailhead at the end of the pavement on Mission Drive. Restroom, water and shade kiosk; separate horse lot, so leave that side for trailers.
- Start and finish are the same spot. Follow the cue sheet and the arrows on the map.

CUE SHEET

0.0	McCullough Hills Trail	PAVEMENT	0.3 mi
0.3	601 Lower	SINGLETRACK	0.3 mi
0.6	601	SINGLETRACK	0.3 mi
1.0	Singletrack connector	SINGLETRACK	0.2 mi
1.2	601	SINGLETRACK	1.4 mi
2.5	601 / Nitro	SINGLETRACK	0.5 mi
3.1	601 / Nitro Backside	SINGLETRACK	0.7 mi
3.7	601 / Flowbee	SINGLETRACK	0.4 mi
4.1	601	SINGLETRACK	0.4 mi
4.5	701 Connector	SINGLETRACK	0.1 mi
4.6	701 Loop	SINGLETRACK via 701 Connector · 701 Loop, south end	5.3 mi
10.0	701 Connector	SINGLETRACK	0.1 mi
10.1	601	SINGLETRACK	0.5 mi
10.6	601 / Flowbee	SINGLETRACK	0.4 mi
11.0	601 / Nitro Backside	SINGLETRACK	0.5 mi
11.5	601 / Nitro	SINGLETRACK via 601 crosses McCullough Hills Trail	0.6 mi
12.1	601	SINGLETRACK	1.3 mi
13.4	Singletrack connector	SINGLETRACK	0.2 mi
13.6	601	SINGLETRACK	0.3 mi
14.0	601 Lower	SINGLETRACK	0.4 mi
14.4	Back at McCullough Hills Trailhead		

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- The 701 Loop runs counterclockwise here: a climb up the lower slope of Black Mountain, then a long, fast, flowing descent. Its lower half gets sandy and faint in spots, so look for the rock-lined edges.
- The 601 section near the wash has steep pitches and a few 2 to 4 foot drops. Walk them if they look wrong; there's no shame in it.
- You ride the 601 twice, out and back. It's the only sanctioned link between the trailhead and the 701.
- Zero shade except the trail shelters. This is an October-to-April ride; in summer go at dawn or skip it, and carry more water than you think.

RIDE SMART

- **Water:** plan on about 2 L for this ride. There's none on the trail.
- **Signal is spotty.** Tell someone your route and your time back.
- **Emergency:** call 911 and say "Way Out ride, parked at McCullough Hills Trailhead, Henderson / McCullough Hills", plus the coordinates from Locate me.
- **Wildlife:** give horses, burros and anything with horns room, and never feed them.
- **Stay on trail.** Desert crust and mountain soil take decades to heal.