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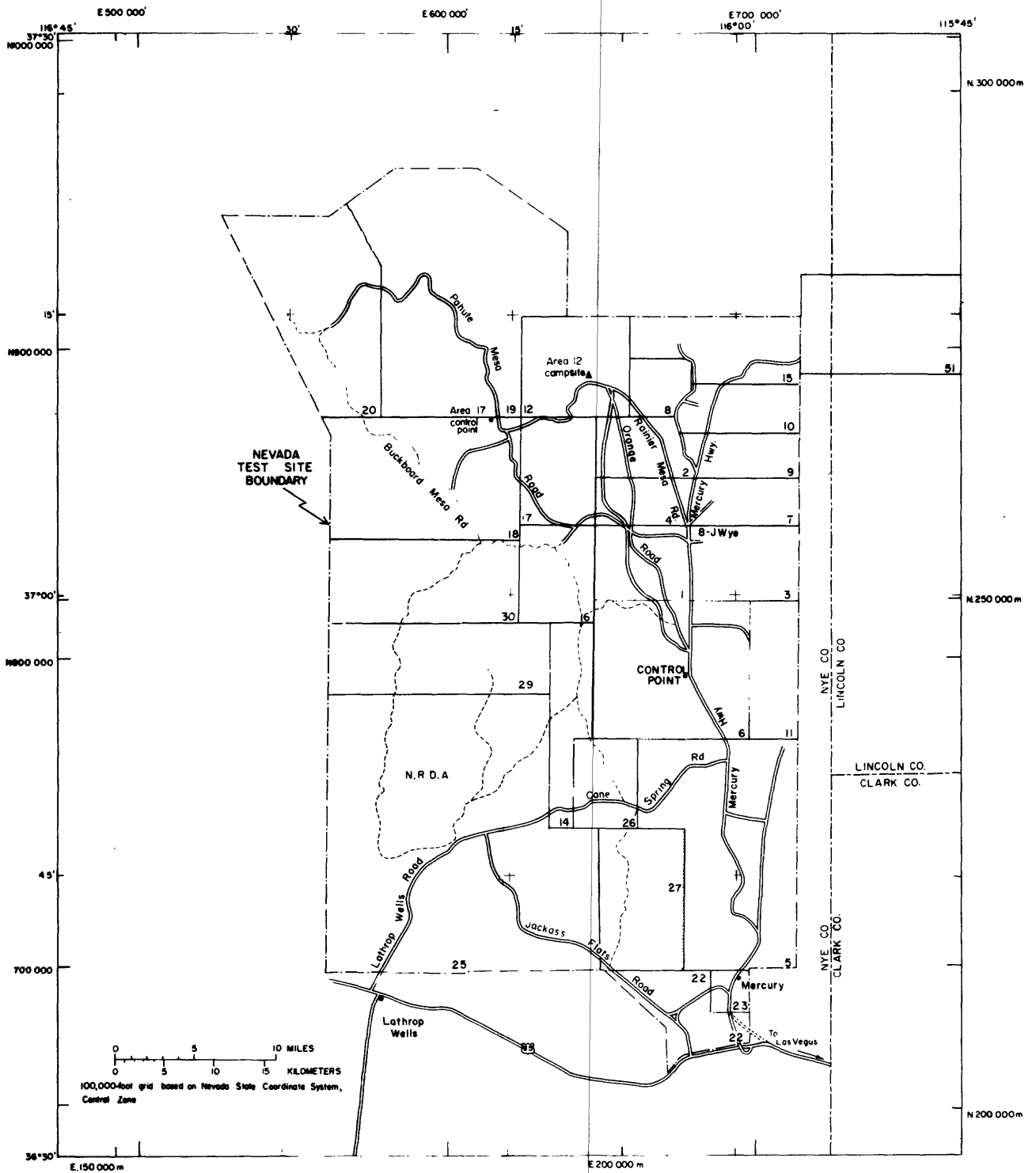


Figure 1.--Index map showing location of Nevada Test Site and outlines of numbered test areas on the test site.

