

Region 4 Barrier ID: W204 (Barrier).

Barrier Name: SR-14 West Mojave.

Linear Infrastructure: SR-14.

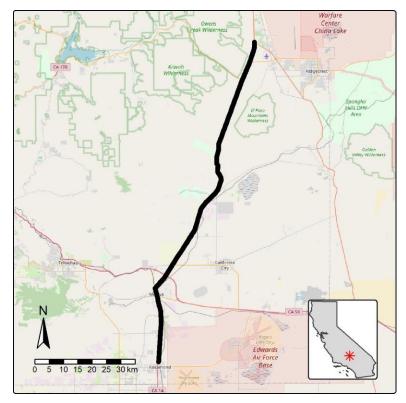
Geographic Area: Indian Wells to Rosamond.

Length: 100.36 km (62.37 mi).

**Target Species:** Desert tortoise (*Gopherus agassizii*), Mojave ground squirrel (*Xerospermophilus mohavensis*).

**Connectivity Concerns:** SR-14 bisects the western edge of the Mojave Desert, where there is habitat for desert tortoises and core populations of Mojave ground squirrels. SR-14 may contribute to cumulative effects on these species along with high-speed rail and solar developments in this area.

**Remediation Goals:** Install directional fencing and construct under-crossings to reduce desert tortoise roadkill. Expand and enhance existing infrastructure such as culverts.



**Figure:** SR-14 (West Mojave) between Bradys and Rosamond is a Region 4 wildlife connectivity barrier.