

Trip 9 – to western U.S. and Canada

Date	Trip leg	mileage	trip mileage	Nights	Daily rate	Taxes / Fees	Total Cost	Hookups?	Comments
Left home April 12, 2017									
	04/12/17 to Village Creek State Park, Lumberton, TX	474	474	1	\$15.00	\$3.00	\$231.50		Purchased annual New Mexico camping pass \$225 + fee
	04/13/17 to Take It Easy RV Park, Kerrville, TX	360	834	1	\$36.00	\$0.00	\$18.00 ew		Overnight stop: \$15 camping fee + \$3 entrance fee
	04/14/17 to Balmorhea State Park, Toyahvale, TX	306	1140	2	\$11.00	\$14.00	\$36.00 Full		Overnight. Nice commercial park; half permanent trailer homes.
	04/16/17 to Rockound State Park, Deming, NM	289	1429	8	\$4.00	\$0.00	\$36.00 Water		Nice park, but crowded in spring.
	04/24/18 to Hyde Memorial State Park, Santa Fe, NM	266	1695	9	\$4.00	\$0.00	\$36.00 EW		Have annual camping pass; surcharge for electric / water
	05/03/17 to Mesa Verde National Park, CO	258	1953	2	\$30.00	\$2.88	\$36.00 Electric		ew surcharge; 8733 ft altitude! Paid \$40 for ten nights but left early on 5/3.
	05/05/17 to KOA, Craig, CO	392	2345	1	\$43.89	\$5.73	\$62.88 None		Concession-run national park campgrounds cost too much
	05/06/17 to Ft. Caspar Campground, Casper, WY	234	2579	1	\$27.25	\$2.45	\$49.62 Full		KOAs are expensive but you know what you're getting.
	05/07/17 to Billings Village RV Park, Billings, MT	281	2860	1	\$50.00	\$0.00	\$29.70 EW		Not fancy.
	05/08/17 to St. Mary Campground, Glacier National Park, MT	378	3238	2	\$10.00	\$0.00	\$50.00 Full		Expensive
	05/10/17 to Village 2 Campground, Banff NP, Banff, AB, CAN	257	3495	7	\$21.36	\$11.00	\$20.00 None		Remote, but had data connection. Was here too early in season.
	05/17/17 to RR Loop, Wapiti CG, Jasper NP, Jasper, AB, CAN	178	3673	8	\$24.70	\$10.96	\$181.85 Electric		Just a pull-off on the side of campground road. In USD.
	05/25/17 To NkMip RV Park, Osoyoos, BC, Canada	464	4137	4	\$24.97	\$0.00	\$176.56 None		Nice campground. Other loops have EW. In USD.
	05/29/17 to Clear Lake FamCamp, Cheney, WA	184	4321	7	\$5.00	\$0.00	\$99.86 Full		Used only electric; Escape trailer rally. In USD
	06/05/17 to Palouse City RV Park, Palouse, WA	80	4401	21	\$25.00	\$0.00	\$25.00 None		Military campground; \$25/wk. Other sites had E/W. Dump station broken.
	06/26/17 to Woodhead Park, Hell's Canyon, ID	276	4677	10	\$14.00	\$0.00	\$450.00 Full		City RV park; \$150 /week. Well maintained.
	07/06/17 to Plymouth Park, Plymouth, WA	227	4904	6	\$24.00	\$0.00	\$144.00 EW		Idaho Power park, very nice. \$2/day senior discount!
	07/12/17 to Clackamette RV Park, Oregon City, OR	198	5102	8	\$25.00	\$0.00	\$200.00 EW		Corp of Engineering park along the Columbia River
	07/20/17 to Cape Disappointment State Park, Ilwaco, WA	140	5242	3	\$25.00	\$0.00	\$75.00 None		City RV Park; two transactions: 7 days + one day. Ten day limit.
	07/23/17 to Mora Campground, Olympic NP, WA	192	5444	3	\$20.00	\$0.00	\$200.00 EW		Other sites have hookups. Nice park but expensive.
