



*Safety and
Prosperity Through Science*

OPEN HOUSE —

at the U.S. Geological Survey Menlo Park Facilities

Take this opportunity to—

- Talk with scientists about their work
- See displays of USGS research
- Learn about—

Our Bay Area Home: The dynamic physical environment of the San Francisco Bay Region

Natural Hazards: Earthquakes, volcanoes, landslides, floods, and other hazards

Environment: Biological-resource monitoring, surface and ground water pollution, invasive species

Technology: How maps are made, new initiatives to provide geographic data for the Nation, real-time digital data on the Internet

May 31–June 1, 2003
10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

For maps to the USGS Menlo Park campus and details of access, parking, security, and other matters at the Open House, see the reverse of this flyer.

The U.S. Geological Survey's Menlo Park facilities are located at 345 Middlefield Road in Menlo Park, California.

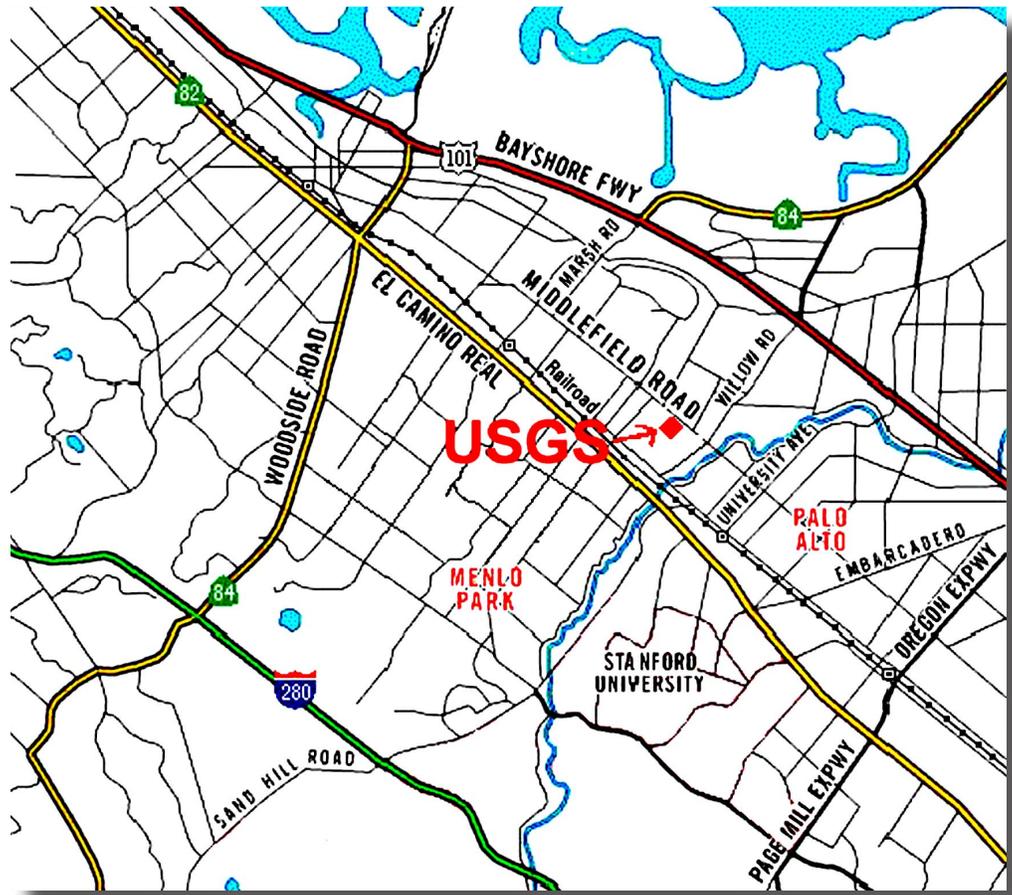
- There is no admission charge for the Open House. Although nearby parking lots are expected to be adequate, local residents are encouraged to walk or bicycle to the event. See the parking map for details.
- Safety is our national priority. The Federal Protective Service will be providing security. No private vehicles will be allowed on the USGS campus. Bags may be subject to inspection.
- Pets will not be allowed, other than certified Seeing-Eye or Assisted-Living animals.
- All exhibits will be wheelchair accessible. Handicap parking will be available (see parking map).
- Limited food service will be available each day. Alternatively, many restaurants are nearby in downtown Menlo Park and Palo Alto, both of which are less than a mile away.

For more information contact:

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Parking

Please note that parking may be a challenge for the Open House! The entrances to the campus will be open only for emergency vehicles and foot traffic. You may use nearby Linfield Road (one block south of Survey Lane on Middlefield Road) for passenger drop off and pick up. Handicap Parking will also be available via Linfield Road. Upon arrival to the vicinity, start looking for signs directing you to USGS parking. Traffic managers stationed on Linfield and elsewhere can direct you.



To get to the U.S. Geological Survey:

*From Bayshore Freeway (US 101), take the Willow Road exit WEST to Menlo Park,
Drive 1 mile to Middlefield Road,
Turn RIGHT (north),
Drive 2 blocks,
Turn LEFT on Linfield Lane.
Follow directions for USGS parking from this point.*

*From El Camino Real (US 82), Turn EAST on Ravenswood Road in Menlo Park,
Drive to the T-junction at Middlefield Road,
Turn RIGHT and proceed 3 blocks.
Turn RIGHT on Linfield Lane.
Follow directions for USGS parking from this point.*

For public transportation, see the Bay Area Transit Information website:

<http://www.transitinfo.org/>. Bus routes follow both Middlefield Road and El Camino, but check updated route information before travelling.