



HO-CHUNK NATION HUNTING PACKET

Last Revision: July 25, 2024

Section 1. Requirements

In order to hunt on Ho-Chunk Nation lands, the hunter must abide by the following regulations set forth by the Ho-Chunk Nation:

- A. Must be an **enrolled** member of the Ho-Chunk Nation and be able to provide, upon request, tribal identification or proof of enrollment, except that:
 - a. Non-Ho-Chunk enrolled biological, foster, or adopted children may hunt on Ho-Chunk lands if accompanied by their Ho-Chunk enrolled legal custodian.
 - b. Non-Ho-Chunk enrolled members may hunt on Ho-Chunk Lands if accompanied by their Ho-Chunk enrolled legal spouse.
 - c. Non-Ho-Chunk enrolled legal guardians may only accompany, not hunt on Ho-Chunk Lands with their Ho-Chunk enrolled children.
- B. Must possess a valid State of Wisconsin or Federal license as required by law that is pertinent to the species of game that is being hunted or trapped.
- C. Must abide by the hunting rules and regulations as defined by the State of Wisconsin.
- D. Hunting is only allowed within designated/posted tribal lands as defined in this packet.
- E. It is illegal to shoot a firearm within 100 yards of a building devoted to human occupancy.
- F. Hunt at your own risk. The Nation shall not be held responsible or liable for any individual injured on tribal property or for any damages resulting from persons hunting on tribal lands.

Section 2. Definitions

- A. “Tribal Lands” – property owned by the Ho-Chunk Nation, including fee simple and trust property.
- B. “Ho-Chunk Nation Trust”, “Trust Land” and/or “Indian Land” – property held in trust for the Ho-Chunk Nation, by the United States Government.
- C. “Fee Simple” – private property that is owned by the Ho-Chunk Nation that is taxed by the local government.
- D. “Tribal Member” – a person officially enrolled as a member of the Ho-Chunk Nation.
- E. “Non-Tribal Member” – any person other than a Ho-Chunk Nation enrolled member.

Section 3. Penalties

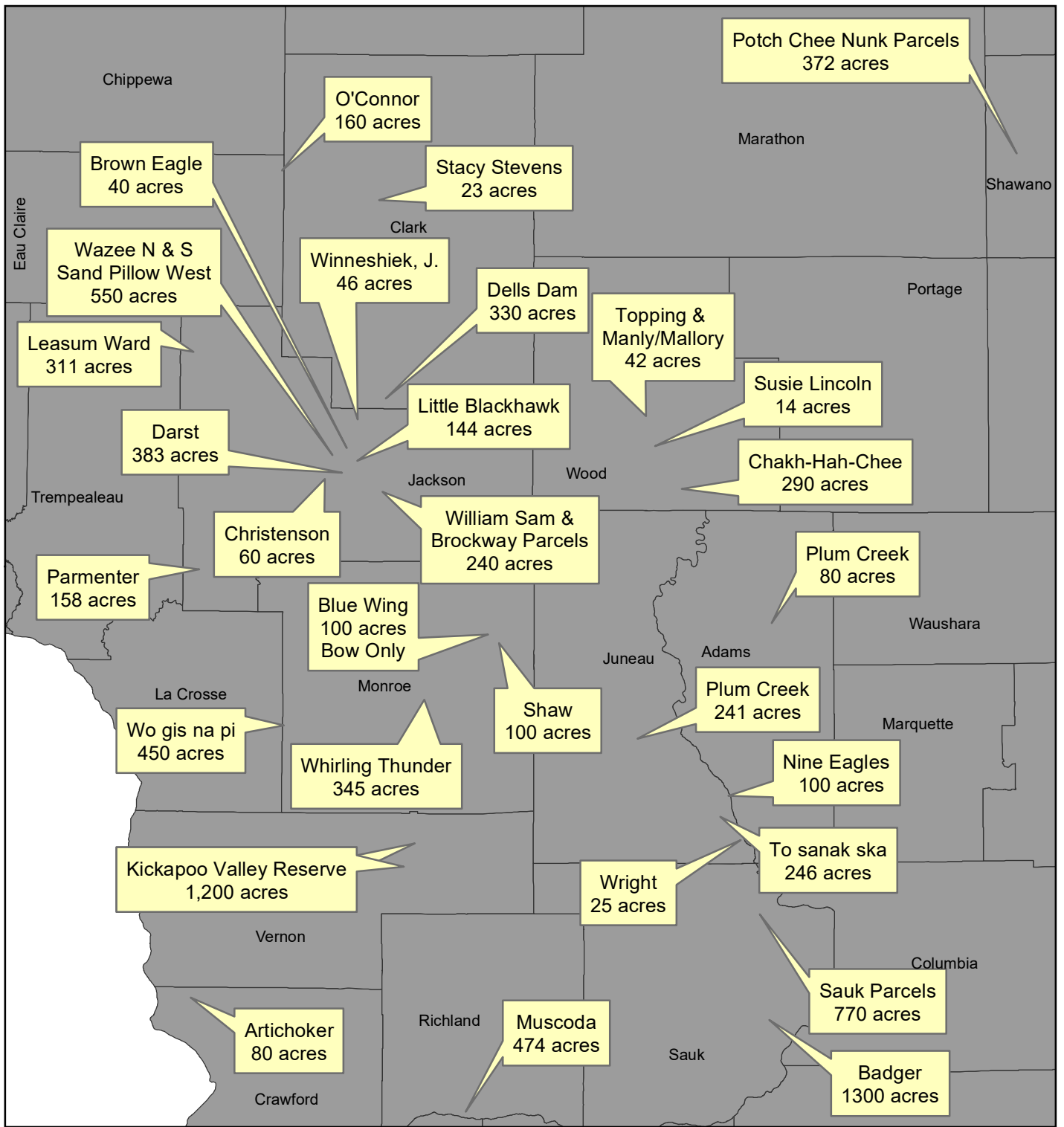
Hunting on tribal lands is permitted **ONLY** by enrolled members of the Ho-Chunk Nation, except certain family members as described in Section 1.A of these regulations, in the areas designated in this hunting packet. Do not drive on roads or trails that have standing water or visible ruts. All gates are to remain closed unless opening is authorized by HCN DNR staff. It is the responsibility of the hunter to leave the property in the same condition

as they found it in. **Any unauthorized or non-tribal member found hunting on tribally owned property, or anyone who causes damage to tribally owned property will be subject to penalties in tribal and state court and/or fined.**

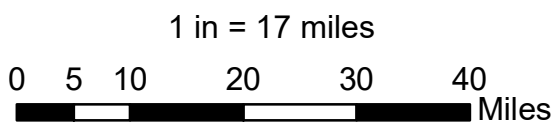
If you have any questions or concerns please contact the Ho-Chunk Nation Department of Natural Resources at (715) 284-2852. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Ho-Chunk Nation Hunting Website

*Mobile and Desktop Friendly **



Ho-Chunk Nation Hunting Lands

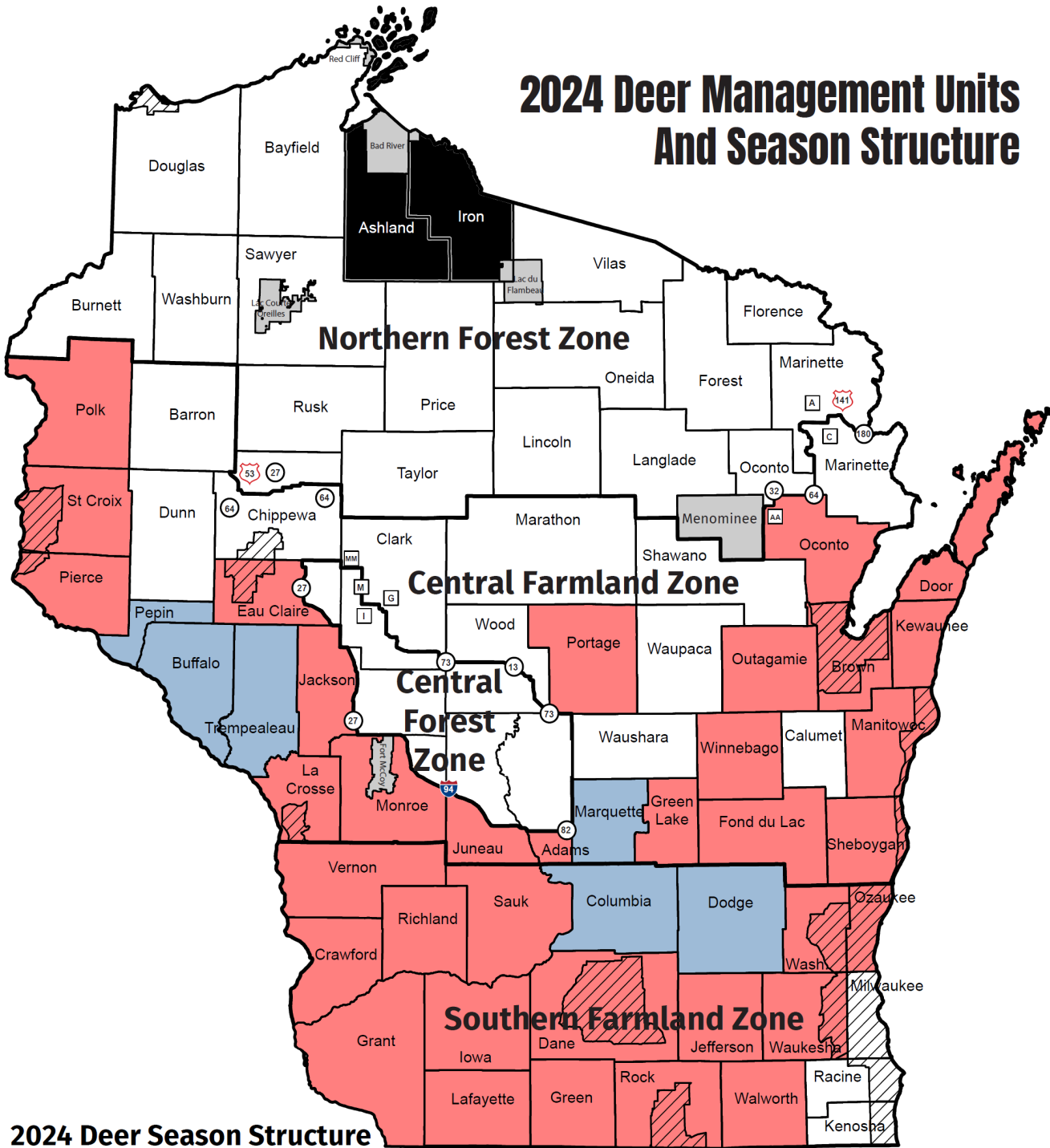


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2024 Deer Management Units And Season Structure



2024 Deer Season Structure

Statewide: Bucks plus antlerless by harvest authorization*

- *Buck only county: No antlerless harvest authorizations available for purchase
Junior antlerless harvest authorizations remain valid
- Holiday Hunt: Antlerless only. Dec. 24 - Jan. 1**
- Holiday Hunt: Antlerless only. Dec. 24 - Jan. 1** and Extended Archery Season: Jan. 8 - 31, 2025
- Metro Sub-unit: See regulations for detailed boundaries
- Non-quota area: No harvest authorizations issued by the DNR

**Note: Counties participating in the Holiday Hunt do not have an open buck season during those dates regardless of weapon type.



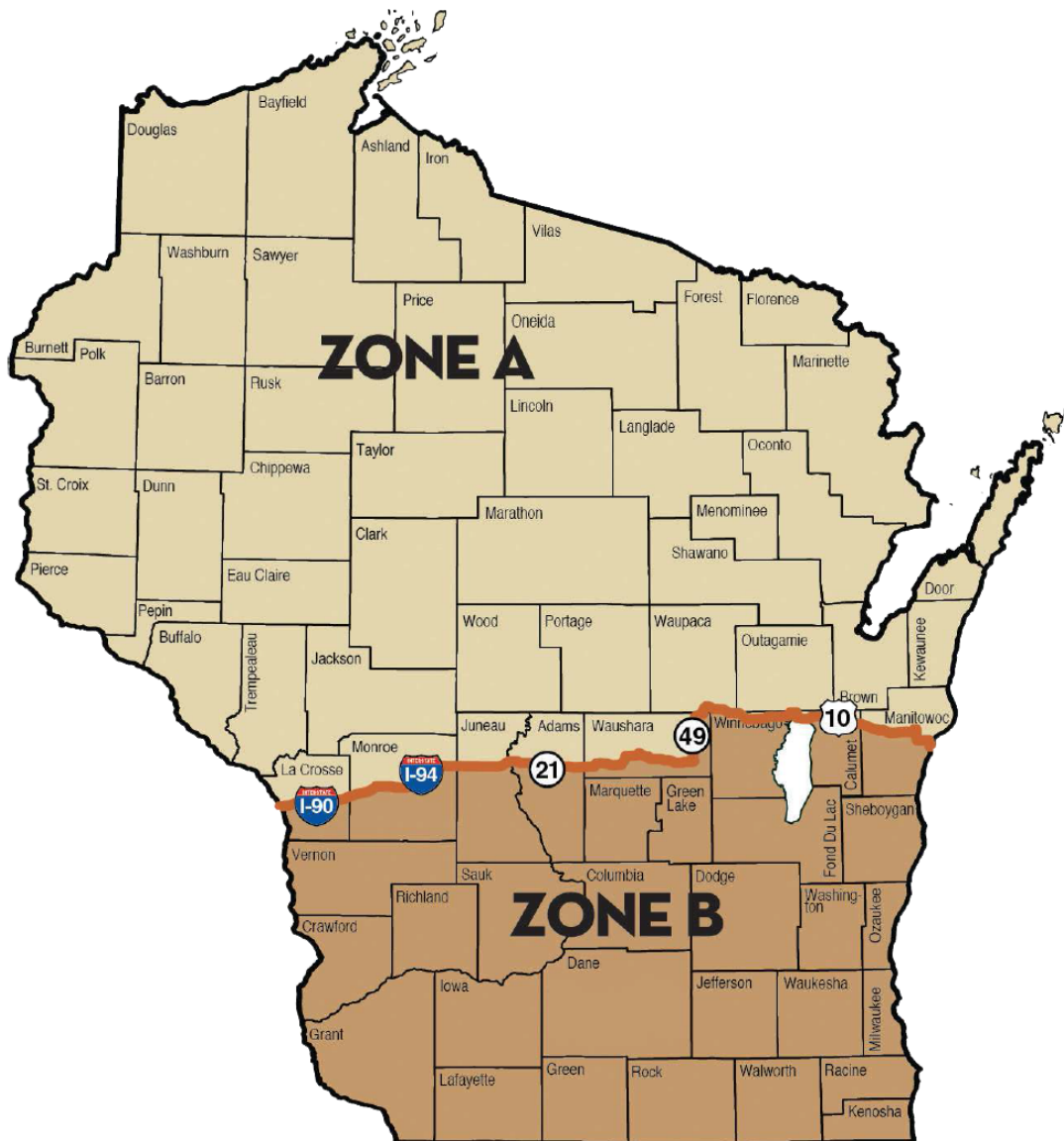
Wisconsin Ruffed Grouse Hunting Zones 2024 Season Dates:

Zone A: Sept. 14, 2024 - Jan. 5, 2025 (daily bag limit - 5)

Zone B: Oct. 19, 2024 - Dec. 8, 2024 (daily bag limit - 2)

See the [WI Small Game Hunting Regulations](#) for more information

RUFFED GROUSE MANAGEMENT ZONES





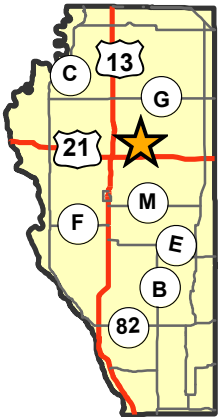
Cottonville Ave



8th Drive

Park near gates and walk in.

