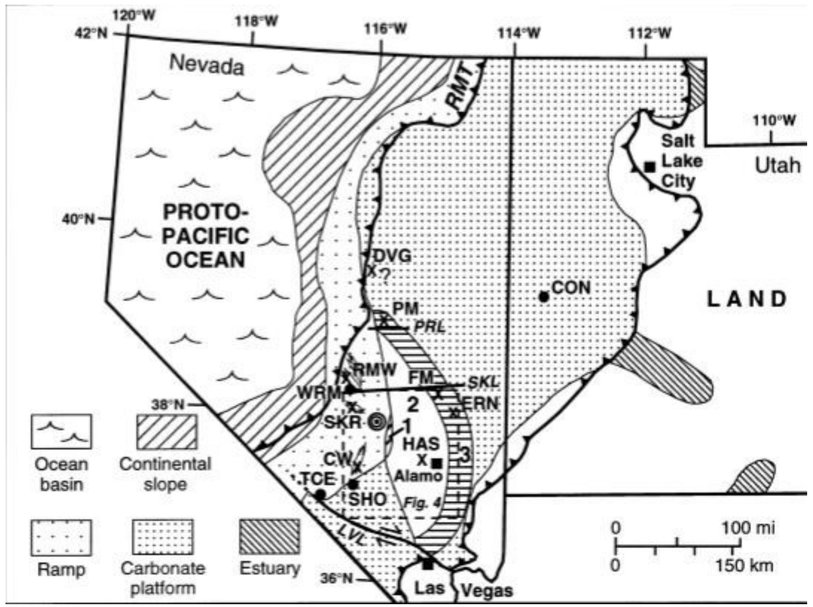
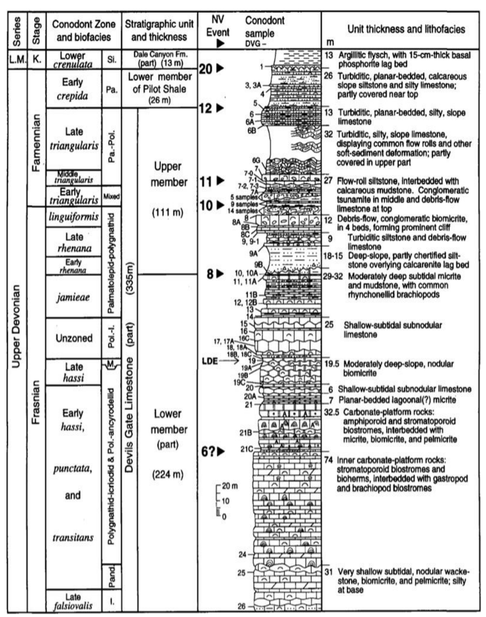
Ejecta Depofacies Boundaries Grossly Suggest an Ellipse — *Butterfly?*

