

Hiking Trail Maps



Governor Knowles State Forest
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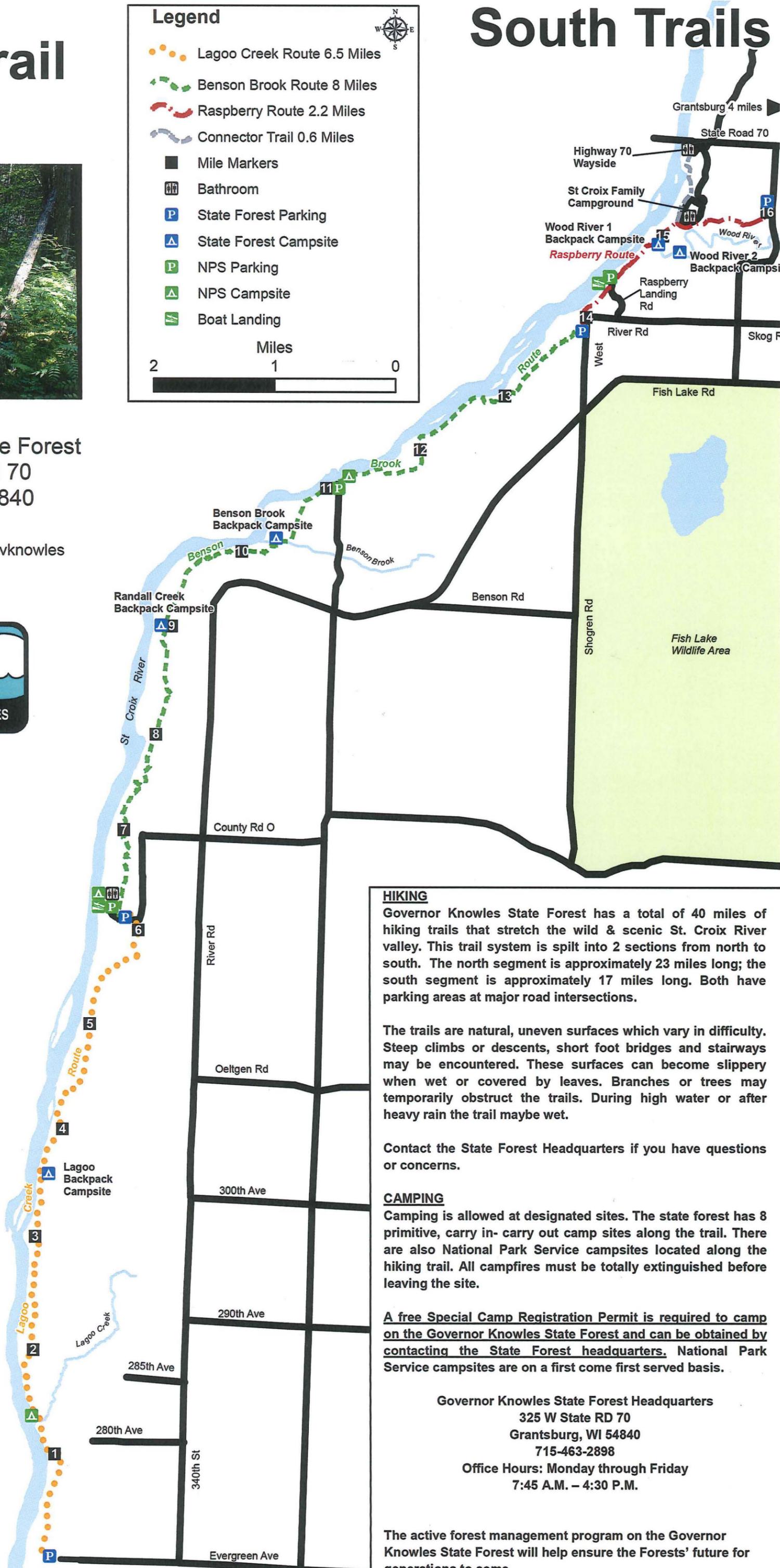
Legend

- Lagoon Creek Route 6.5 Miles
- - - - Benson Brook Route 8 Miles
- - - - Raspberry Route 2.2 Miles
- - - - Connector Trail 0.6 Miles
- Mile Markers
- 🚻 Bathroom
- P State Forest Parking
- △ State Forest Campsite
- P NPS Parking
- △ NPS Campsite
- 🚤 Boat Landing

Miles

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South Trails



HIKING

Governor Knowles State Forest has a total of 40 miles of hiking trails that stretch the wild & scenic St. Croix river valley. This trail system is split into 2 sections from north to south. The north segment is approximately 23 miles long; the south segment is approximately 17 miles long. Both have parking areas at major road intersections.

The trails are natural, uneven surfaces which vary in difficulty. Steep climbs or descents, short foot bridges and stairways may be encountered. These surfaces can become slippery when wet or covered by leaves. Branches or trees may temporarily obstruct the trails. During high water or after heavy rain the trail maybe wet.

Contact the State Forest Headquarters if you have questions or concerns.

CAMPING

Camping is allowed at designated sites. The state forest has 8 primitive, carry in- carry out camp sites along the trail. There are also National Park Service campsites located along the hiking trail. All campfires must be totally extinguished before leaving the site.

A free Special Camp Registration Permit is required to camp on the Governor Knowles State Forest and can be obtained by contacting the State Forest headquarters. National Park Service campsites are on a first come first served basis.

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 Office Hours: Monday through Friday
 7:45 A.M. – 4:30 P.M.

The active forest management program on the Governor Knowles State Forest will help ensure the Forests' future for generations to come.