Public Hunting
Forest Crop Law
40 acres



Plum Creek - 80 acres

About 2 miles east of Cottonville

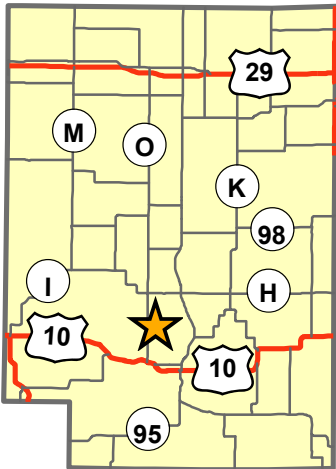
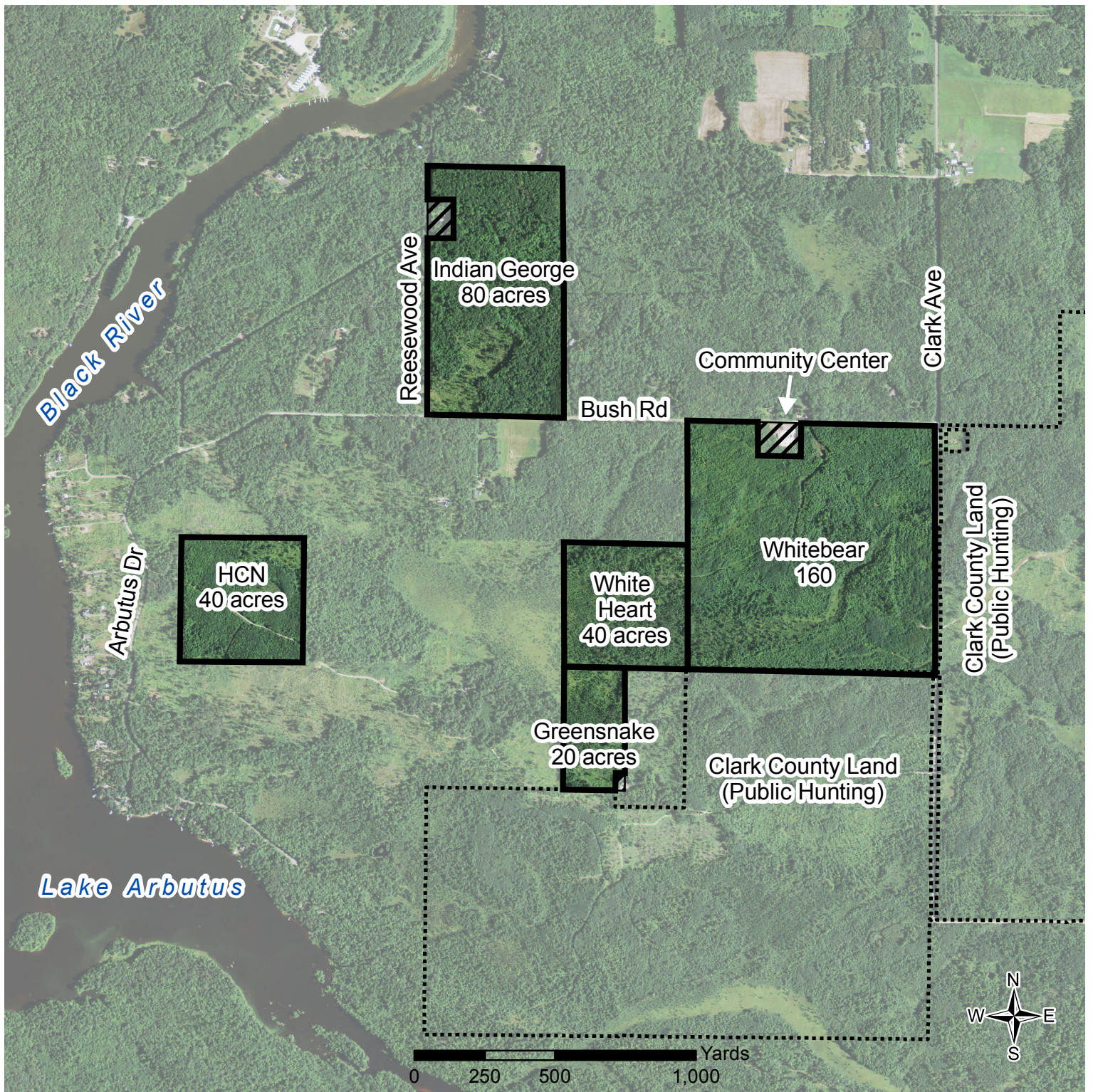
Adams County

Town of Preston

Section 11, T18N, R6E

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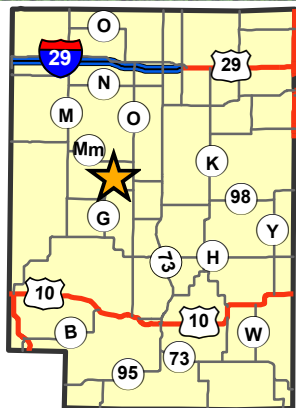
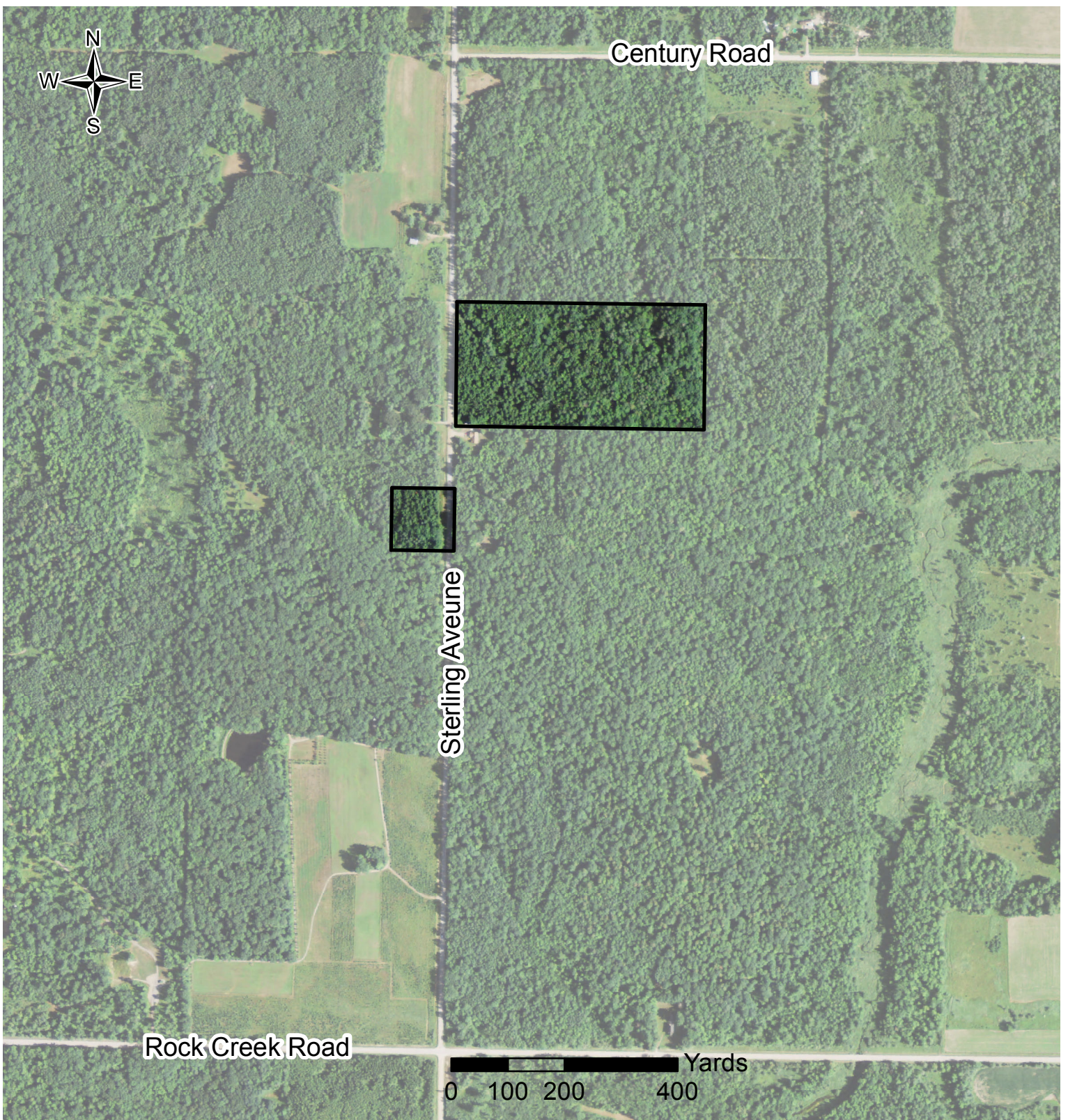


Dells Dam ~ 330 acres

Clark County
Towns of Levis and Dewhurst
Sections 25, 30 & 31
T23N R2-3W

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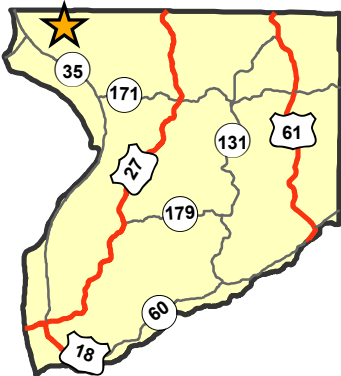
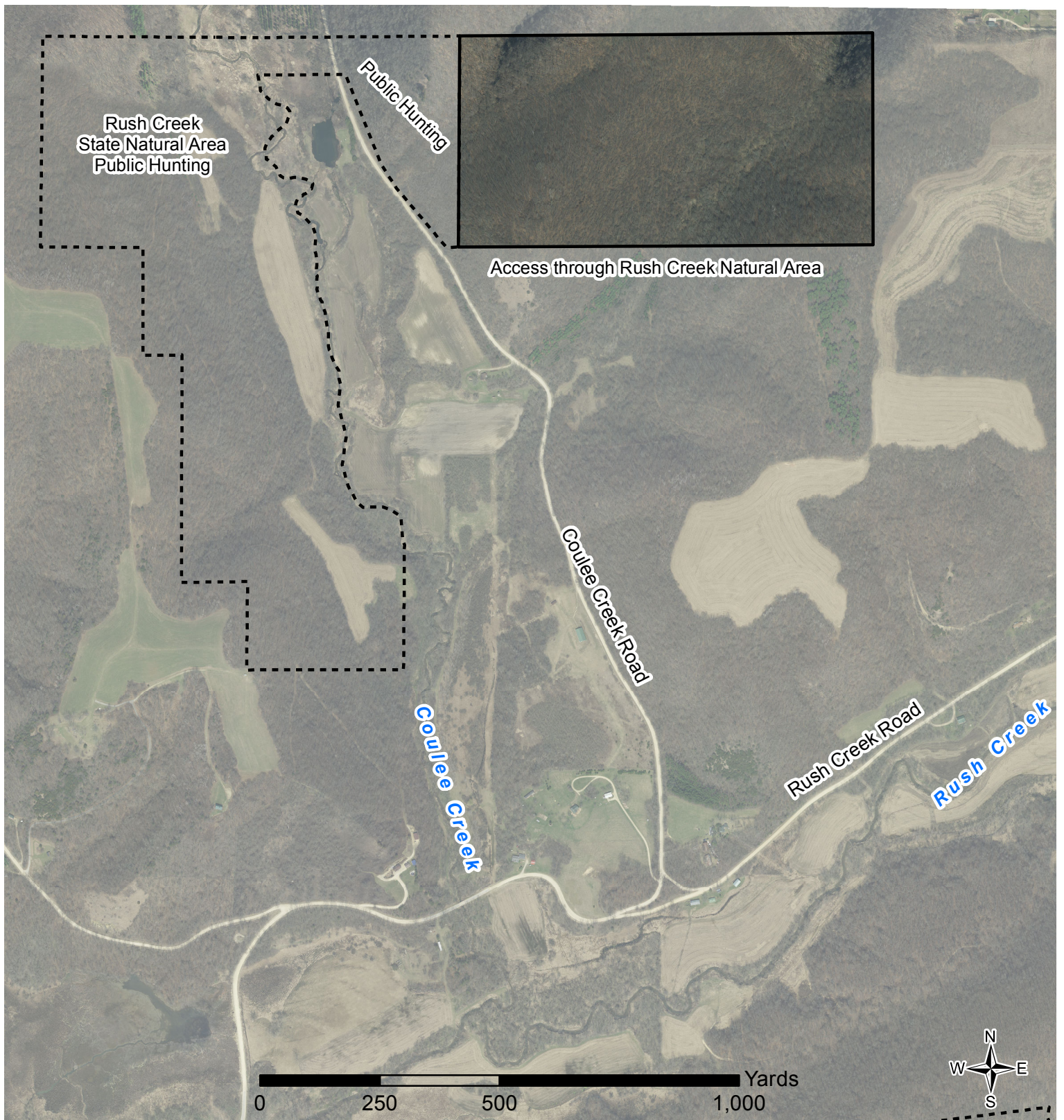
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Stacy - 23 acres

**Greenwood
Clark County
Town of Mead
Section 36, T27N, R3W**

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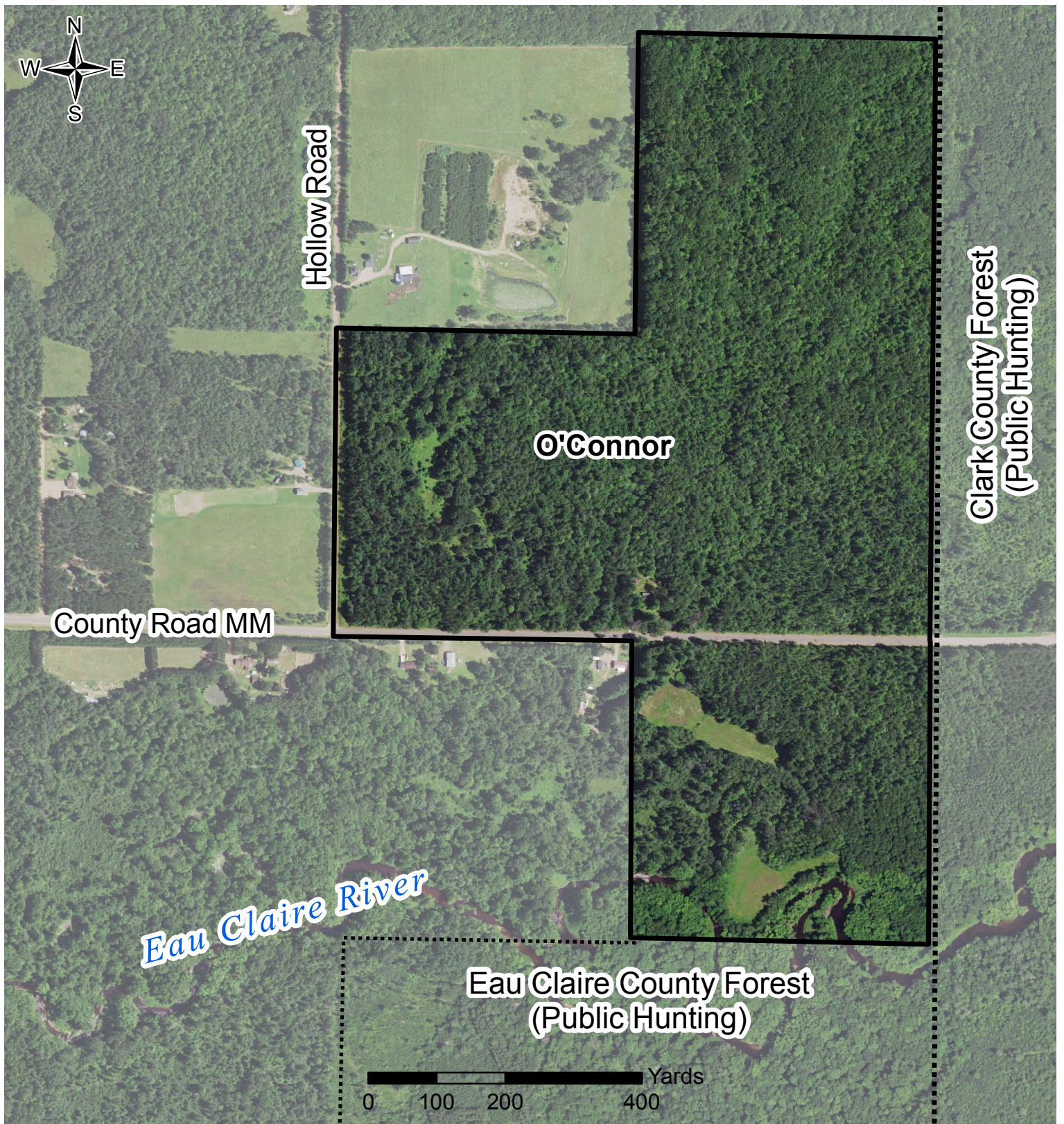


Artichoker 80 acres

**Crawford County
Town of Freeman
Section 29, T11N, R06W**

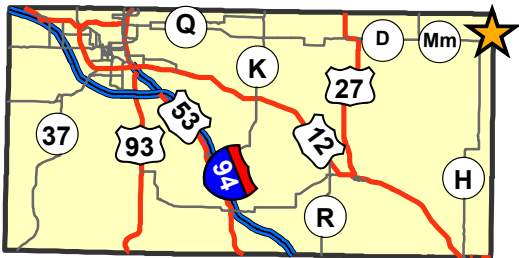
Rush Creek State Natural Area is open to the public.

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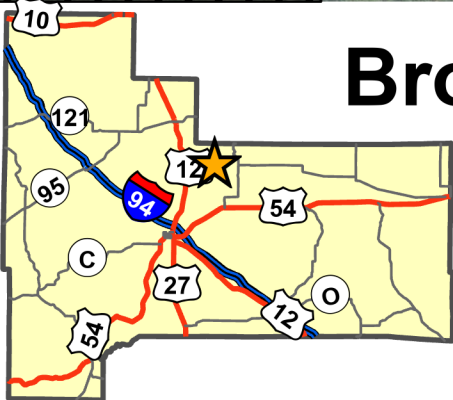
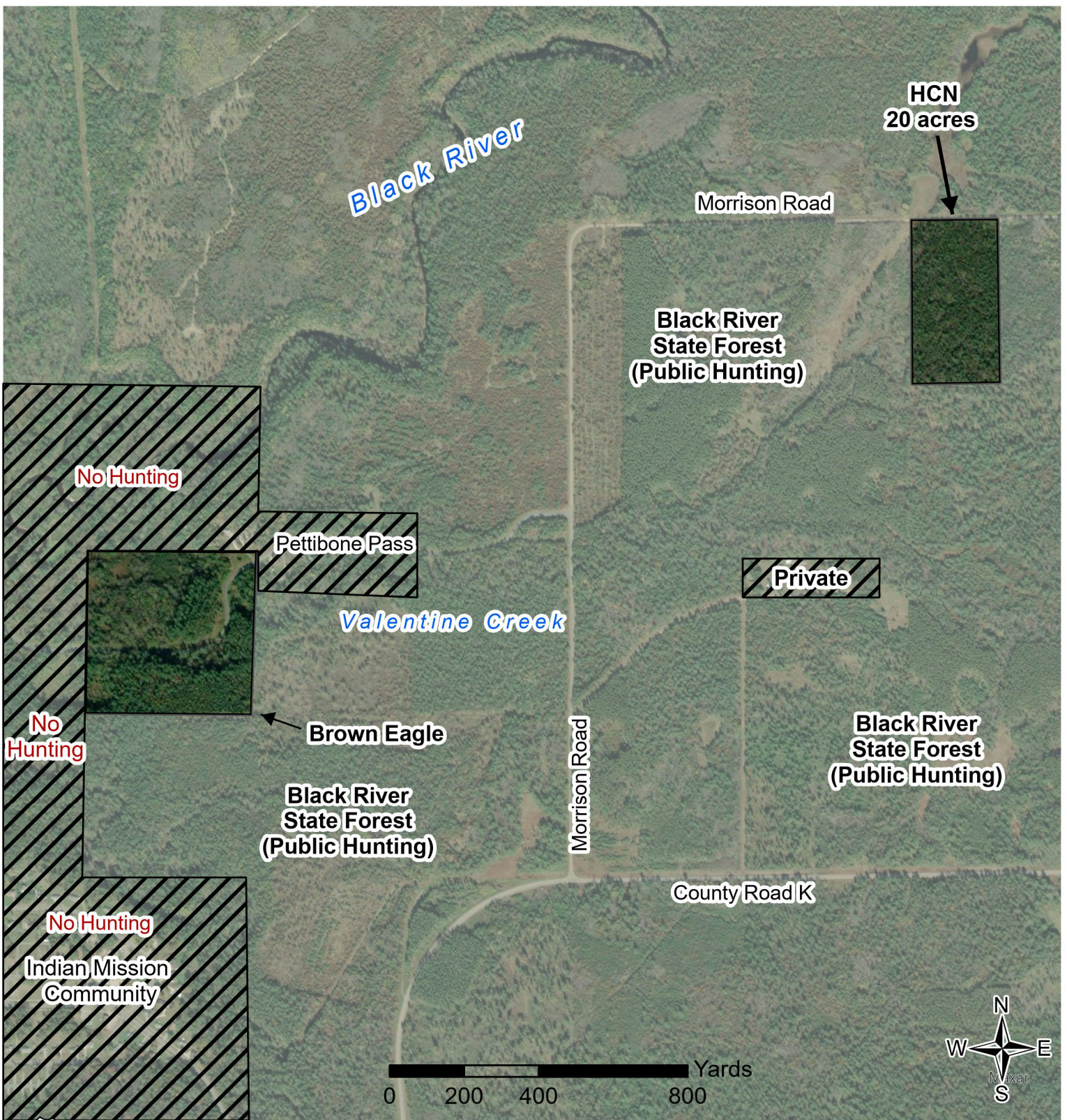


