

Upper Wisconsin River Legacy Forest

Forest Legacy Program, Division of Forestry, Wisconsin Dept. of Natural Resources

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A partnership with a private landowner managed by Partners in Forestry Cooperative

General description:

Upper Wisconsin River Legacy Forest protects 1,042 acres of forestland under a conservation easement held by the State of Wisconsin and administered by the Division of Forestry. The Forest protects forestland and riparian habitat for long-term sustainable forestry, public access and a clean Wisconsin River watershed.

Public access:

- **Non-motorized recreation:** The property is open to the public for hunting, fishing, trapping, hiking, cross-country skiing, canoeing and kayaking.
- **Hunting and trapping:** Hunting and trapping are allowed on the property during the appropriate seasons and with the correct licenses. *Hunters, caution! There are abundant state protected Spruce Grouse on this property. Know your target. Do not target a Spruce Grouse!*
- **Motorized Access:** Public access is available by licensed motor vehicle to a parking area approximately one mile north of County Highway E.
- **Snowmobile & ATV use:** Use of snowmobiles is allowed on the property's designated snowmobile trail only. **ATV use is prohibited.**
- **TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF ACCESS:** Under the terms of the easement, the landowner will continue to manage the land for the sustainable production of forest products. **Please be aware that active management may occur while you are on the property.** Logging is the most common management activity occurring throughout the property, involving large logging equipment and large log truck traffic. The landowner may close portions of the property to public access while management activities take place.
- **Monitoring:** The Department monitors this property as needed to ensure compliance with the easement and state program requirements.
- **AVOID TRESPASSING:** Other non-Forest Legacy private properties adjoin this conservation area. Avoid trespassing and be respectful of adjacent landowners. It is your responsibility to know where you are at all times while using the property.

**PLEASE, Help prevent fires; No burning, no campfires are allowed.
PLEASE, Respect this land by NOT dumping.**

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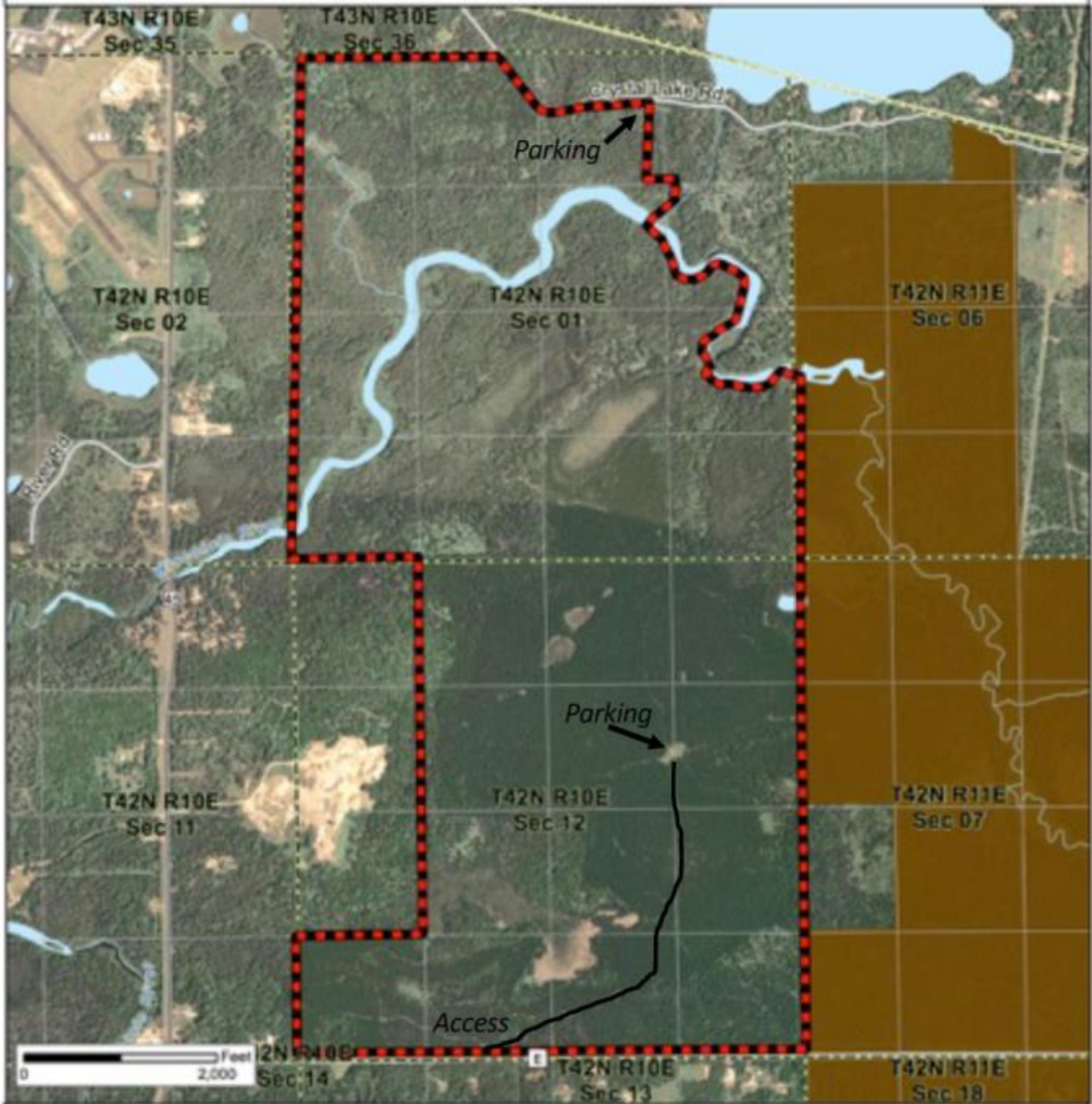
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Wisconsin's Forest Legacy Program identifies and protects, through the use of conservation easements, environmentally important private forestlands threatened with conversion. Properties in the program stay under private ownership and management. Wisconsin's aim is to protect large blocks of forestland that are managed for the sustainable use of forest resources and that offer public recreation opportunities in order to preserve the integrity of the state's forests. For more information, go to dnr.wi.gov and search "Forest Legacy."

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