

## PATHFINDING MERIT BADGE

Imagine your town in 1910. The automobile didn't come into popular use until 1915, so how would you get around? Boys at that time mostly walked from place to place. Although a three-mile radius does not seem much by today's standards, in 1910 walking that far would probably have taken most of the day. Roadways and walkways were far different from what we have come to expect today. In doing this merit badge today, you may define scout headquarters as the location where our troop meets at Quinn Hall.

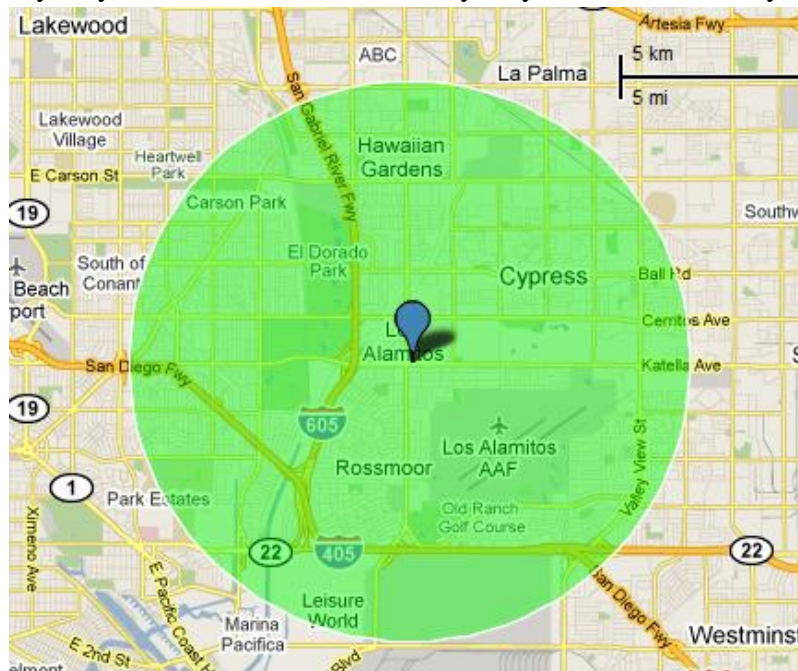
### REQUIREMENTS

1. Read the original Pathfinding Merit Badge Book  
[http://www.scouting.org/filestore/pdf/Pathfinding\\_MBP\\_Historical.pdf](http://www.scouting.org/filestore/pdf/Pathfinding_MBP_Historical.pdf)
2. Read the information document  
[http://www.scouting.org/filestore/pdf/historic\\_pathfinding\\_new.pdf](http://www.scouting.org/filestore/pdf/historic_pathfinding_new.pdf)
3. Complete the Pathfinding MB Workbook  
<http://www.scoutmasterbucky.com/documents/SMBWorkbooks/Scoutmaster%20Bucky%20-%20Pathfinding%20Merit%20Badge%20Workbook.pdf>
4. On your own, visit the Los Alamitos Museum  
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Los Alamitos, CA 90720  
(562) 431-8836  
SU 2-4 & TU 2-4

### RESOURCES

#### REQ. 1

3 Mile Radius, give directions to Quinn Hall from Long Beach by way of 605, from Lakewood by way of 605, from Garden Grove by way of 22, from Westminster by way of 405, and finally from Leisure World.



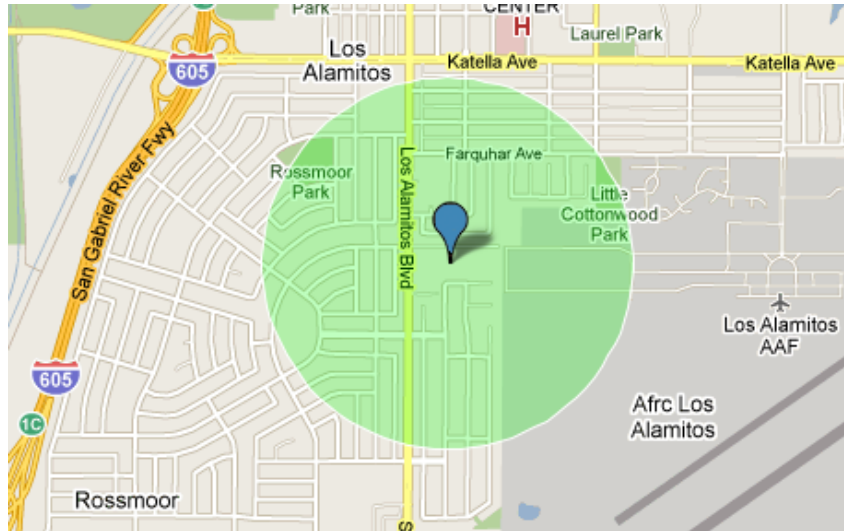
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Population Statistics

<http://www.census.gov/popest/cities/SUB-EST2008-4.html>

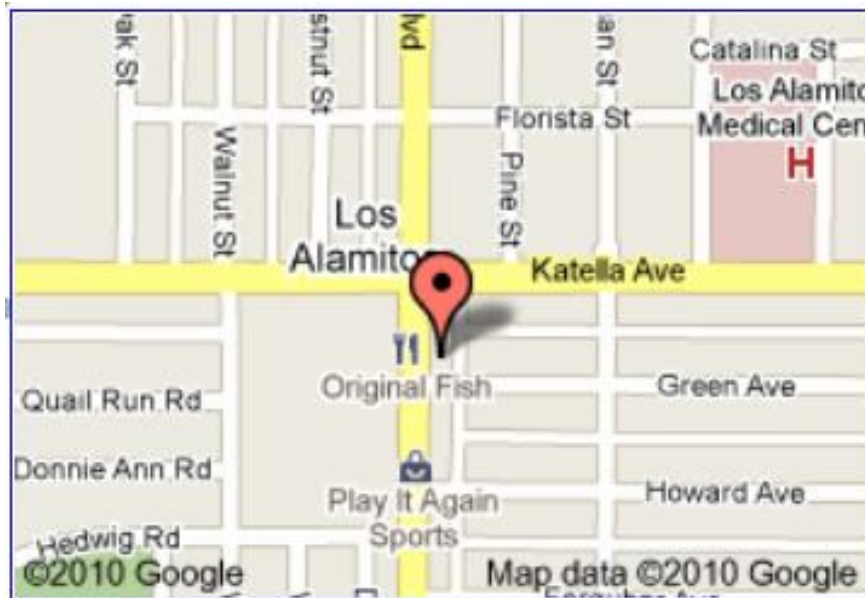
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½ Mile Radius



REQ.6

Los Alamitos Museum Map



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