O'Connor 160 acres

**E29730 County Road MM
 Eau Claire Co.
 Town of Wilson
 Sections 12 & 13, T27N, R05W**



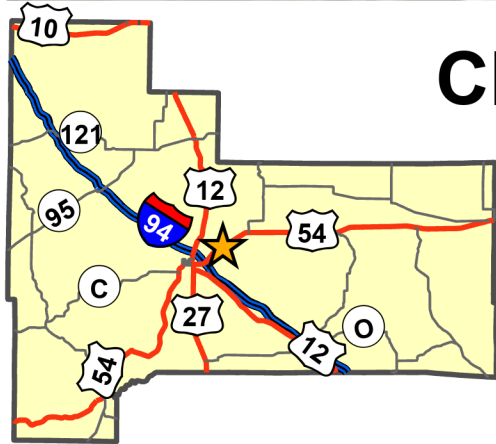
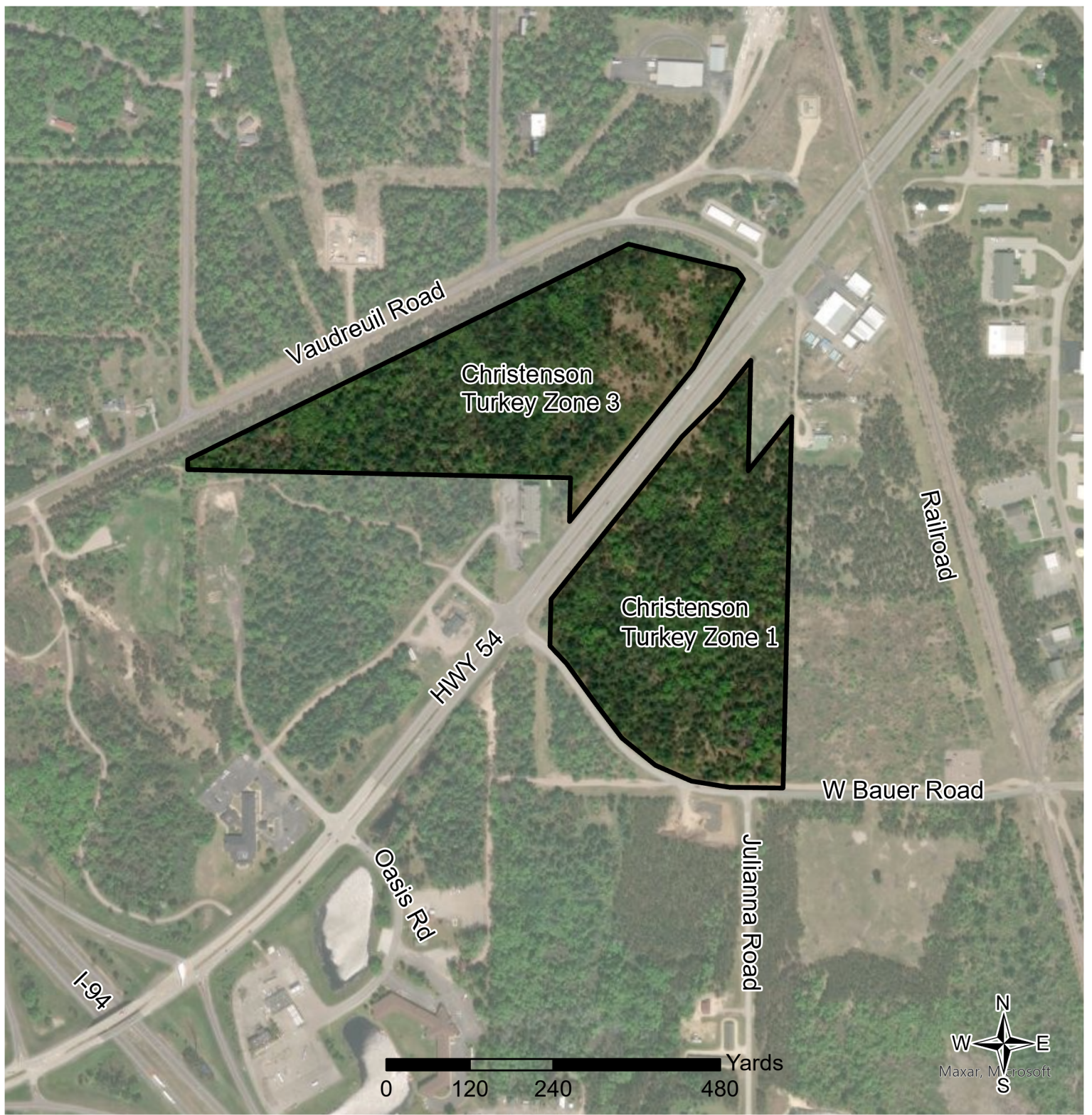
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 Turkey Hunting Zone 4.
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Browneagle ~ 60 acres

**Jackson County
Town of Komensky
Section 28, T22N, R3W**

Turkey hunting zone 3.
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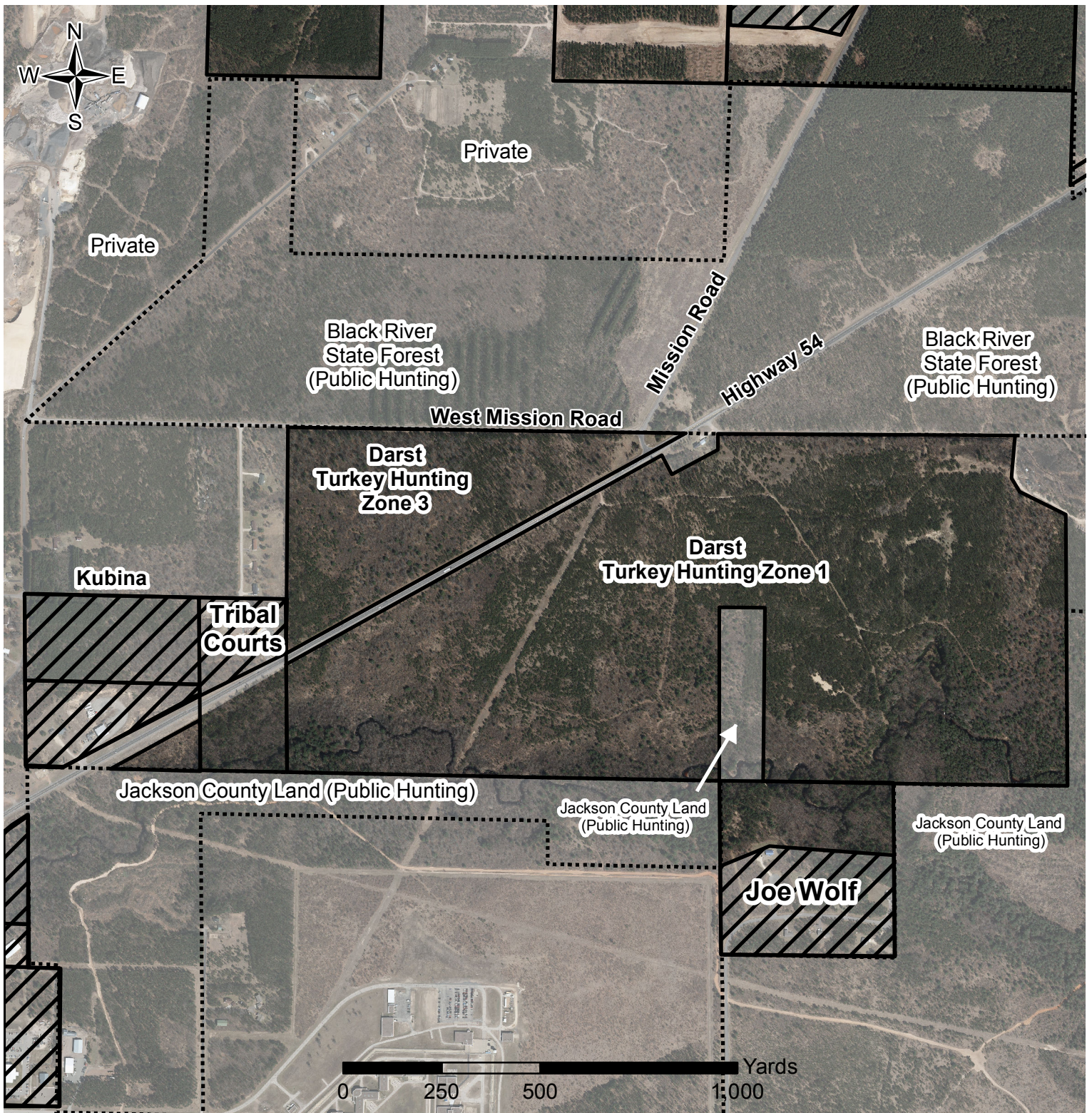


Christenson 60 acres

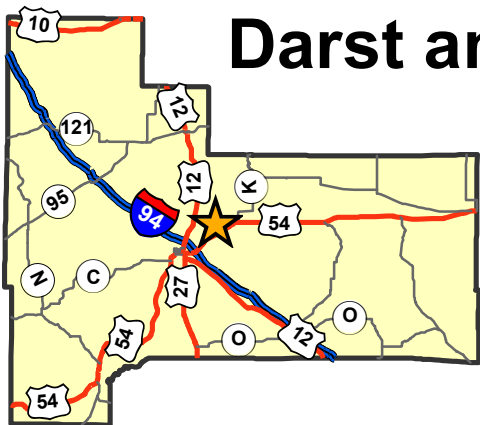
**Black River Falls
Jackson County
Town of Brockway
Section 13, T21N, R04W**

Turkey Hunting Zone 3 is North of Highway 54.
Turkey hunting zone 1 is South of Highway 54.

Road Realignment Project.
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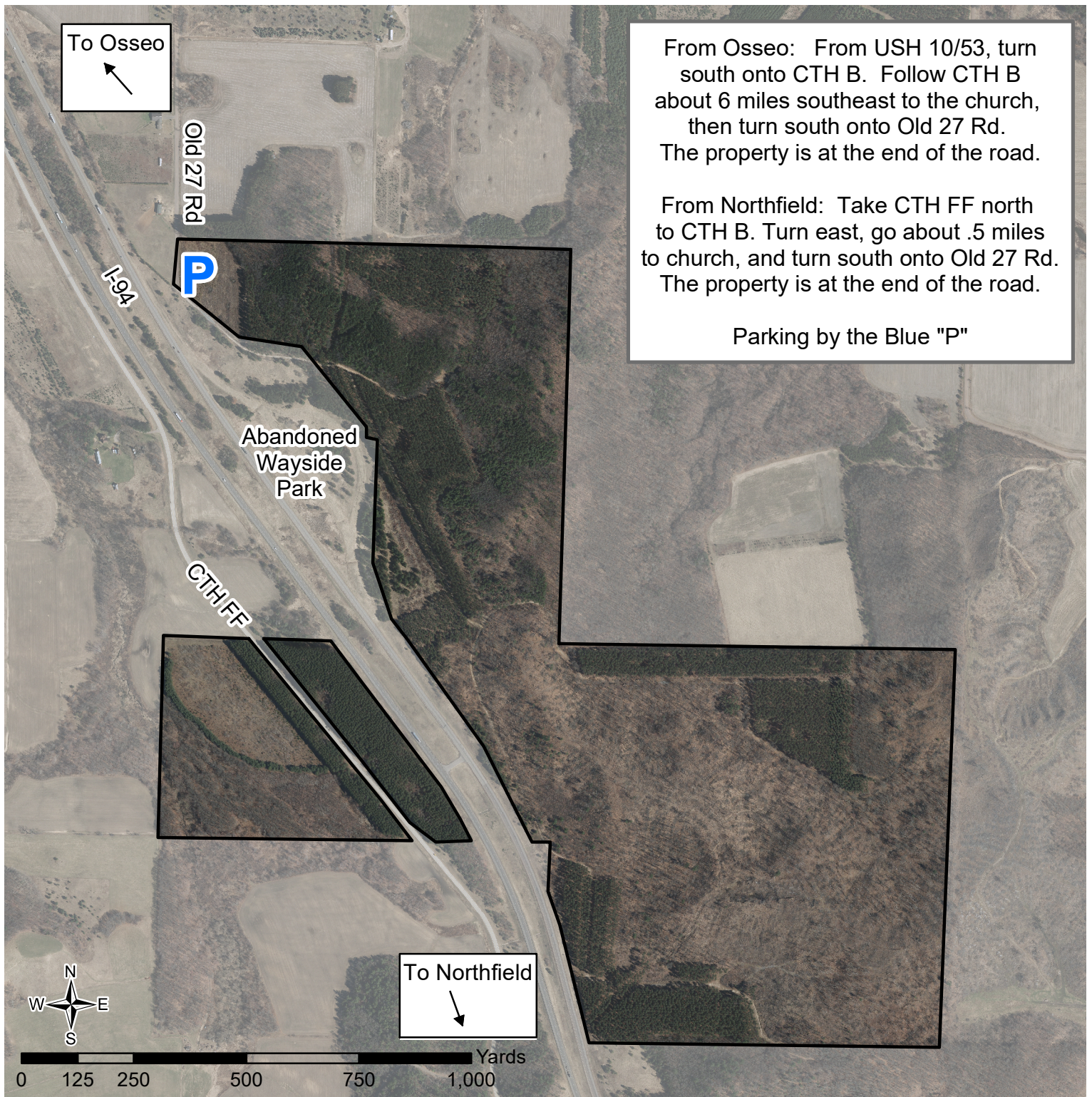


Darst and Kubina ~ 383 acres



**Black River Falls
Jackson County
Towns of Brockway
Sec. 7 & 8, T21N R03W**

DMU Central Forest Zone 1
Turkey Hunting Zone 3 is
North of Highway 54.
Turkey Hunting Zone 1 is
South of Highway 54.
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From Osseo: From USH 10/53, turn south onto CTH B. Follow CTH B about 6 miles southeast to the church, then turn south onto Old 27 Rd. The property is at the end of the road.

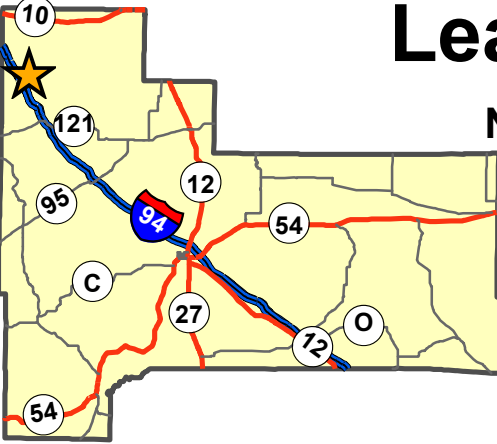
From Northfield: Take CTH FF north to CTH B. Turn east, go about .5 miles to church, and turn south onto Old 27 Rd. The property is at the end of the road.

