

The Friends of Tijeras Pueblo Monthly Lecture Series

# The Ownership and Management of Tijeras Pueblo: A History

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The course of archeological research can often be influenced by forces that seem to have little to do with the discipline's major research questions. For Tijeras Pueblo, its ownership and management have played a role in how it has been studied over the years, and what the future holds for our understanding of the place. The story of Tijeras is part of a larger one about how land ownership and management practices have influenced what we know about the history of Pueblo peoples in the Southwest.

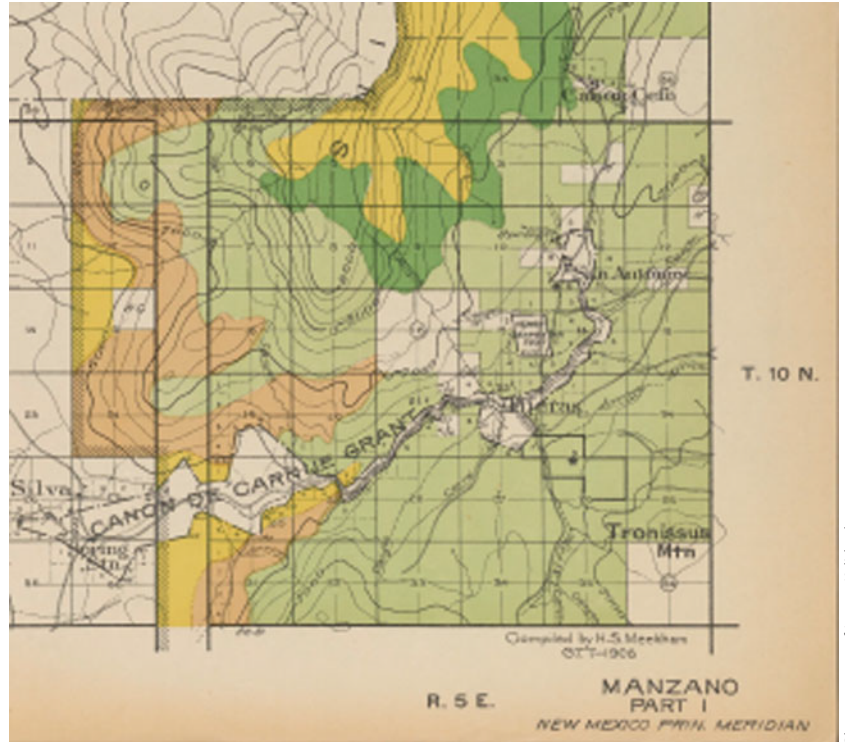


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Jeremy Kulisheck has been doing archaeology in the American Southwest *The Canyon de Carnue Land Grant*

for over 40 years. He got his start as a junior high and high school field school student at the Crow Canyon Archaeological Center and went on to receive a bachelor's degree in anthropology at the University of New Mexico and master's and doctoral degrees in anthropology from Southern Methodist University. Kulisheck has conducted research on agricultural settlement systems, demography, and European-Native American colonial encounters, and has authored and co-authored several articles on Southwestern archaeology and the history of archaeology. He taught anthropology and archaeology at Southern Methodist University, the University of Texas at Arlington, and the Santa Fe Community College, worked as a researcher and records manager for the New Mexico Historic Preservation Division, and served as a member and then chair of the City of Santa Fe's Archeological Review Committee. Since 2001, he has been an archeologist with the USDA Forest Service, and for many years worked on the Santa Fe National Forest as an assistant district and as the assistant forest archeologist. In 2012, he became the forest archeologist for the Cibola National Forest and National Grasslands in Albuquerque. He lives in Albuquerque, New Mexico, with his wife Eliza.

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