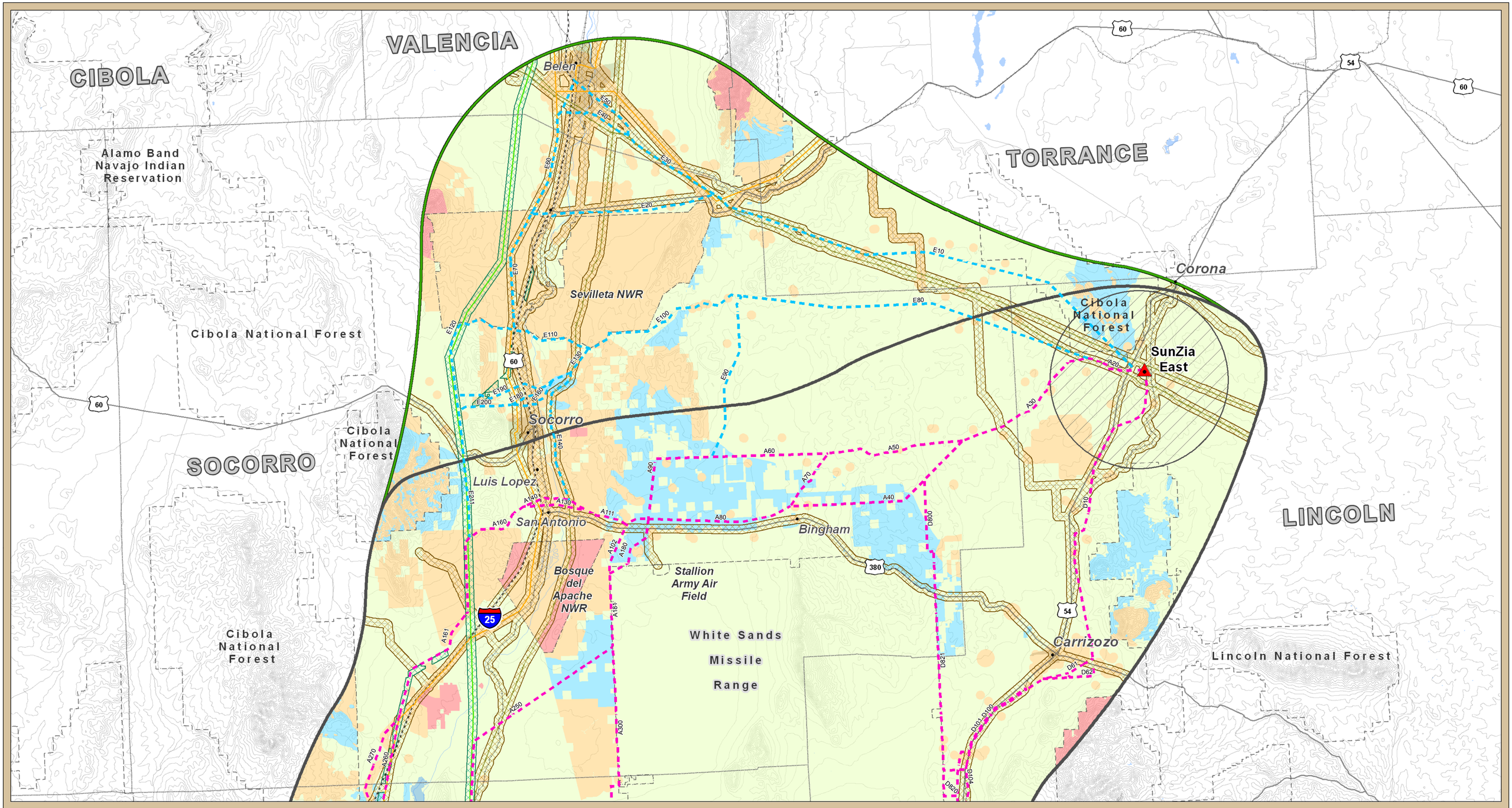

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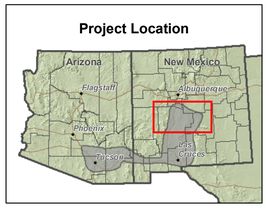
Visual and Recreation Opportunities and Constraints

Project Location



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Opportunity Areas

Opportunity Level

- High
- Moderate

Constraint Areas

Constraint Level

- Exclusion
- High
- Moderate
- Low

Note: Residential viewer constraints include 1/2-mile buffer surrounding residential land uses within a 3-mile radius of alternative corridor reference centerlines.

Base Features

Project Features

- Proposed and Alternative Routes
- Alternative Routes Subject to Feasibility Study
- Study Area - October 2009
- Study Area - April 2010
- Substation Siting Area

Utilities

- Proposed Substation
- 345kV Transmission Line
- 115kV Transmission Line
- Pipeline (Diameter 6"+)

Reference Features

- City
- River/Stream
- Lake/Reservoir
- Urban Area
- State Highway
- US Highway
- Interstate
- Railroad
- County Boundary
- Jurisdictional Boundary

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