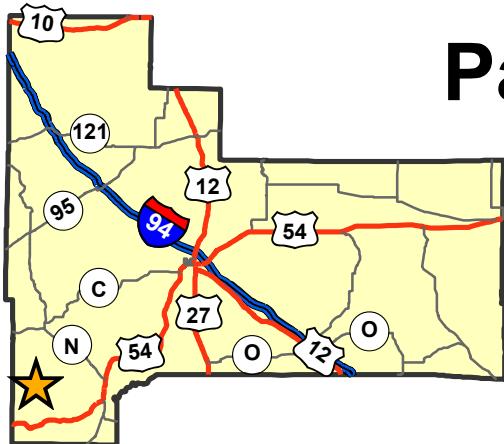
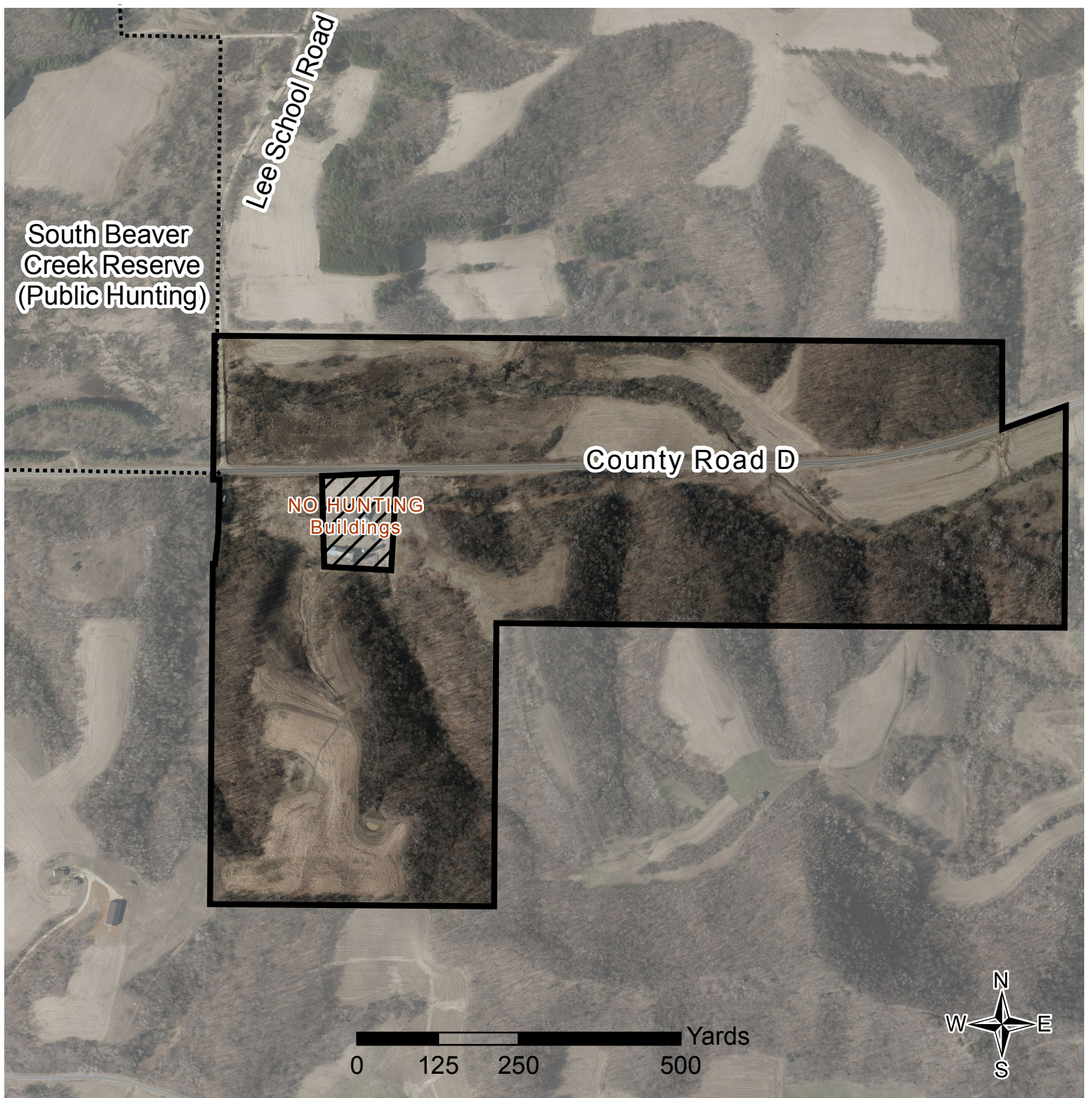
Parking by the Blue "P"

Leasum Ward 311 acres

Nearest Address: N12515 Old 27 Rd
Jackson Co.
Town of Garfield
Section 32, T24N, R06W

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 Turkey Hunting Zone 1.
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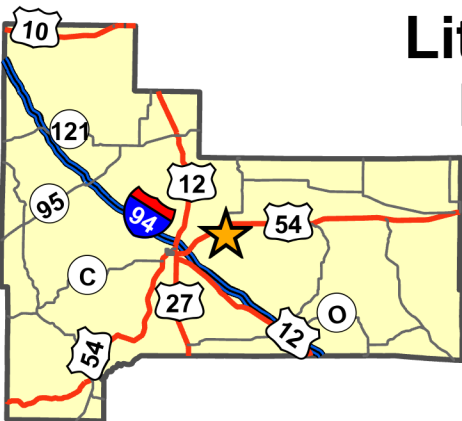




Parmenter - 158 acres

W15945 County Road D
Melrose
Jackson County
Town of North Bend
Sections 4 & 9, T19N, R06W

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 Turkey Hunting Zone 1.
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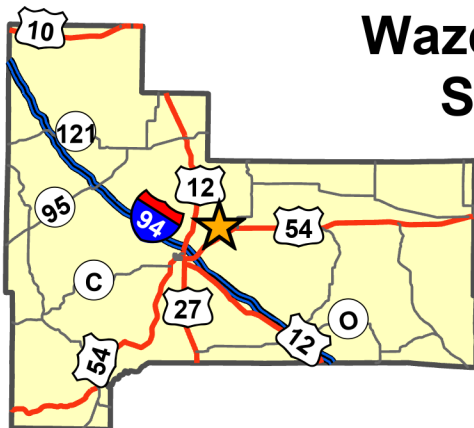
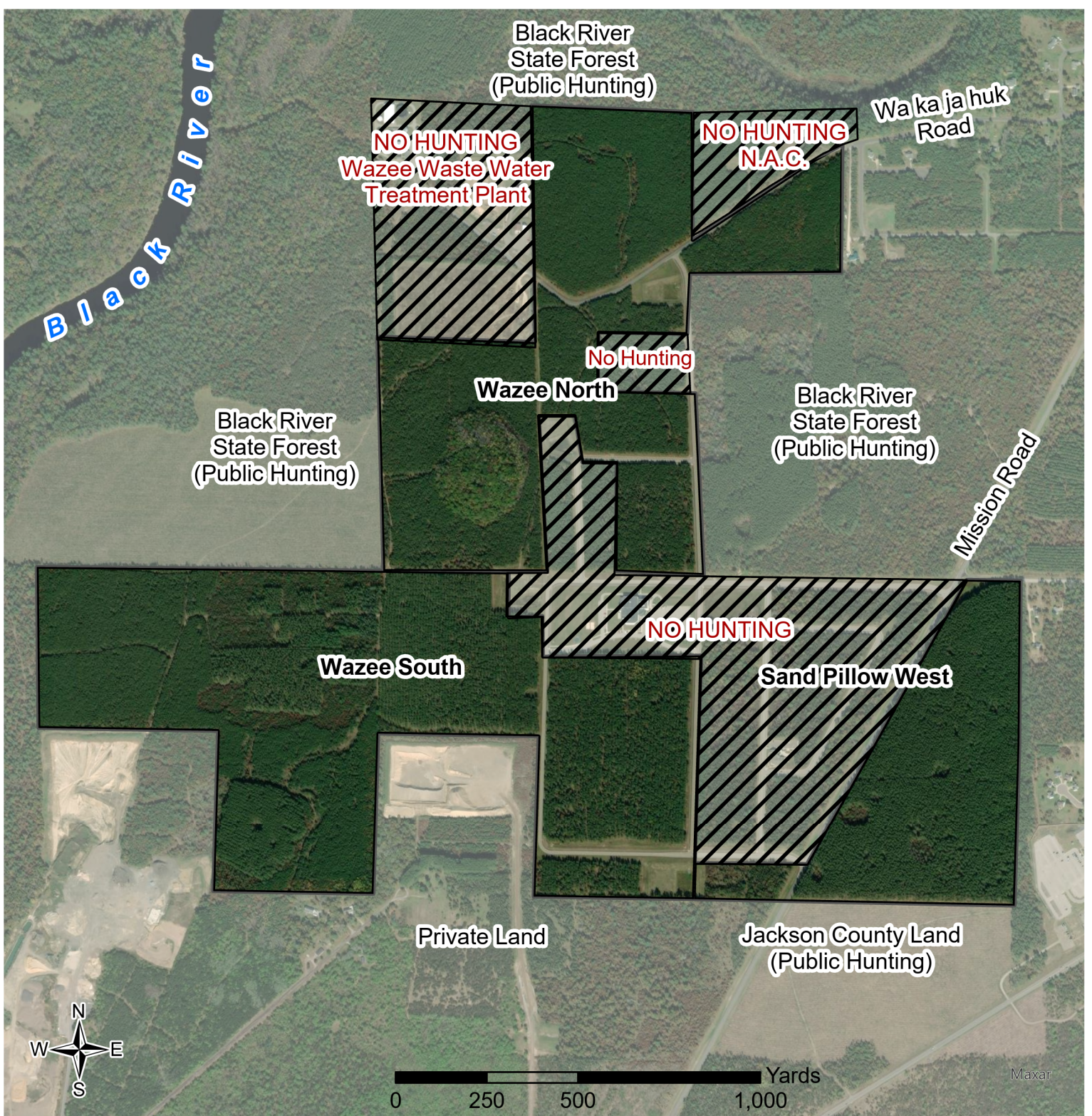
Little Blackhawk 104 acres
Eagle Woman 40 acres

Jackson County
Town of Brockway
Section 4, T21N, R03W

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 Turkey hunting zone 1
 south of Highway 54.
 Turkey Hunting zone 3
 north of Highway 54.

Parking by blue "P"

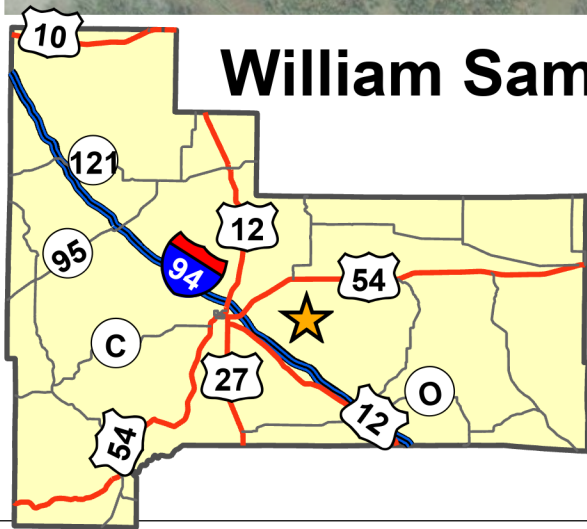
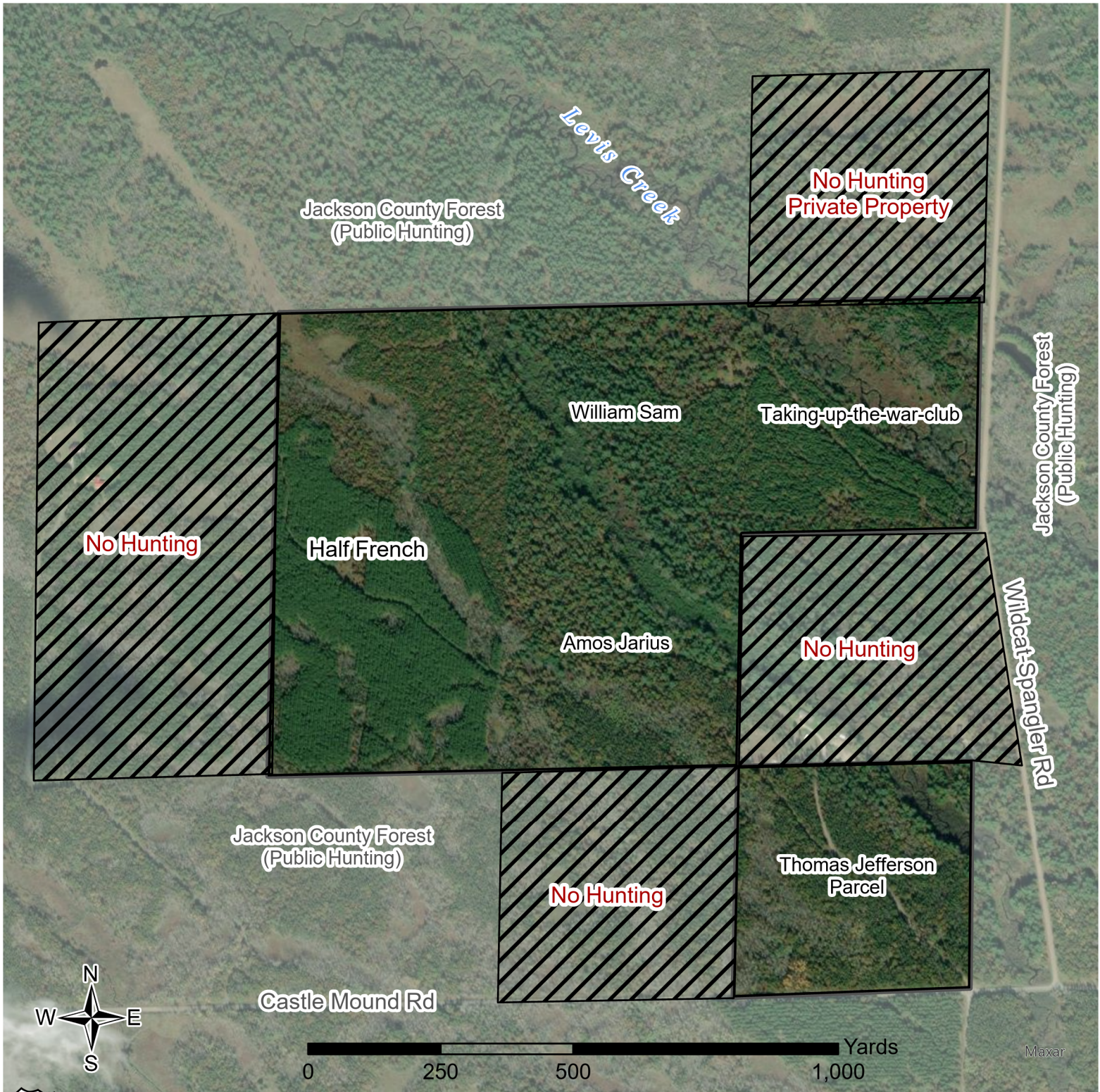
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Wazee North and South ~ 400 acres
Sand Pillow West ~ 150 acres

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 Jackson County
 Towns of Brockway
 and Komensky
 Sec 31, 32, 6 T22-21N R03W**

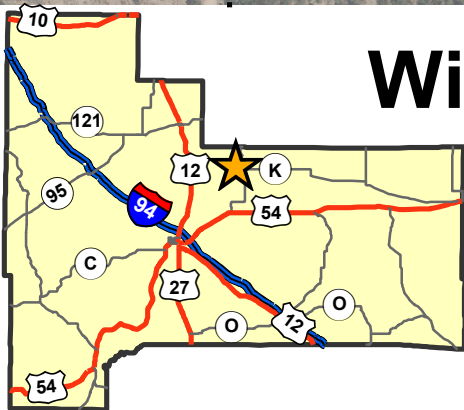
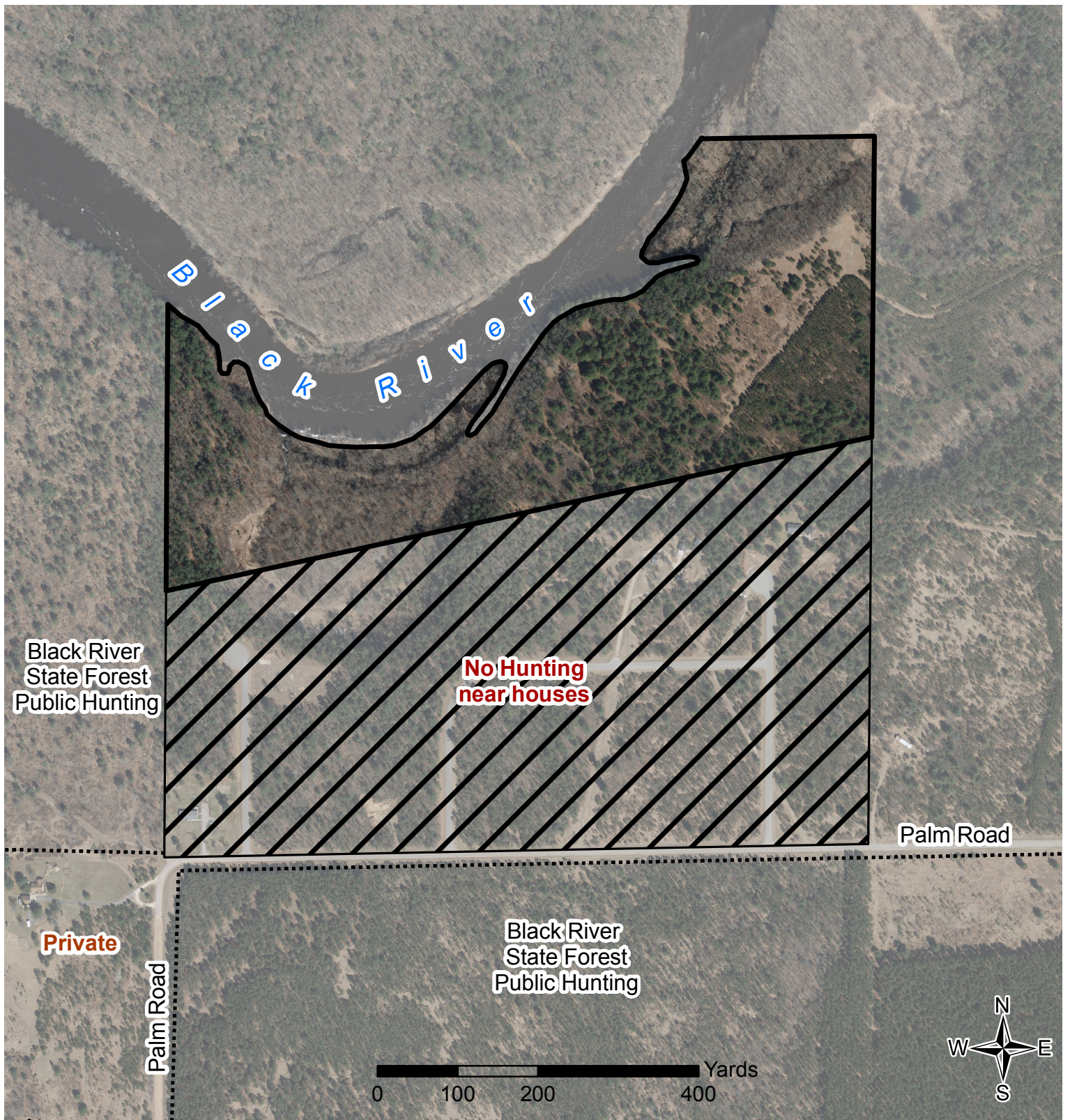
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William Sam & Brockway Parcels 240 acres

