



GETTING TO TULI SAFARI LODGE

Self-drive

Please contact the lodge prior to travel in order to check on the status of local rivers. Tuli Safari Lodge is around 5 hour 30 minute drive from Johannesburg and around 6 hours' drive from Gaborone. When the Limpopo River is not crossable at Pont Drift, guests may leave their vehicles at the border post on the South African side and cross to Botswana using a passenger cable car. Your Tuli Safari Lodge guide will meet you on the South African side and assist you. (GPS coordinates: S 22 12 842 E 29 05 687)

GUESTS DRIVING TO TULI FROM SA: please ensure you have a copy of your vehicle registration papers with you to present to the border officials on the South African side of the border crossing. If you have hired a vehicle, please ask the rental company to provide you with a copy of the vehicle's papers as well as a letter confirming the car hire. This is especially important for those leaving their vehicle on the SA side of the border at Pont Drift where the officials are very strict and will not permit guests to cross the border or leave their vehicle on the SA side if they do not have these papers on hand.

Road transfers

We can help you to arrange road transfers from Johannesburg, Polokwane, Gaborone or other locations. Please [contact us](#) for more information.

Arriving by air

There are several options for getting to Tuli by air.

The Limpopo Valley Air Taxi from O.R. Tambo Airport, Johannesburg, into Limpopo Valley Airfield (located within the reserve) is available daily with a minimum of 2 passengers for flights on Thursdays or Sundays; minimum of 4 passengers on any other day of the week. The flights depart Johannesburg around 11.00am and return by 14.30pm. Contact us for rates and more details about our Fly-in Special.

SA Airlink also operates several flights a day from OR Tambo Airport, Johannesburg, to Polokwane from where one could hire a vehicle or get a road transfer.

Alternatively, we can help you to arrange a charter flight to Limpopo Valley Airfield (GPS coordinates: S22 11 21 E 290737). Please [contact us](#) for more details on these options.

Border facilities

The closest border facilities for those arriving by road from South Africa are at Pont Drift, opening hours 08:00-16:00. Border facilities are also provided at the Limpopo Valley Airfield for those arriving by air. There is a third-party permit required for all foreign registered vehicles payable at the border post.

Please see this [page](#) for information about visa requirements.

Please note that on some maps the Northern Tuli Game Reserve is listed as Mashatu or Mashatu Game Reserve.