



Samuel R. McElvie National Forest

2025 Sharptail Grouse Viewing Blind



The viewing blind is first-come, first-served. Visitors should plan to enter the blind at least 45 minutes before sunrise and stay until the birds leave to avoid disrupting the lek. Please be courteous to fellow viewers, if present. Blind up April 1 to May 15 annually.

Directions

Sharptail Blind: From Highway 16F and Merritt Dam Road Junction, travel North 1.2 miles to FS road 602. Travel East ~0.2 miles and park. Blind is ~200 yards south of parking area.