**Black River Falls
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Town of Brockway
Section 24, T21N, R03W**

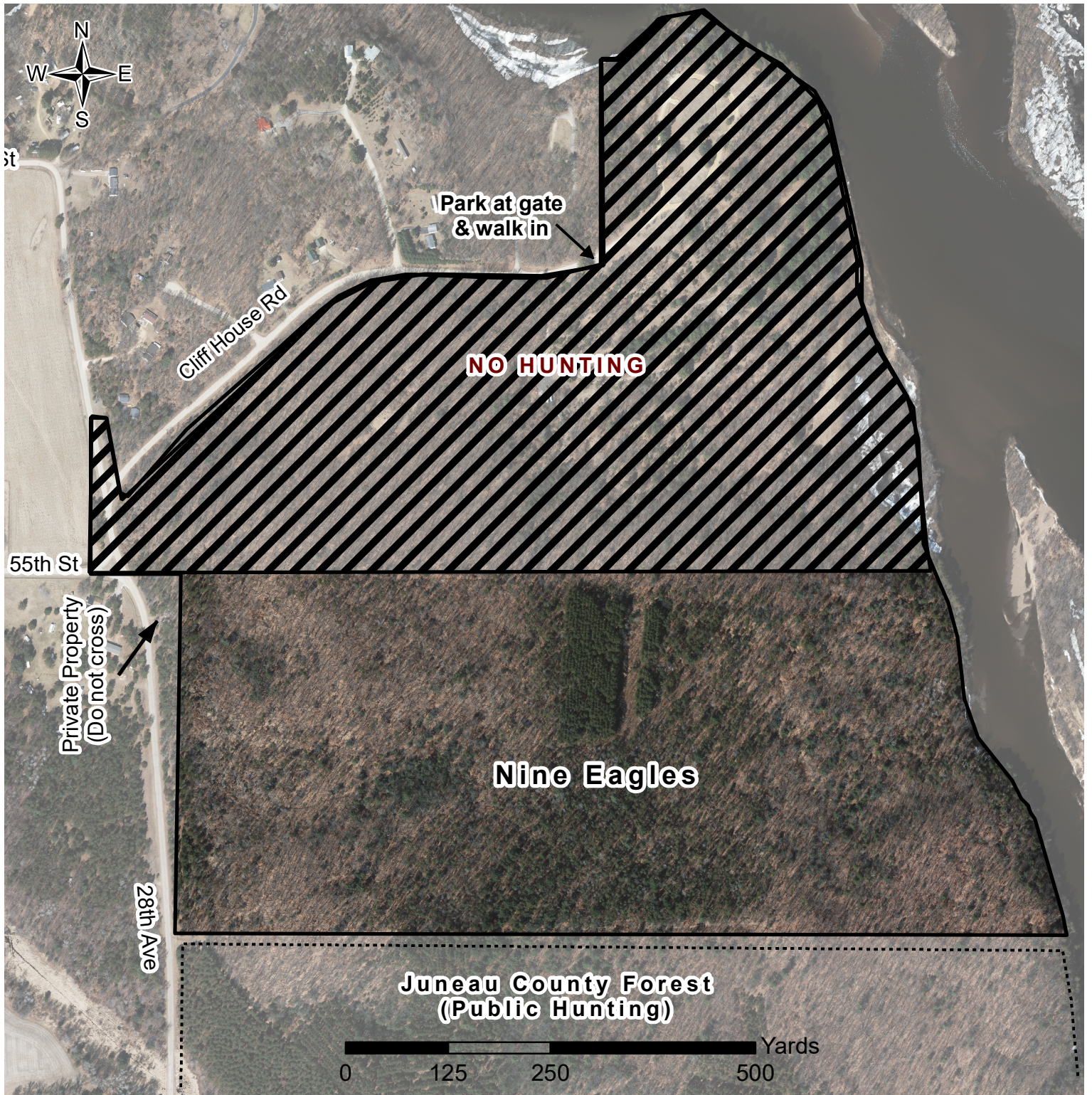
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Winneshiek ~ 46 acres

**Hatfield
Jackson County
Town of Komensky
Section 10, T22N, R3W**

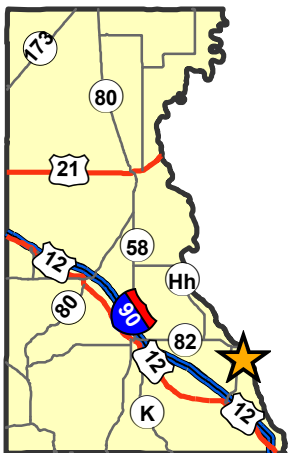
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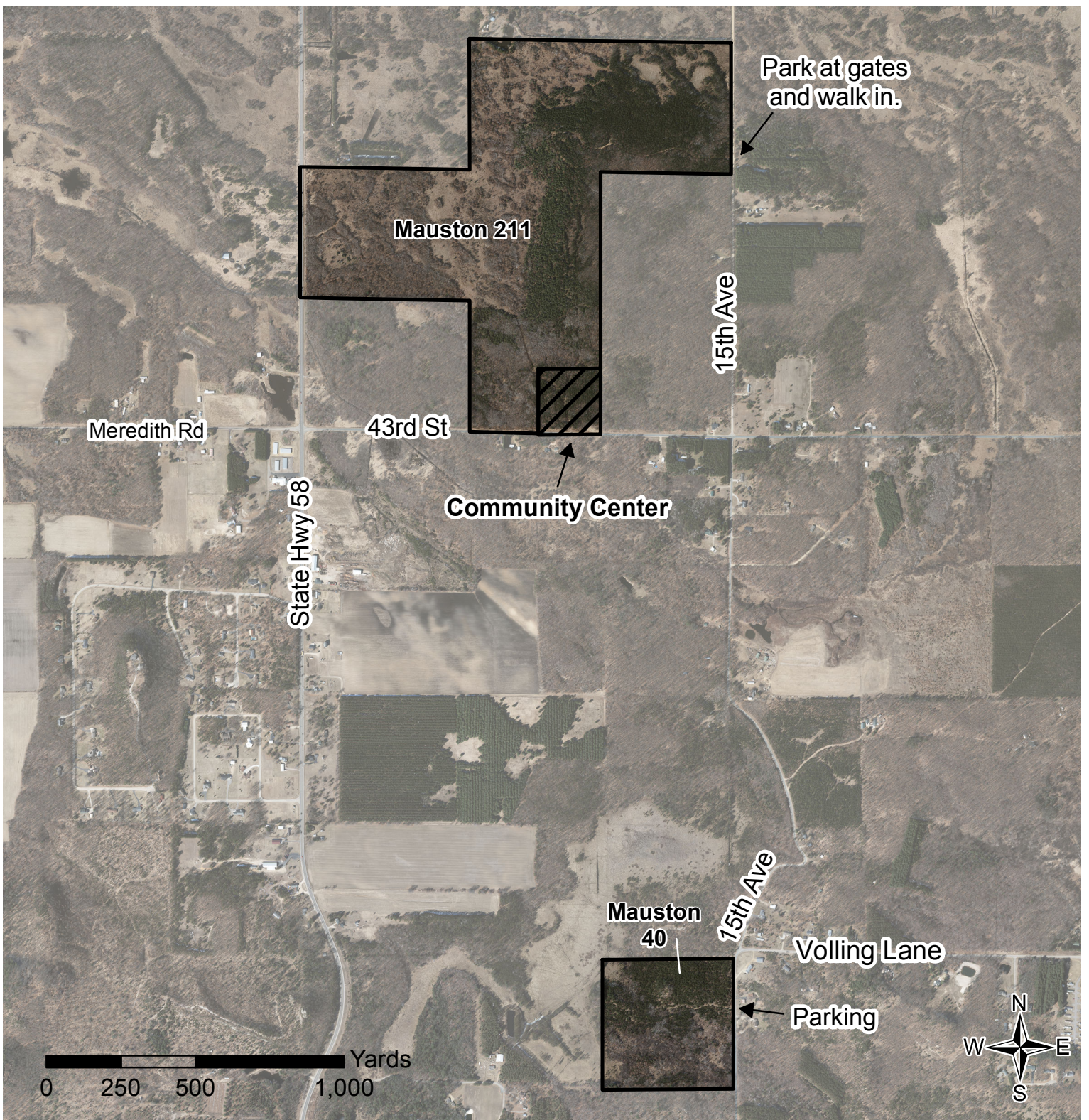


Nine Eagles ~ 100 acres

W1530 Cliff House Rd
Mauston
Juneau Co.
Town of Kildare
Sections 24 & 25, T15N R05E

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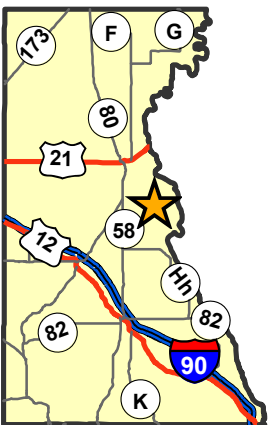


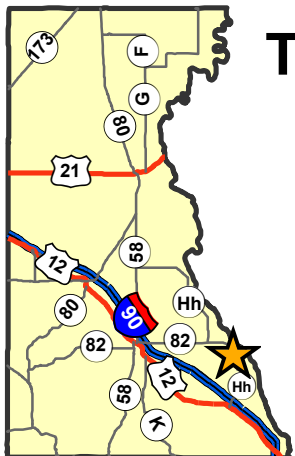
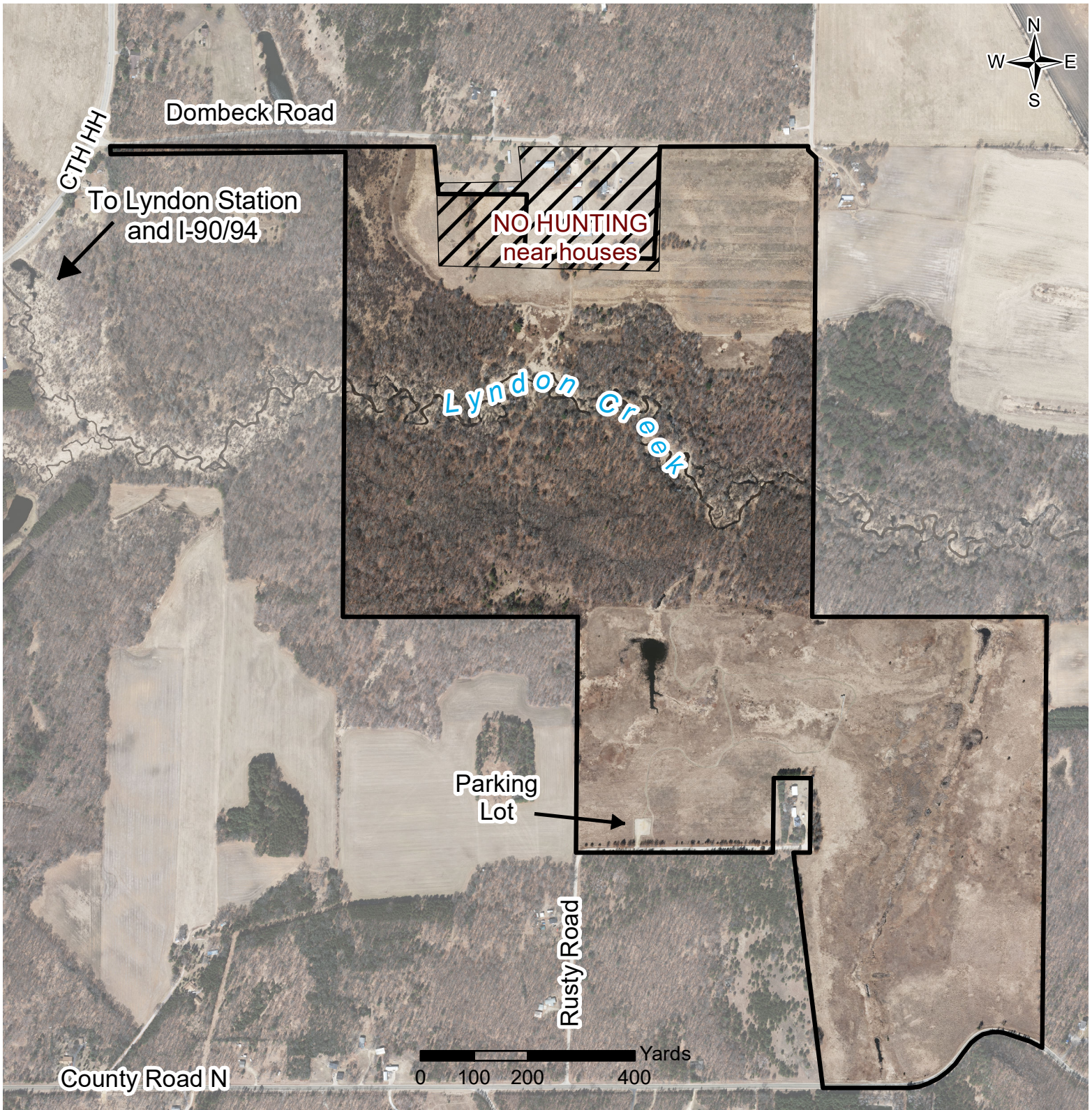


Plum Creek - 241 acres

**Mauston
Juneau County
Town of Germantown
Section 18, T16N, R04E**

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Zone 1
Turkey Hunting Zone 1
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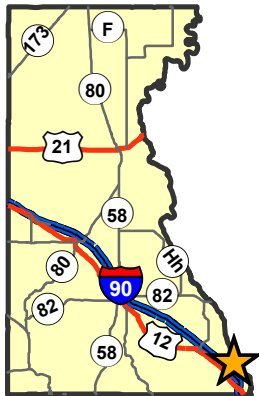
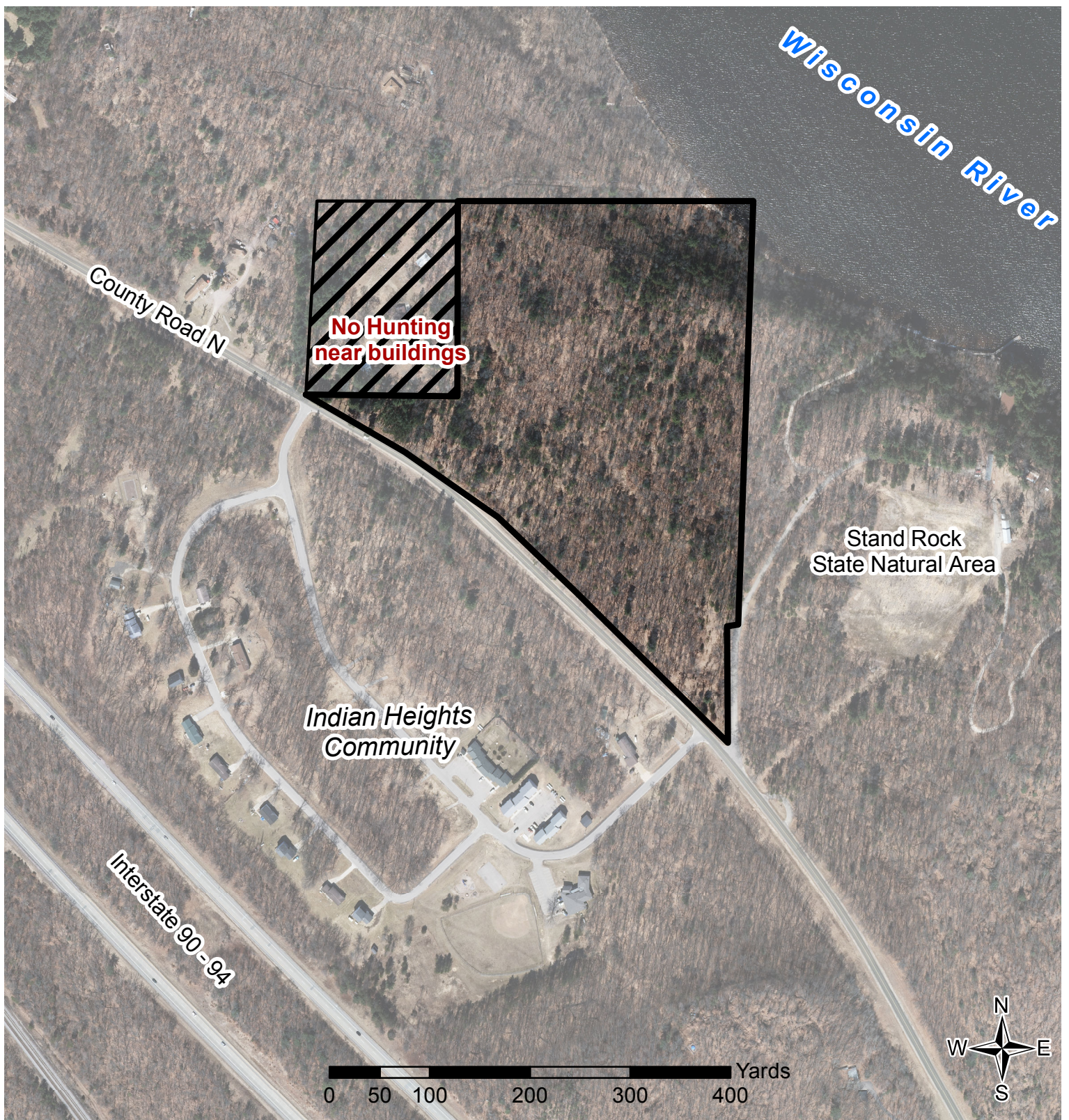


