

## Cottonwood Cove Dive Area

Cottonwood Cove Resort & Marina is located on the Colorado River and is part of the Lake Mead National Recreation Area administered by the National Park Service. There is a fee for entry into the park, \$10 for a 7 day entry or \$30 for a full year. There is a marina, convenience store, a café and public restrooms available just feet from the dive site.

### Directions from Las Vegas, Nevada

Take US-93 S/US-95 S, and take the exit toward Searchlight merging onto US-95 for 35 miles. Turn left at W. Cottonwood Cove Road (State Route 164) which becomes E. Cottonwood Cove Road and continue for 14 miles before you arrive at Cottonwood Cove Resort and Marina.

### Contact Information

Cottonwood Cove Marina  
1000 Cottonwood Cove Road  
Cottonwood Cove, NV 89046  
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The designated swim and dive area is roped off with buoy lines. The line running north and south (320° - 140°) goes from the shore on the south side and connects with a line running east and west on the north end. The line running east and west connects to the shore on the west side. The platform is just north of the 3<sup>rd</sup> large buoy from the left as looking from shore at the north/south line. The beach area is sand and extends into the water to a depth of about 10 feet. Beyond that, there is a ridge that drops sharply to 15 feet. During the summer, the grass will grow in the deeper end but there are some areas with no grass. Some nice sized largemouth bass were hanging out at the platform and you may see some carp as well.

Visibility is in the 10'-20' range.

Average Air & Water Temperatures			
Month	High	Low	Water
Jan	60°	38°	54°
Feb	68°	41°	54°
March	73°	48°	55°
April	82°	54°	57°
May	92°	65°	68°
June	102°	74°	72°
July	108°	81°	80°
Aug	106°	80°	84°
Sept	99°	71°	78°
Oct	85°	57°	70°
Nov	68°	44°	63°
Dec	58°	37°	58°

