

Huell Howser's Destination Details CALIFORNIA'S GOLD 4009

CORONA ROAD RACE

Once known as the 'Circle City', Corona citrus heritage goes back to the turn of the last century. Founded in 1896, this community had a grand design in mind when it laid out the circular route of Grand Boulevard. City founders hired Anaheim engineer H. C. Kellogg to design a circular Grand Boulevard three miles round.* This circular street is still probably one of the most unusual thoroughfares in the world, and from 1913 to 1916 it was even used as a racetrack. Follow Huell Howser's journey when he stepped back in time and recreated the Corona Road Races complete with vintage race cars and an attendee from the 1916 race.

Directions: Take 91 - Riverside Freeway to exit #50 - Main Street, Corona

California Citrus State Historic Park

The park is located in Riverside, one mile east of the 91 Freeway. Use Van Buren Blvd exit # 58. Telephone: Park Ranger Office 951-780-6222 www.parks.ca.gov/default.asp?page_id=649

* Source: Corona Public Library

Adventure Guide to CORONA ROAD RACE