To sanak ska (White Otter) ~ 246 acres

**W1903 Dombek Road
Lyndon Station
Juneau Co.
Town of Kildare
Section 2, T14N R05E**

DMU Central Farmland
Zone 2

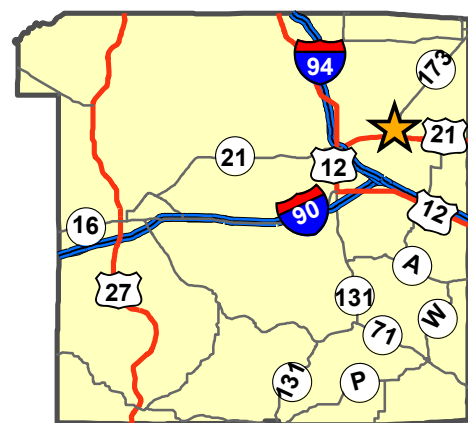
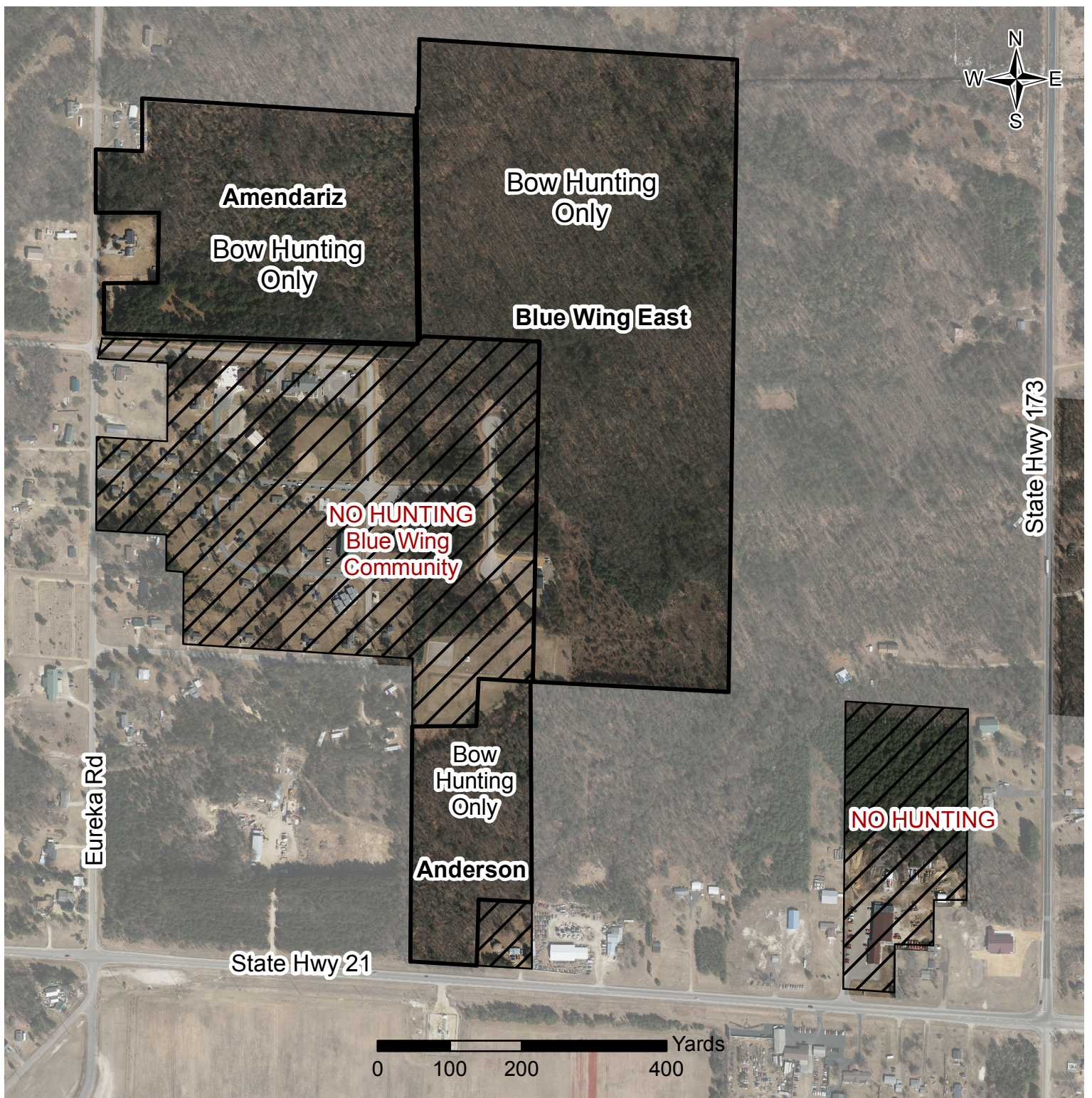
Property is closed to public
hunting, but public is
allowed to access the land
south of Lyndon Creek.
Turkey hunting zone 1
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Wright ~ 25 acres

**N1060 County Road N
 Wisconsin Dells
 Juneau County
 Town of Lyndon
 Section 19, T14N, R6E**

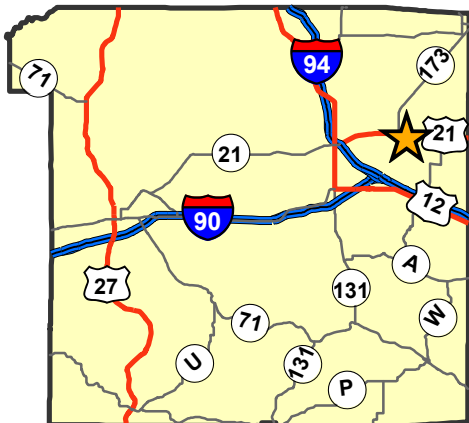
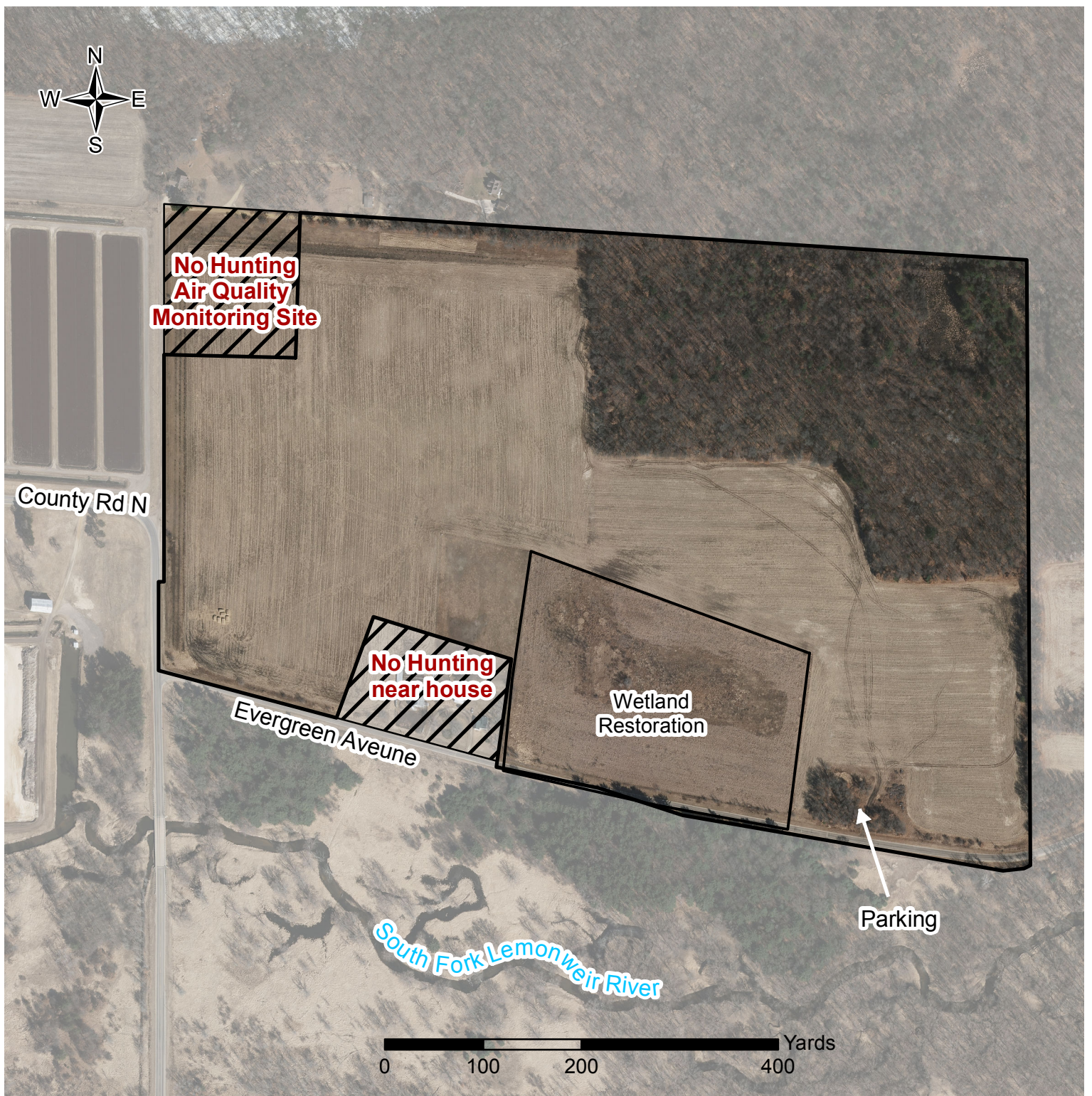
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 Zone 2
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Blue Wing East 60 acres
Anderson 10 acres
Amendariz 30 acres

Monroe Co.
Town of Byron
Section 18, T18N, R01E

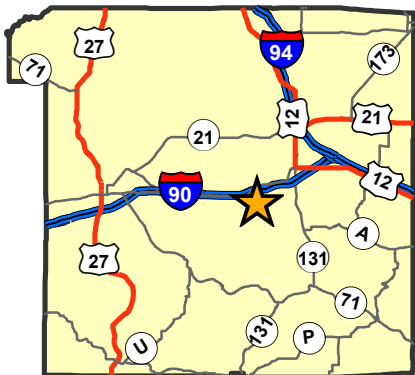
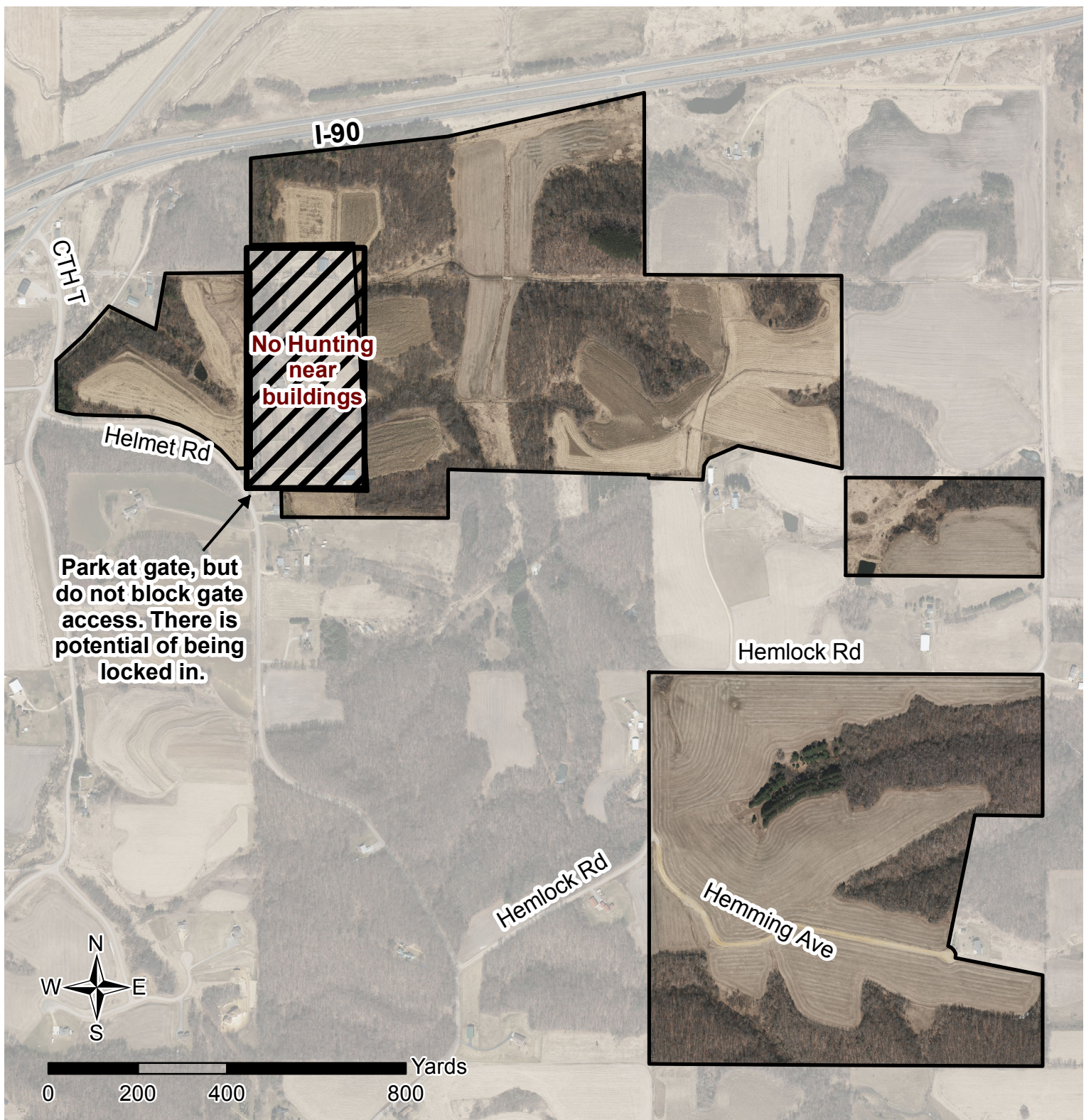
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 Zone 1
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Shaw ~ 100 acres

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Tomah
Monroe County
Town of Byron
Section 20 ,T18N, R01E**

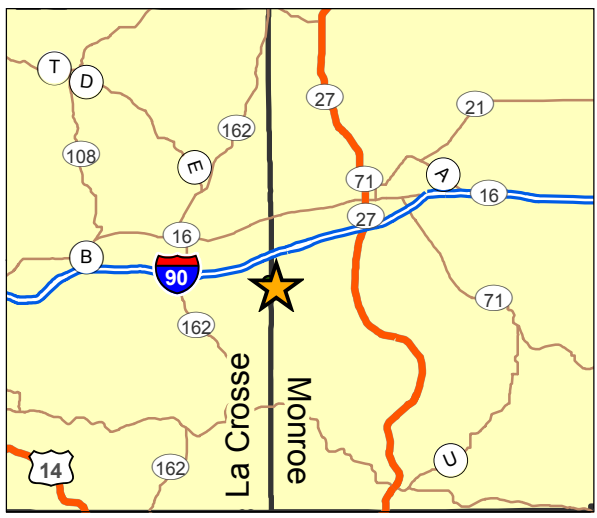
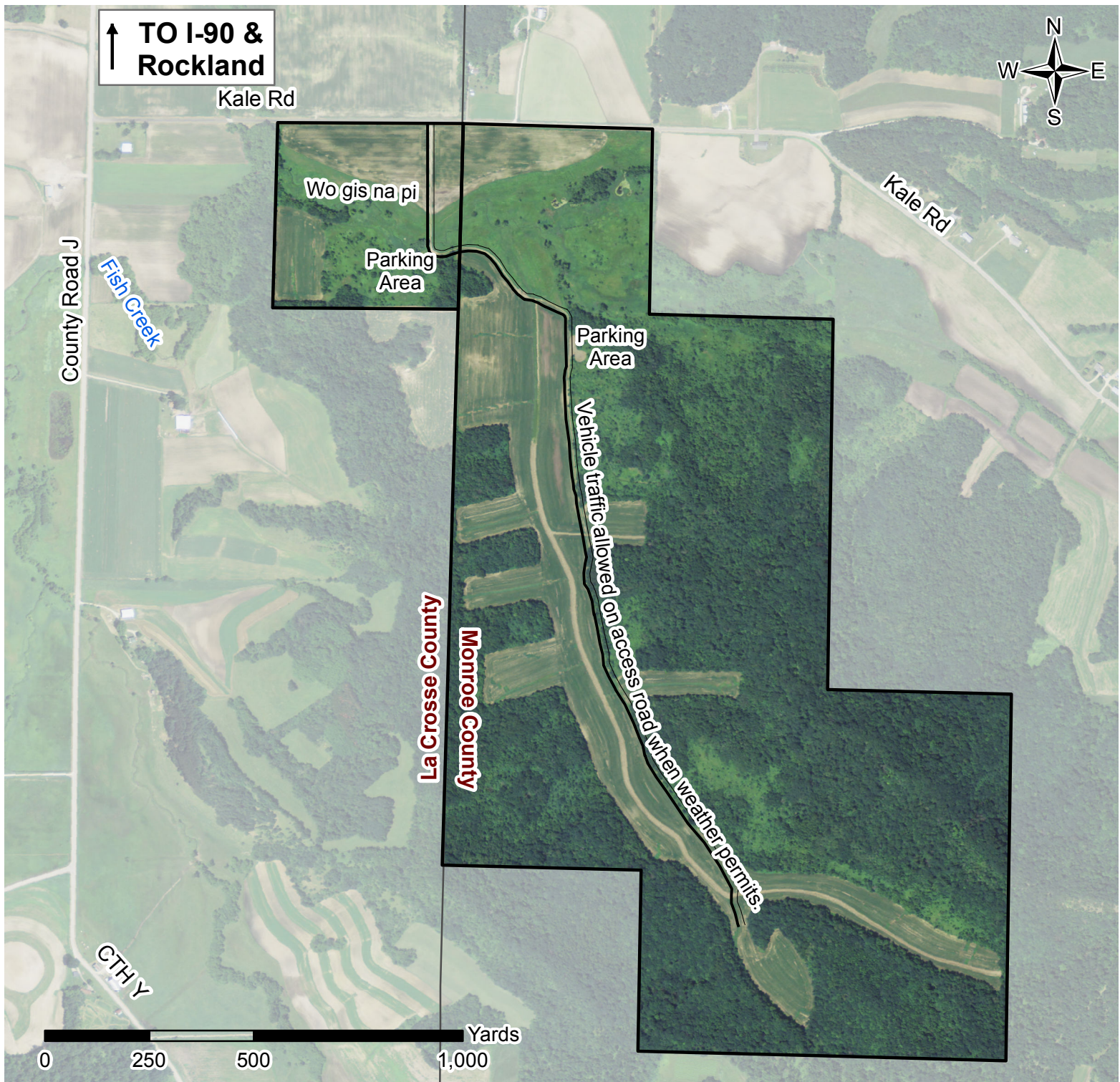
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Whirling Thunder Ranch ~ 345 acres

