PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE	2. LOCATION	12. CONCLUSIONS
23 Jul 61	Albuquerque, New Mexico	☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 1840 GMT 240140Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☒ Possibly Aircraft
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	6. SOURCE Civilian	☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 6 min	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1	9. COURSE W
		☐ Other ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Round, White objt, far away, in sight 6 min, moving directly E-W. Balloons lauched in area 2 hrs prior, however winds moving to SW at low speeds.

11. COMMENTS Weather balloons are known to remain aloft and remian in same general ~~xxx~~ area of launch, or returning to area of lauch. However, they are generally at an altitude that would make it difficult to see with naked eye. Witnesses are located under a highly traveled airway and objt was more probably a high flying a/c.

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DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

1. ROUND
2. PENNY
3. WHITE
4. ONE
5. NONE
6. APPEARED TO BE ENORMOUSLY FAR AWAY
7. NONE

8. NONE
9. MOVED SLOWLY AND SMOOTHLY AT A STEADY RATE. SUN REFLECTED FROM IT.

DESCRIPTION OF COURSE

1. VISUAL SIGHTING
2. SØ DEGREES
3. SØ DEGREES

8. NONE

9. MOVED SLOWLY AND SMOOTHLY AT A STEADY RATE. SUN REFLECTED FROM IT.

DESCRIPTION OF COURSE

1. VISUAL SIGHTING

2. 60 DEGREES

3. 60 DEGREES

4. MOVING DIRECTLY FROM EAST TO WEST

5. BEHIND TREES

6. APPROX 6 MINUTES

MANNER OF OBSERVATION

1. GROUND VISUAL

2. NONE

3. N/A

TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING

1. 0140Z 24 JULY 1961

2. DAY

LOCATION OF OBSERVER

1. RESIDENCE 2[redacted]SW ALBUQUERQUE NEW MEXICO

IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON OBSERVER

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1. CIVILIAN MRC [redacted], ELDERLY [redacted] STREET SW HOUSEWIFE AND RETIRED GOVERNMENT WORKER. DAUGHTER SIGHTED SAME OBJECT.

2. N/A

WEATHER AND WINDS

1. CLEAR

2. CALM-LIGHT AND VARIED 210 DEGREES 13 KNOTS 360 DEGREES 5 KNOTS 330 DEGREES 10 KNOTS 292 DEGREES 5 KNOTS 330 D433 15 KNOTS NOT AVAILABLE

3. CLEAR

4. 60

2. N/A

WEATHER AND WINDS

1. CLEAR

2. CALM-LIGHT AND VARIED 210 DEGREES 10 KNOTS 360 DEGREES 5 KNOTS 330 DEGREES 10 KNOTS 290 DEGREES 5 KNOTS 330 D433 15 KNOTS NOT AVAILABLE

3. CLEAR

4. 60

5. NONE REPORTED

6. NONE REPORTED

7. 89 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT

UNUSUAL ACTIVITY OR CONDITION WHICH MIGHT ACCOUNT FOR THE SIGHTING

1. NONE REPORTED

INTERCEPTION OR IDENTIFICATION ACTION TAKEN

1. NONE

LOCATION APPROXIMATE ALTITUDE AND GENERAL DIRECTION OF FLIGHT OF

ANY AIR TRAFFIC OR BALLON RELEASES IN AREA WHICH COULD POSSIBLY ACCOUNT FOR THE SIGHTING

1. BALLOON RELEASED FROM KIRTLAND AFB 2330Z 23 JULY 1961

POSITION TITLE AND COMMENTS OF PREPARING OFFICER INCLUDING PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF POSSIBLE CAUSE OF SIGHTING

1. BAS FLYING SAFETY OFFICER. PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF THE SIGHTING IMPOSSIBLE DUE TO THE LATE SUBMISSION OF THIS REPORT.

PHYSICAL EVIDENCE SUCH AS PHOTOGRAPHS AND MATERIALS

1. NONE

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