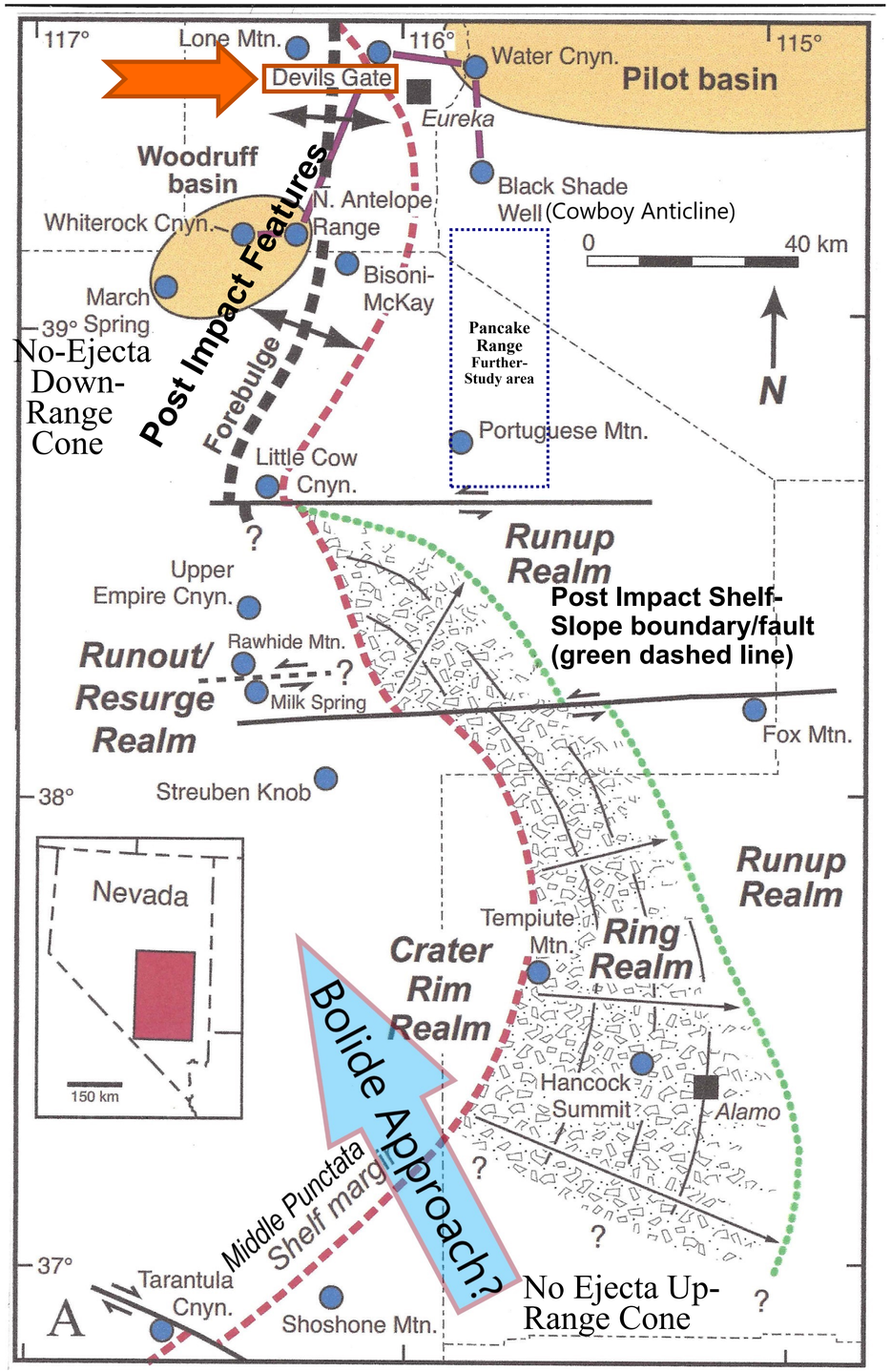


Alamo Location and Depofacies. Devils Gate radial distance should preclude Unit B ejecta preservation. Only Unit A graded tsunamiites are present in the Confusion Range (CON), for example, at about the same distance from the centroid. (Sandberg et al, 2002)

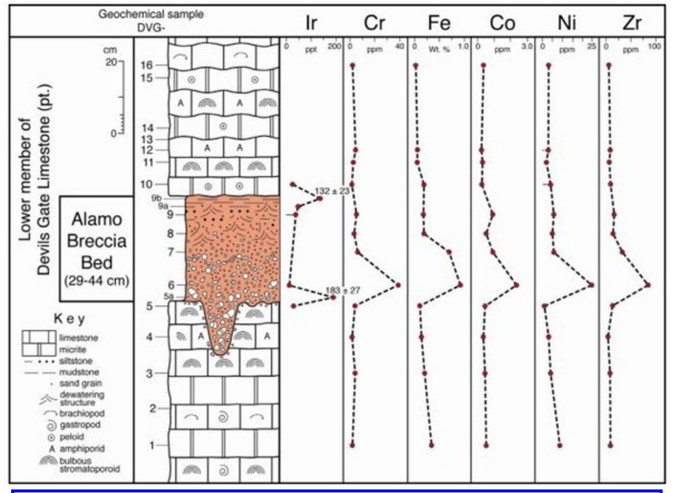


Sandberg et al.'s 1997 DG measured section showing the Alamo Unit A bed at "**6?**". Casier et al. 2005 first noted Unit B there.

Note: Devils Gate base is covered lacking the "Yellow Slope Forming member" shared with the Guilmette. & contains a deeper water unit (Woodruff FM shale) for the Frasnian-Famennian Kellwasser event, ("8") *Whoops!*



Modified Morrow and Sandberg, 2008, Fig. 6 Pre & Post Impact Features. Added: comets' approach along ellipse axis & additional annotations. A butterfly ejecta distribution may better explain missing ejecta along the ellipse axis outside the crater rim deposits.



Sparse physical evidence of bolide
Low level Iridium & sideritic metal anomalies (Unit B not sampled)
Shocked quartz studded w/hematite after pyrite (?source of Iridium)
Unit B 'scoured' lower contact – assumed channel but appears wedge-shaped.
Restricted environment changed to open, deeper waters during later shelf collapse
Morrow and Sandberg, 2006 Fig. 4

Follow-up work to the Alamo Experts: Warme, Pinto, Chamberlain, Sandberg, Morrow, Tapanila, Retzler et al:

1. Map Devils Gate/northern Mahogany Hills
2. Detailed Mag Susceptibility to find where this section fits in.
3. Find more Alamo—in the Pancakes

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