**16250 Helmet Road, Tomah
Monroe Co.
Town of Adrian
Sec 16, 23, 24 T17N, R02W**

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Farmland Zone 2
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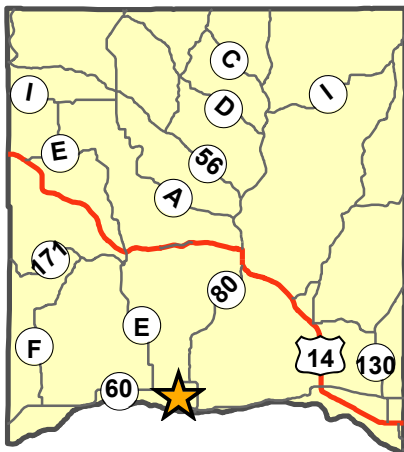
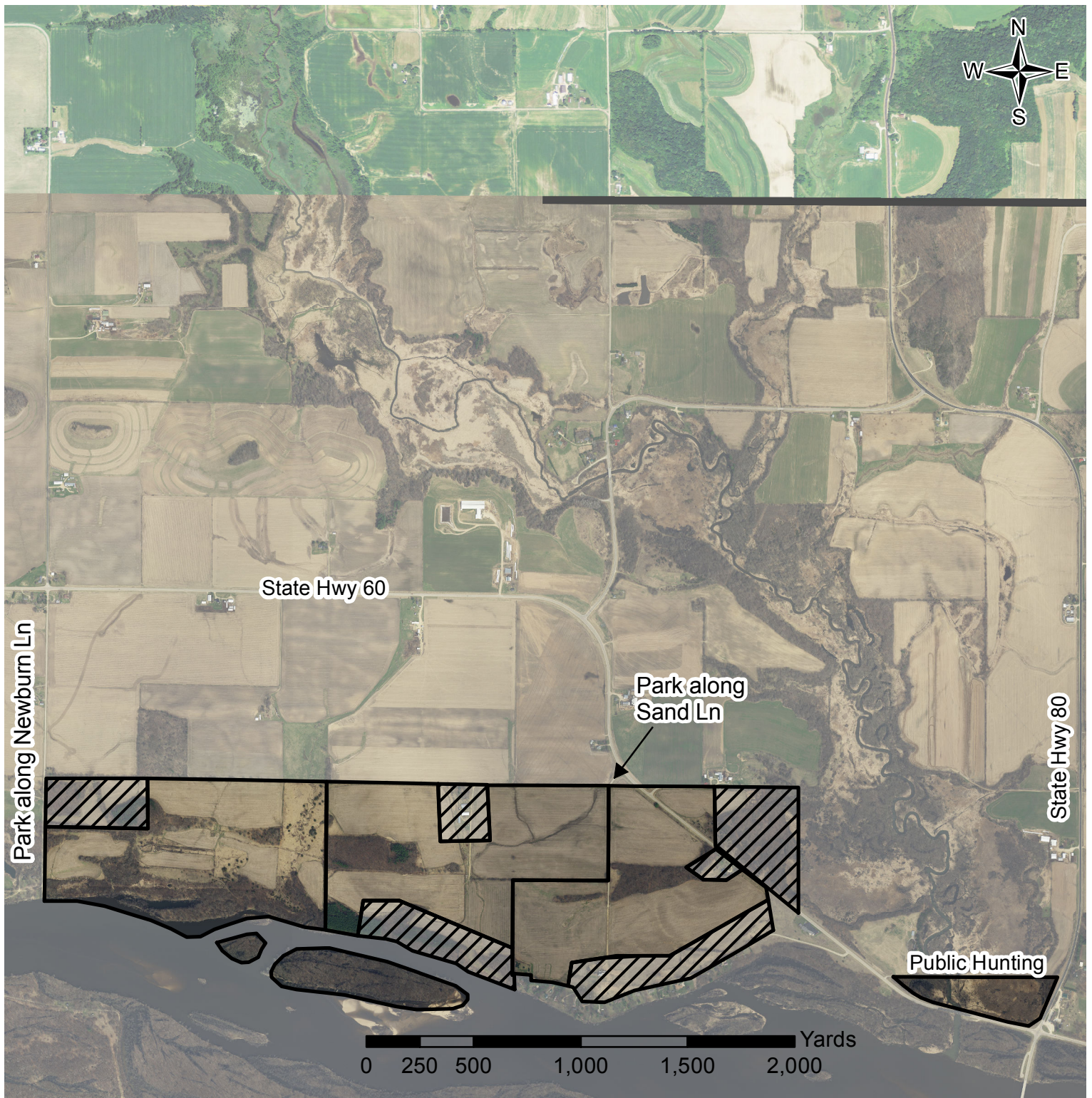


Wo gis na pi - 450 acres

W119 Kale Rd, Rockland
LaCrosse / Monroe Co.
Town of Bangor (LaCrosse Co.)
Town of Leon (Monroe Co.)
Sec 7 & 18 T16 R4W
Sec 12 T16 R5W

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*Gates are closed when ground
 is wet. Please do NOT drive
 on the waterways.*

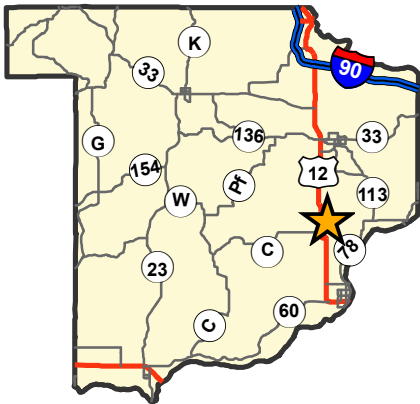
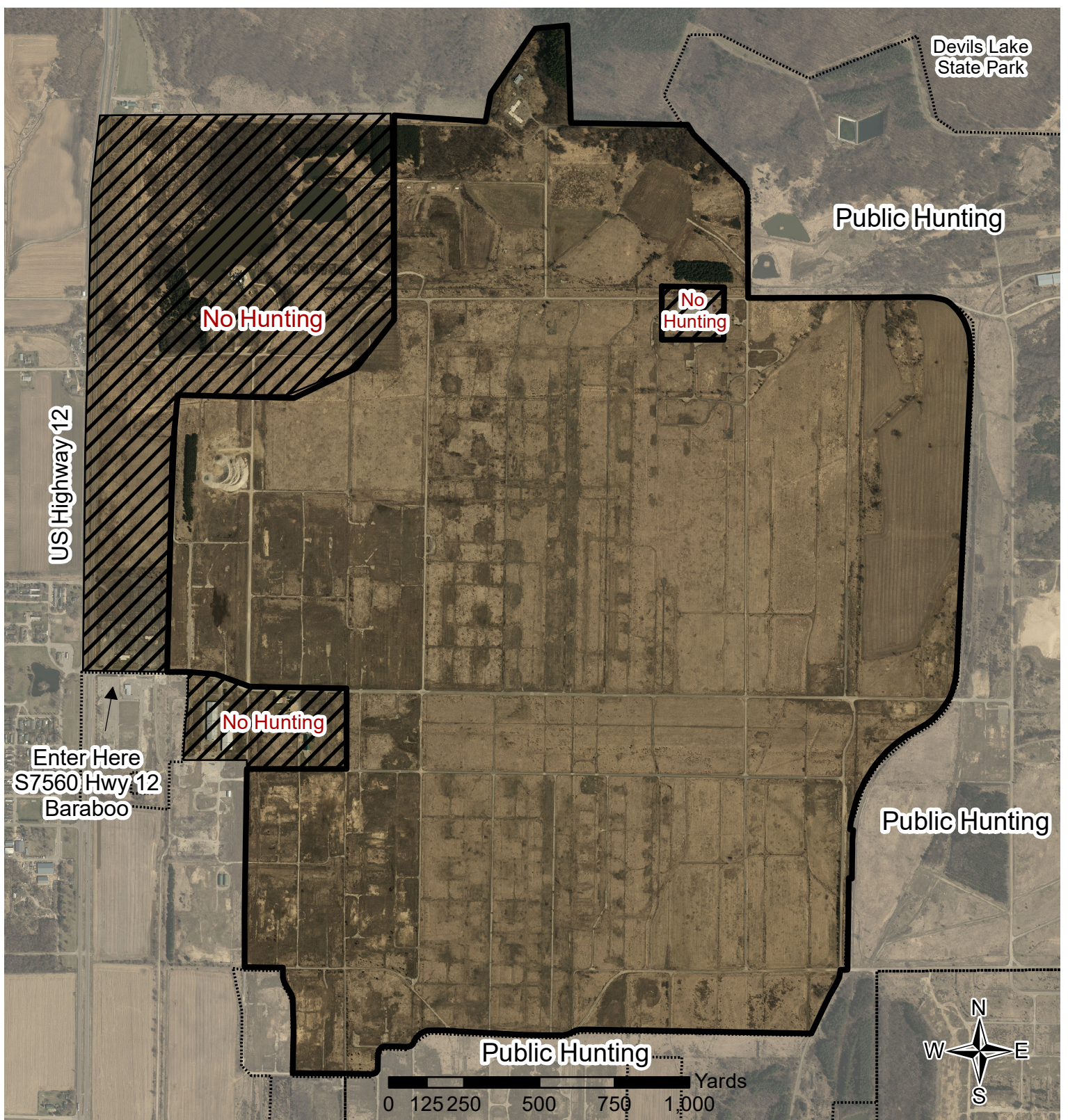


Muscoda Property - 474 acres

**33502 Sand Lane
Richland Co.
Town of Eagle
Sec 2 & 3, T8N, R1W
Sec. 33, 34, 35, T9N, R1W**

Gates to property are locked.
The house is not for use.
Follow local ordinances
for parking on public roadways.

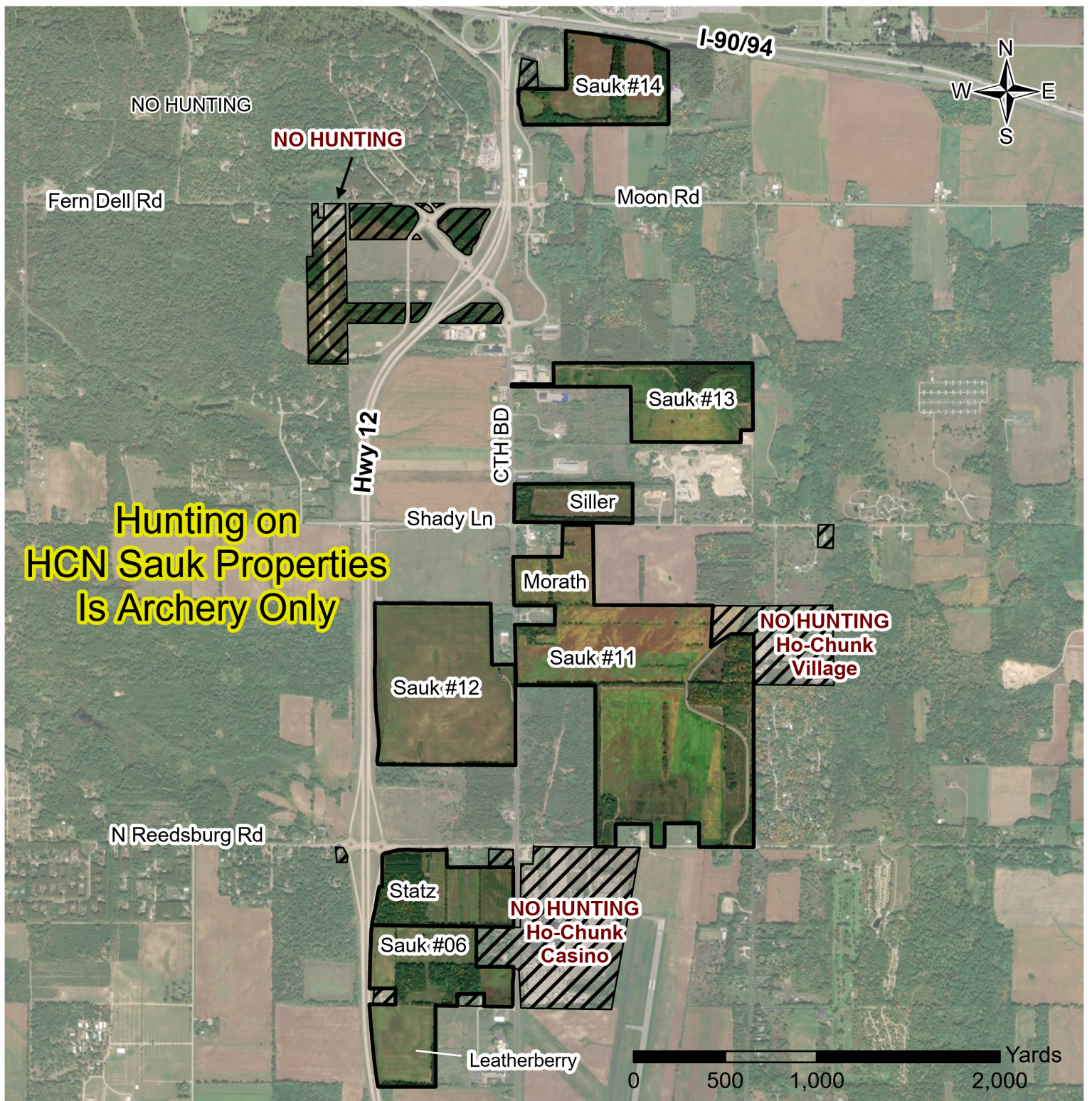
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MaqWakacq former "Badger" ~ 1300 acres

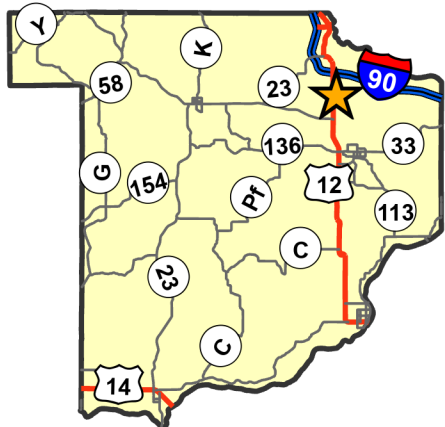
S7560 Hwy 12, Baraboo
Sauk County
Town of Sumpter
Section 1, 2, 3, 10, & 11 T10N, R6E
Section 34 & 35 T11 R6E

DMU Southern
 Farmland Zone 2
 Turkey hunting zone 1.
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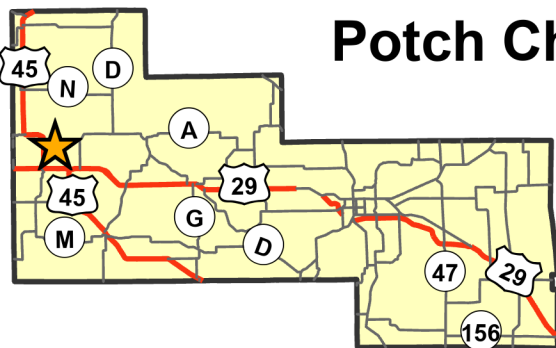
**Hunting on
HCN Sauk Properties
Is Archery Only**

**Sauk Parcels ~ 760 acres
Archery Only*
Wisconsin Dells
Sauk County
Town of Delton
T12N R06E & T13N R06E**



Turkey hunting zone 1.
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HCN GIS 2024
Call DNR office to request
more detailed map of property.
715-284-2852

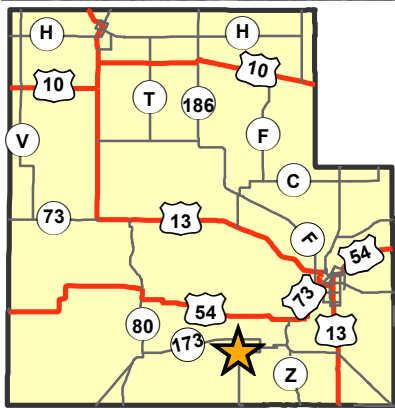
*Be mindful of roads in all directions and the
distance ammunition can travel.*



Potch Chee Nunk Parcels ~ 370 acres

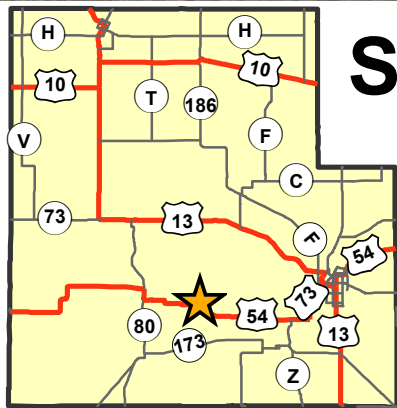
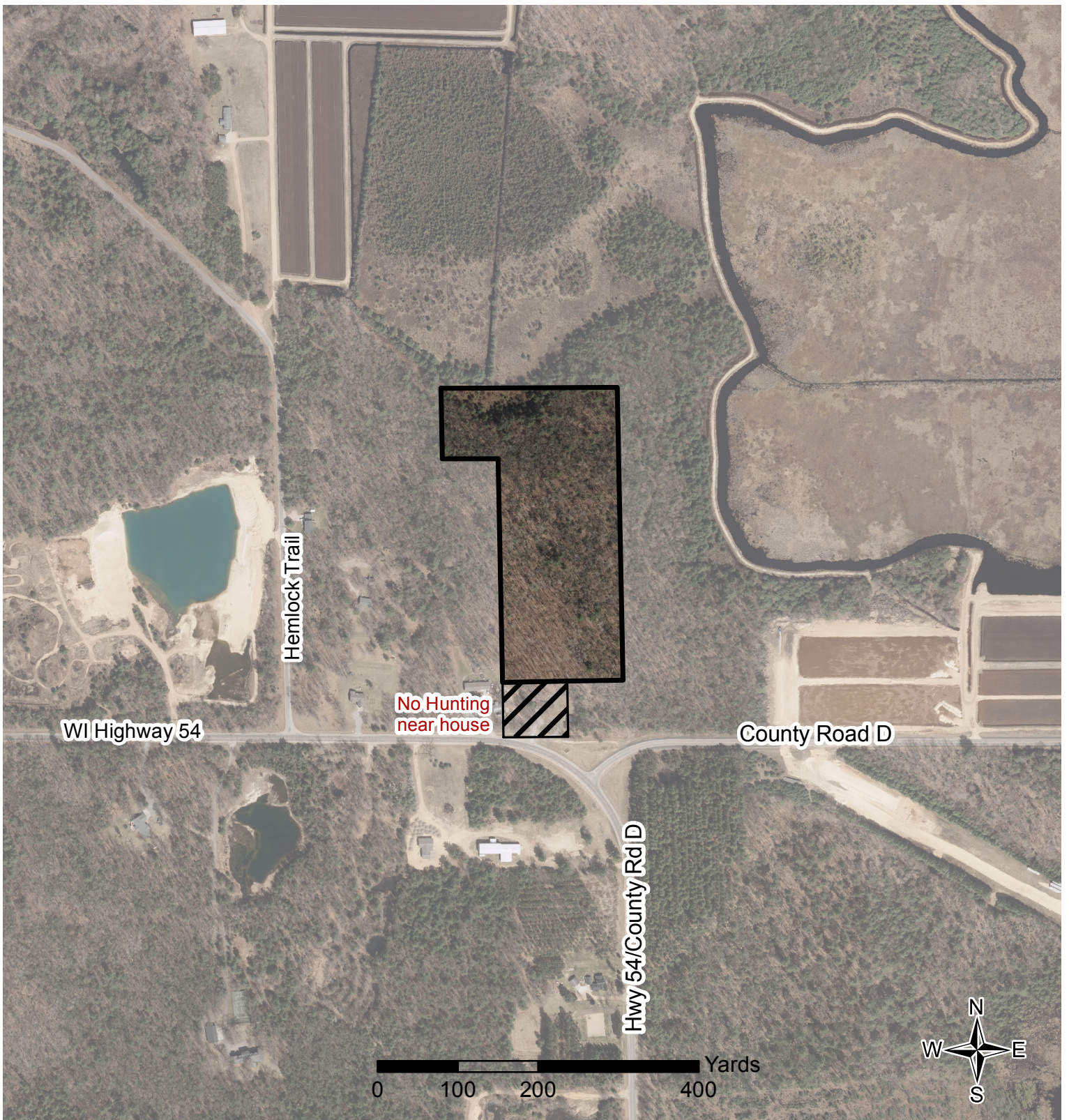
Wittenberg
Shawano County
Town of Birnamwood
Town of Wittenberg
Sections 3 & 34, T28N, R11E

