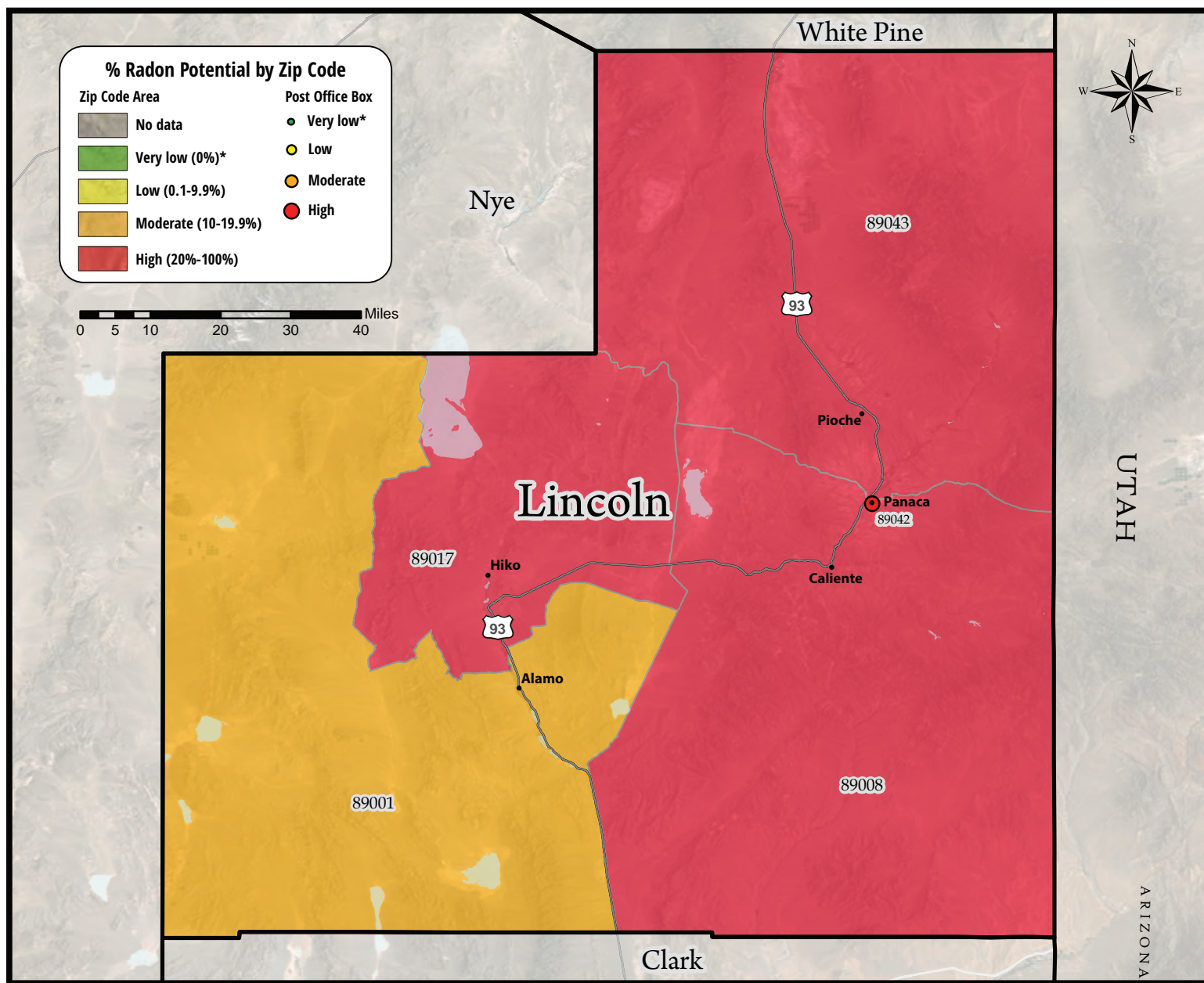


# Lincoln County

## Radon Potential by Zip Code



Radon is a colorless, odorless, and tasteless radioactive gas that occurs naturally in most rocks and soils. It is produced by the decay of uranium in soil, rock and water. Radon is harmlessly dispersed in outdoor air, but when trapped in buildings it can build up, increasing the risk of lung cancer.

The EPA Action Level: The U.S. EPA recommends that you take action to reduce radon levels that are 4.0 pCi/l or higher.

The EPA and the U.S. Surgeon General recommends all homes be tested for radon.

### FOR MORE INFORMATION

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888-RADON10

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Lincoln County Zip Codes	89001 Alamo	89008 Caliente	89017 Hiko	P.O. Box 89042 Panaca	89043 Pioche	County Totals	
Total Number of Tests							
Valid Tests	6	22	4	25	22	79	
Less than 4 pCi/l	5	16	3	12	17	53	
4 pCi/l and greater	1	6	1	13	5	26	
% Radon Potential	16.7%*	27.3%	25.0%*	52.0%	22.7%	32.9%	
Range of Radon Levels in pCi/l							% of Total Tests
≥ 0 < 4	5	16	3	12	17	53	67%
≥ 4 < 10	1	2	1	8	5	17	22%
≥ 10 < 20	-	3	-	2	-	5	6%
≥ 20 < 50	-	1	-	2	-	3	4%
≥ 50 < 100	-	-	-	-	-	-	0%
≥ 100	-	-	-	1	-	1	1%
Radon Levels by pCi/l							
Average	1.75	5.00	3.43	10.73	2.81	5.88	
Highest	5.3	32.4	5.9	121.0	8.0		

\*Small sample size: more testing is needed to reference reliable radon potential for this area.

\*\*Note: Results are based on independently tested home data from program-provided kits, radon professionals and radon labs, from 1989 to June 30, 2018. When known, post-mitigation results are not included and usable results are valid tests, one per home, using the highest radon level on the lowest tested level of the home.