DANGER!
BEWARE OF FLARES!
If you find a FLARE
DO NOT HANDLE!
DO NOT TOUCH!
THESE ITEMS ARE TO BE
HANDED ONLY BY MILITARY
EXPLOSIVE SPECIALISTS!

IF YOU FIND A FLARE, PLEASE CALL 911
or
Tohono O'odham Nation Police Department at
520-383-3275
or
Tohono O'odham Nation
Environmental Protection Office at
520-383-8681 or 520-383-8113

What is a flare? A (decoy) flare is an aerial infrared
countermeasure to counter an infrared homing ("heat seeking")
surface-to-air missile (SAM) or air-to-air missile (AAM). Flares are
commonly composed of a pyrotechnic composition based on
magnesium or another hot-burning metal, with burning temperature
equal to or hotter than engine exhaust. The aim is to make the
infrared-guided missile seek out the heat signature from the flare
rather than the aircraft's engines.

M206 Flare

LUU 2 Illumination Flare
These are aircraft-launched,
parachute-retarded illuminating flares
initiated by parachute deployment.
They are used for night search and
attack missions.
Types of Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) and debris found on the
Tohono O'dham Nation
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Flares

- M-206 counter-measure flare
- MJU-7 counter-measure flare (With parachute)
- LUU 2B/B Illumination flare

Bombs
(And bomb debris)

- MK 83 Practice bomb (inert)
- BDU-33 practice bomb
- WW-II 500-lb practice bomb

- 20-mm projectile, tracer
- Military aircraft wreckage
- MK 82 tail fin assembly

Three things to do if you find UXO

1. RECOGNIZE
2. RETREAT
3. REPORT

If you find unexploded ordnance (UXO) Call 911
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Department of Public Safety
Environmental Protection Office
Solid Waste Regulatory Office
P.O. Box 837
Sells, AZ 85634
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