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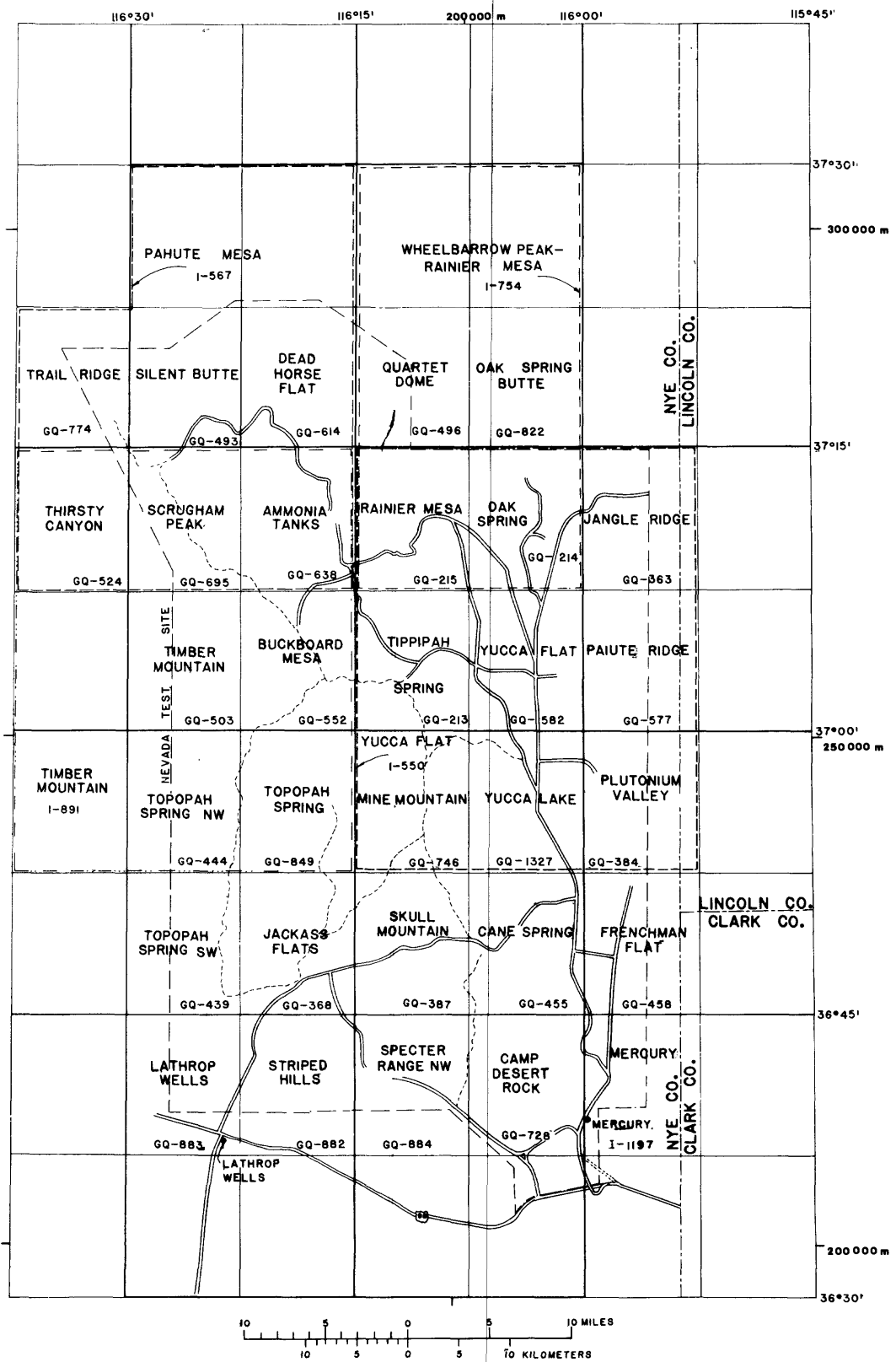


