

# 2008 Southwest Region Winter Technical Conference

Saturday, December 6<sup>th</sup>  
Hosted by the Permian Basin Speleological Society  
at the Sibley Nature Center in Midland

The Conference will start Saturday morning:  
8:00-9:00 a.m. Registration and hospitality  
Business Meeting of the Southwest Region 9:00-10:00 a.m.  
Followed by talks and presentations

Lunch will be in the area, where cavers can find everything from fast food to health food to steaks, burgers and barbecue

Dinner—\$15.00—will be in our very own room at Gerardo's, fajitas with all the fixings and tea. Other beverages are available (every caver for him/herself on those)

For assistance with hospitality and information about motels in the area, email Sharon Long at [sharon\\_long2006@yahoo.com](mailto:sharon_long2006@yahoo.com)

Some homes are available but space is limited. Motels are catering to petroleum people these days, so book as soon as you can.

Sibley Center has offered to allow people to camp if camping in Midland in December appeals to you

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## DRIVING DIRECTIONS

### From the Carlsbad area:

East on US 62/180. In Seminole, go **South** on US 385 to Andrews

In Andrews:

Head **east** on Texas 115/Texas176 toward NE First Street. **Stay** on 176 for 21.8 miles.

Take the ramp to Texas 349 and turn **right** onto 349. (That change happens in less than 0.5 miles)

About 20 miles and you will get to Wadley Avenue. Turn **left** onto Wadley. Sibley Nature Center is at 1307 East Wadley Avenue. It will be on the left.

**From Southwest:** IH 20 goes through Odessa into Midland.

Google maps is pretty good on this one.

If you are staying at a home or at a motel, ask them for the best directions from where you are.

Sibley Nature Center **cannot** help you with directions or answer questions but if you're curious:  
<http://www.sibleynaturecenter.org/>