

JULICE MOUND

GPS Coordinates: *Latitude: 32.68875 Longitude: -91.217333*

Driving Directions:

- *From US 65, head west on La 581. Go 2.2 miles (past intersection with La 881) to marker on right.*
- *From La 134, head east on La 881. Go 5.7 miles to La 581; turn left. Go 0.3 mile to marker on right.*

Number of Mounds: *1*

Number of Visible Mounds: *1*

Summer Viewing: *Poor*

Winter Viewing: *Good*



Julice is a platform mound not far from a channel that feeds into the Mississippi River. A 1954 survey described it as 8 feet tall with a small platform on the summit, and noted that it had been impacted by Hwy. 581. Current measurements show the mound is about 9 feet tall and 130 by 65 feet at its base. It appears that about a third of the mound remains. East of the marker is a historic cemetery, and the headstone of Julice Johnson is on the southwest corner of the mound. More historic graves are clustered about 120 feet east of the mound. A few ceramics found at the mound date occupation to AD 1200–1541 (Mississippi period). Because the mound is less than a mile from Transylvania Mounds, it's possible that Julice is part of that complex. □