	07/26/17 to John Wayne's Waterfront Resort, Sequim, WA	96	5530	2	\$42.00	\$5.90	\$60.00 None		Shady. Moved from Kalaloch to Mora due to small campsite & rude ranger.
	07/28/17 to Riverside RV Park, Sedro-Woolley, WA	88	5618	10	\$25.00	\$15.00	\$92.80 EW		I really needed an electrical hookup to charge low batteries
	08/01/17 to Chilliwack and back for service trip	122	5740	0	0	0	\$265.00 EW		+ Pt. Townsend ferry crossing; total includes rez fee
	08/07/17 to Plymouth Park, Plymouth, WA	325	6065	1	\$24.00	\$0.00	0 n/a		To have solar panel bolted down.
	08/08/17 to Woodhead Park, Hell's Canyon, ID	279	6344	14	\$14.00	\$0.00	\$24.00 EW		Overnight from Sedro-Woolley to Woodhead Park for the eclipse.
	08/22/17 to Brigham Cily KOA, Perry, UT	429	6773	1	\$39.61	\$4.65	\$196.00 ew		Here for the solar eclipse; fridge broke
	08/23/17 to Laramie KOA, Laramie, WY	484	7257	1	\$42.00	\$4.20	\$44.26 Full		Overnight stop
	08/24/17 to Sugarite Canyon State Park, Raton, NM	376	7633	1	\$8.00	\$0.00	\$46.20 Full		Overnight stop; didn't use hookups
	08/25/17 to Oasis State Park, Portales, NM	289	7922	11	\$5.00	\$0.00	\$8.00 Full		Overnight stop; water was contaminated
	09/05/17 to Kirtland AFB FamCamp, Albuquerque, NM	229	8151	7	\$18.00	\$0.00	\$64.00 Full		Three days water-only site, eight days full hookups surcharge; dump station broken
	09/12/17 to Camping World, Albuquerque, NM, for service	20	8171	1	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$126.00 EW		Military campground
	09/13/17 to Bluewater State Park, NM	227	8398	5	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00 none		Maintenance stop; left trailer and got hotel in Santa Fe
	09/18/17 to Navajo Lake State Park, NM	146	8544	5	\$4.00	\$0.00	\$20.00 EW		Drove to AZ border then returned to state park.
	09/23/17 to North Rim Campground, Grand Canyon NP, AZ	407	8951	7	\$18.00	\$0.00	\$126.00 none		Nice park, multiple campgrounds; \$4/day E/W surcharge
	09/30/17 To Ft. Tuthill Recreation Area, Flagstaff, AZ	241	9192	2	\$5.00	\$0.00	\$19.00 none		Shady campground, bad for solar panels / batteries
	10/02/17 to Bluewater State Park, NM	276	9468	1	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00 none		Military campground
	10/03/17 to Kirtland AFB FamCamp, Albuquerque, NM	120	9588	7	\$6.00	\$0.00	\$42.00 none		Overnight stop
	10/10/17 to KOA, Abilene, TX	494	10082	1	\$42.00	\$0.00	\$42.00 Full		Used dry camping area.
	10/11/17 to Barksdale AFB FamCamp, Shreveport, LA	393	10475	1	\$10.00	\$0.00	\$42.00 Full		Overnight stop; didn't use hookups
	10/12/17 to Historic Blakeley State Park, Spanish Fort, AL	435	10910	3	\$30.00	\$0.00	\$10.00 none		Military campground; overnight stop
	10/15/17 to Home	79	10989	0			\$90.00 Full		Truck battery died; met up with camera club
	Trip Total	10989		186			\$3,369.33		End of trip
									Average \$18.12 / day

NOTES: Daily rate may not add up to Total Cost due to use of weekly rate, changed campsite, etc.  
Canadian campground fees shown as US dollars (USD)

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