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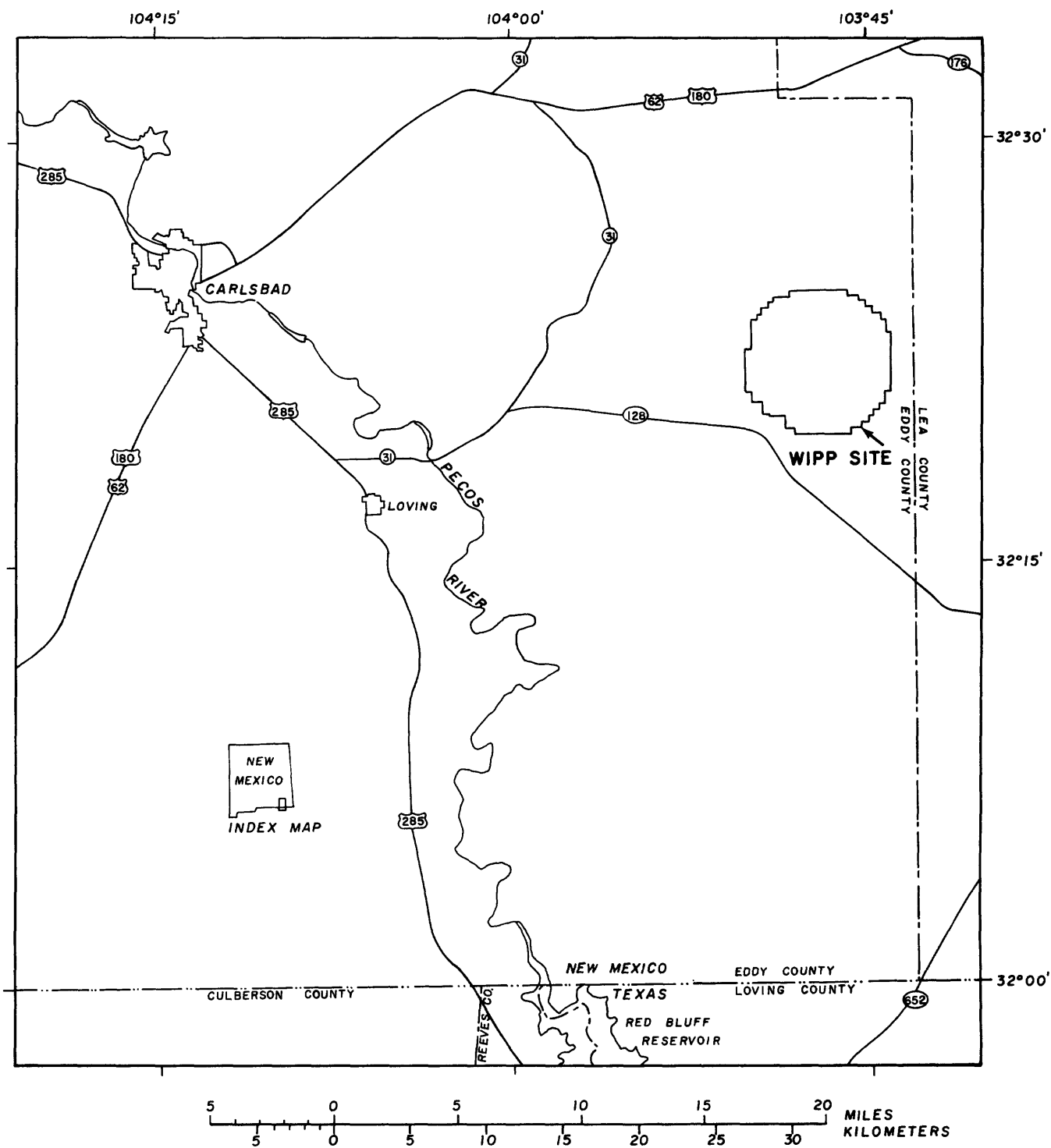


Figure 3.--Map showing location of the WIPP project site.

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