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Thousands overwhelm Ala. town in effort to see UFO

FYFFE, Ala. — The prospect of seeing a UFO lured more than 4,000 people to the town of Fyffe, greatly outnumbering the town's residents.

"This is unreal," Police Chief Junior Garmany said Friday night while he watched bumper-to-bumper traffic in the town of 1,300 people in northeastern Alabama. "We've never had traffic like this."

But for all the hoopla, no unidentified flying objects were sighted Friday. Visibility was obscured by clouds and light rain.

Fyffe got on the UFO circuit Feb. 10 when a woman reported seeing a strange light in the sky and police later reported seeing a large lighted object passing silently over them. Numerous other sightings have been reported since then.