Turkey Hunting Zone 3.
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 HCN GIS 2017



Enerson - 40 acres
Mortenson - 250 acres
1096 County Road G
Nekoosa
Wood County
Town of Port Edwards
Section 19, T21N, R5E

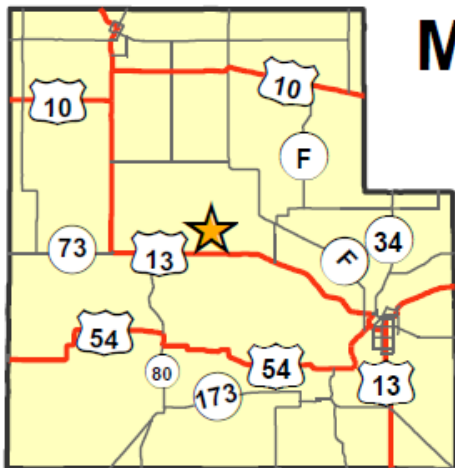
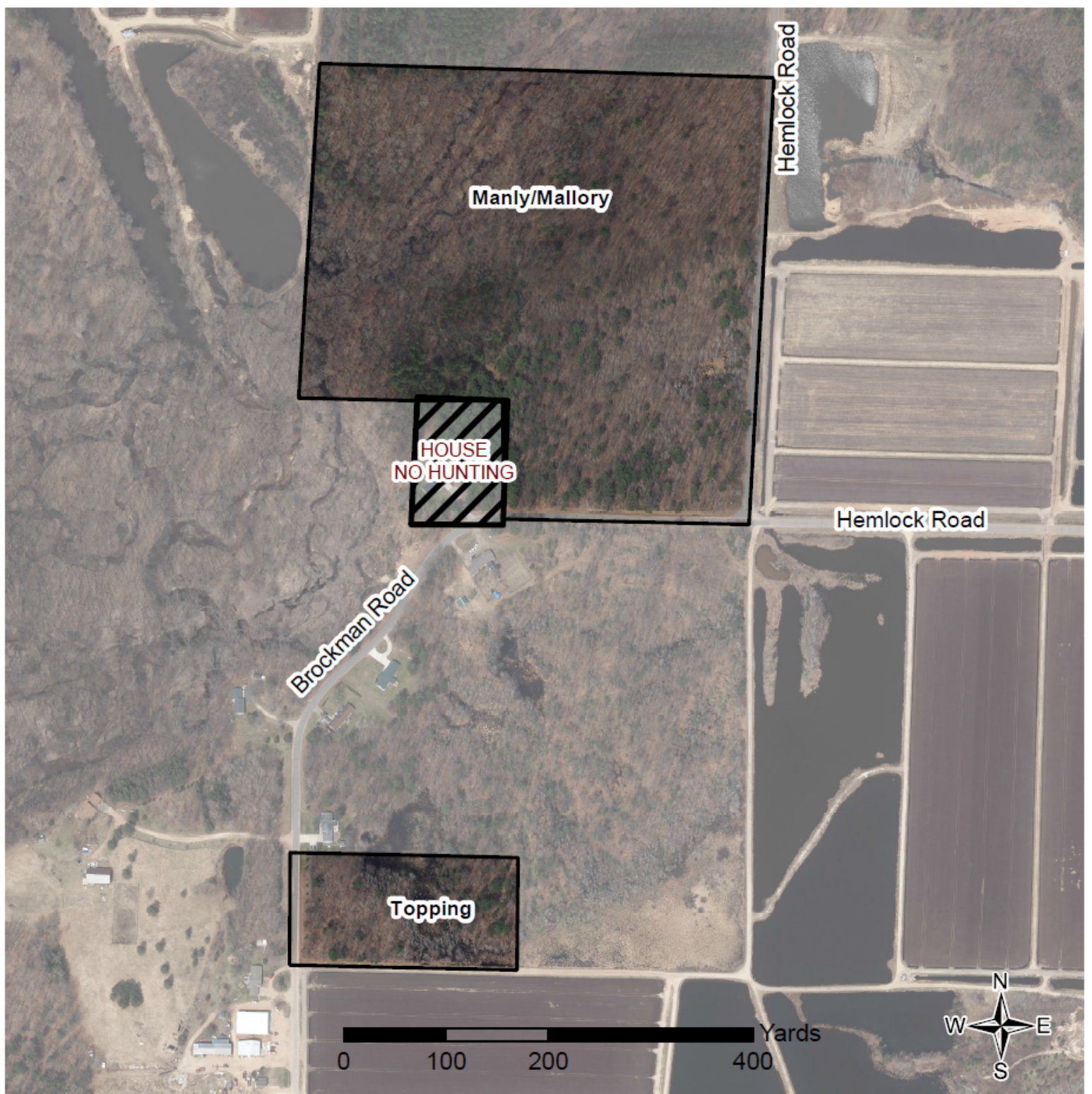
DMU Central Forest
 Zone 1
 Turkey hunting zone 1.
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Susie Lincoln - 14 acres

6130 Highway 54
Wisconsin Rapids
Wood County
Town of Cranmoor
Section 28, T22N, R4E

DMU Central Forest
 Zone 1
 Turkey hunting zone 3.
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Manly/Mallory 37 acres
Topping 5 acres

Wood County
Town of Seneca
Section 4, T22N, R4W

DMU Central Farmland
 Zone 2
 Turkey Hunting Zone 3.
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Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD)

CWD is a fatal disease that affects the nervous system of deer, elk, moose and caribou. Transmission occurs when disease prions are shed by infected animals through saliva, urine, feces and natural decomposition after death. The CWD infectious agent, or prion, is extremely resistant to decay in the environment. Because of this, baiting, feeding and improper carcass disposal increase the risk of transmission.

While there has not been a documented case of CWD in humans, the Wisconsin Department of Health Services (DHS), the Centers for Disease Control and World Health Organization recommend against consuming meat from CWD-infected deer. Infected deer can look healthy; however, DHS encourages testing for the disease regardless of your harvested deer's physical condition. The DHS also recommends the public only consume venison from deer where the test results indicate CWD was not detected.

**Please have your deer tested for CWD at the following locations:

CWD Testing Stations:

Your local State of Wisconsin DNR Office

Ho-Chunk Gaming Convenience Store locations:

Black River Falls

Baraboo

Nekoosa




Tomah

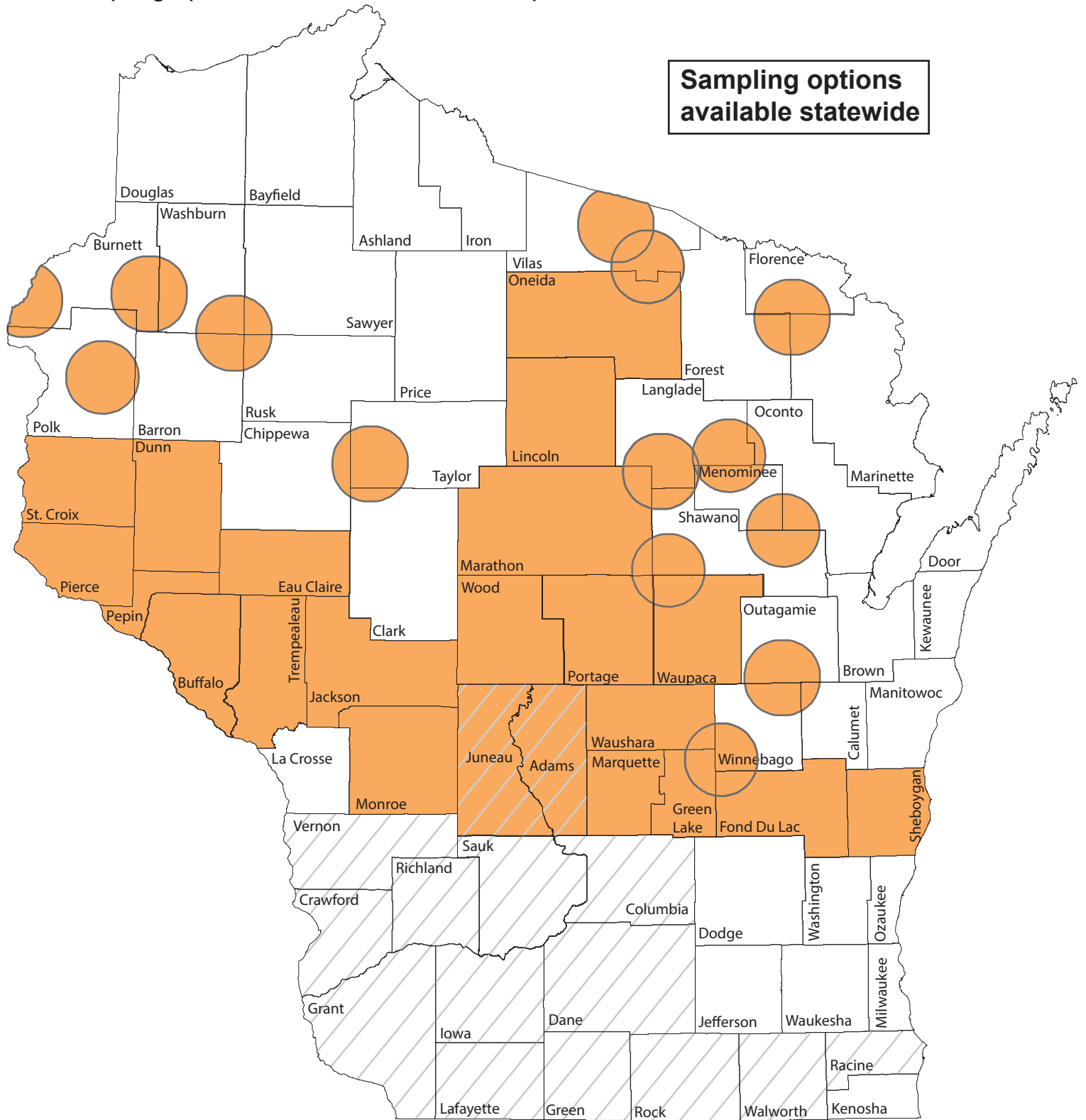
Wittenberg

For additional information on baiting and feeding regulations, carcass disposal, and CWD please see:
<https://dnr.wisconsin.gov/newsroom/release/62956>

DNR CWD Sampling Needs for 2024

CWD sampling is available statewide. However, we are especially interested in receiving more samples from the priority areas to further understand disease levels and distribution.

-  **Priority:** Additional sampling needed near recent wild and/or captive CWD positives
-  Sampling options available for hunter request
-  >5% of deer tested from 2022-2023 were CWD+, sampling options available for hunter request



2024 Wisconsin Hunting And Trapping Seasons



Get your regulations up to one month before they're available in print at dnr.wisconsin.gov! Seasons may be subject to change. Consult the hunting regulations or dnr.wisconsin.gov before hunting.

DEER

Archery & Crossbow	Sept. 14, 2024-Jan. 5, 2025*
Youth Deer Hunt	Oct. 5-6
Gun Deer Hunt For Hunters with Disabilities ▲	Oct. 5-13
Gun	Nov. 23-Dec. 1
Muzzleloader	Dec. 2-Dec. 11
Statewide Antlerless-only Hunt	Dec. 12-15
Antlerless-only Holiday Hunt	Dec. 24-Jan. 1, 2025**

* Archery & Crossbow season closes on Jan. 31, 2025 in metro subunits and select DMUs. See page 11 of the hunting regulations for participating counties.

▲ Not a statewide season. More information is available at dnr.wisconsin.gov, search "disabled deer hunt."

** Open only in select Farmland (zone 2) counties; see regulations for open counties.

ELK

Clam Lake Elk Management Zone	
Archery, Crossbow, Firearm	Oct. 12-Nov. 10 & Dec. 12-20

*Licenses awarded by drawing. Only bull elk may be harvested.

GAME BIRDS

Pheasant

Statewide	Oct. 19 (9 AM)-Jan. 5, 2025
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Bobwhite Quail

Statewide	Oct. 19 (9 AM)-Dec. 11
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Hungarian Partridge

Statewide*	Oct. 19 (9 AM)-Jan. 5, 2025
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*Closed in Clark, Marathon and Taylor counties

Ruffed Grouse

Zone A	Sept. 14-Jan. 5, 2025
Zone B	Oct. 19-Dec. 8

Sharp-tailed Grouse

2024 season under review

Crow

Statewide	Nov. 23-Mar. 26, 2025
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SMALL GAME

Cottontail Rabbit

Northern Zone	Sept. 14-Feb. 28, 2025
Southern Zone	Oct. 19 (9 AM)-Feb. 28, 2025

Squirrels (Gray & Fox)

Statewide	Sept. 14-Feb. 28, 2025
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TURKEY

Youth Turkey Hunt		Apr. 13 & 14
Open Zones		
Spring	Period A	Apr. 17-23
	Period B	Apr. 24-30
	Period C	May 1-7
	Period D	May 8-14
	Period E	May 15-21
	Period F	May 22-28
Fall	Statewide	Sept. 14-Nov. 22
	Zones 1-5	Nov. 23, 2024-Jan. 5 2025

BEAR

Zones C, E and F:

Sept. 4-Oct. 8	
• with aid of bait	
• with all other legal methods not using dogs	

Zones A, B, and D:

Sept. 4-10	
• with aid of bait	
• with all other legal methods not using dogs	
Sept. 11-Oct. 1	
• with aid of dogs	
• with aid of bait	
• with all other legal methods	
Oct. 2-8	
• with aid of dogs only	

MIGRATORY BIRDS

Early Canada Goose

Statewide	Sept. 1-15
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Early Teal

Statewide	Sept. 1-9
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Duck

Youth:	Sept. 14-15
Northern Zone:	Sept. 21-Nov. 19
Southern Zone:	Sept. 28-Oct. 6 and Oct. 12-Dec. 1
Open Water Zone:	Oct. 12- Dec. 10

Regular Goose

Northern Zone:	Sept. 16-Dec. 16
Southern and Mississippi River Zones:	Sept. 16-Oct. 6, Oct. 12-Dec 1, and Dec. 21-Jan. 9, 2025

Woodcock

Statewide	Sept. 21-Nov. 4
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Morning Dove

Statewide	Sept. 1-Nov. 29
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FURBEARERS

Coyote

Hunting	Year-round
Trapping	Oct. 19-Feb. 15, 2025

Beaver

Trapping Only

Zone A (Northwest)	Nov. 2-Apr. 30, 2025
Zone B (Northeast)	Nov. 2-Apr. 30, 2025
Zone C (South)	Nov. 2-Mar. 31, 2025
Zone D (Mississippi River)	Day after the duck season closes-Mar. 15, 2025

Mink & Muskrat

Trapping Only

Northern Zone	Oct. 19-Apr. 15, 2025
Central Zone	Oct. 26-Mar. 22, 2025
Southern Zone	Nov. 2-Mar. 15, 2025
Mississippi River Zone	Nov. 11-Mar. 9, 2025

Fox (Red & Gray)

Hunting & Trapping	Oct. 19-Feb. 15, 2025
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Bobcat

Hunting & Trapping - Permits Required

Period 1	Oct. 19-Dec. 25
Period 2	Dec. 26-Jan. 31, 2025

Fisher

Trapping Only - Permits Required

Various Zones	Oct. 19-Jan. 5, 2025
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Otter

Trapping Only - Permits Required

North Zone	Nov. 2-Apr. 30, 2025
South Zone	Nov. 2-Mar. 31, 2025

Raccoon

Hunting & Trapping

Resident	Oct. 19-Feb. 15, 2025
Non-resident	Nov. 2-Feb. 15, 2025

Opossum, Skunk, Weasel, Porcupine, Woodchuck, & Snowshoe Hare

No season limits, bag limits, size limits or possession limits, but a license is required.

PROTECTED SPECIES

Hunting protected species-such as badger, jackrabbit, moose and flying squirrel-is prohibited. See Ch. NR 10.02 for more details.

GET IN THE GAME!

Mentored Hunting Licenses

Adults and youth who have not completed hunter education may hunt through the Mentored Hunting Program. Visit dnr.wisconsin.gov and search "mentored hunting" for more information.

Mentored Trapping Licenses

Youth ages 16-17 and adults who have not completed trapper education may trap through the Mentored Trapping program. Youth under the age of 16 may trap without a license when supervised by a licensed trapper, even if the youth has not completed trapper education. Visit dnr.wisconsin.gov and search "mentored trapping" for more information.

Reduced License Fees

Youth ages 11 and younger, first-time hunters and those who have not hunted in the preceding 10 years are eligible to purchase hunting licenses at a reduced fee. Resident hunters who recruit three first-time hunters, trappers or anglers are also eligible for reduced fees.

Permit Application Deadlines

Elk	May 31
Bobcat	Aug. 1
Fisher	Aug. 1
Sharp-tailed Grouse*	Aug. 31*
Spring Turkey	Dec. 10
Bear	Dec. 10

Timing of Drawings

Elk	Early Jun.
Bobcat	Mid-Sept.
Fisher	Mid-Sept.
Sharp-tailed Grouse*	Sept.*
Spring Turkey	Late Jan.
Bear	Early Feb.

*If season is open and permits are offered.

To check your drawing status, go to:
gowild.wi.gov

Find More Information

Visit dnr.wisconsin.gov and search "Hunt" and "Trap" for season dates, regulations, license and permit requirements, finding a place to hunt or trap and more.

Additional questions? Call the DNR Call Center toll-free: 1-888-WDNR INFO (1-888-936-7463) • local 608-266-2621
TTY Access via relay - 711

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■ Deer baiting and feeding prohibited (61 counties)

□ Deer baiting and feeding allowed

