

Motorized Recreation Grant Application

For: (choose all that apply)

ATV/UTV Trail Aid

Snowmobile Trail Aid

Due Date: April 15

Notice: Completion of this form is required under Wisconsin Statutes 23.09(26) and 23.33. Failure to complete this form will result in denial of financial assistance. Personally identifiable information found on this form is not intended to be used for any other purpose. The Department of Natural Resources (DNR) may provide this information to requesters as required by Wisconsin's Public Records law {ss. 19.31 – 19.39, Wis. Stats.}.

Instructions: Applications may combine more than one source of funds. They may be submitted for consideration of traditional ATV, UTV, Snowmobile and Motorized Stewardship funding. Submit one copy of all forms and attachments. See Page 2 for necessary attachments. Send applications to your [Community Services Specialist](#).

DNR Use Only	
Category	Number

Section 1: Applicant Information

Applicant / Organization Name Rusk County Forestry Department			Check Recipient: Individual other than authorized individual to act on behalf of the applicant. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Select if the same as applicant.		
Individual Authorized to Act on Behalf of Applicant per Resolution Jerrad Macholl			Check Recipient Name (Name to Appear on Check) Jerrad Macholl		
Title Rusk County Forest Administrator			Title Rusk County Forest Administrator		
Address 311 Miner Ave. East S-115			Address 311 Miner Ave. East S-115		
City Ladysmith	State WI	ZIP Code 54848	City Ladysmith	State WI	ZIP Code 54848
Telephone Number (715) 532-2113		Email Address jmacholl@ruskcountywi.us			

Section 2: Project Information Required for all Projects

Project Title Bucks Lake ATV Trail New Development					Current Funded Miles 32.0	New Miles (if applicable) 7.5
County Rusk	Township 36 N	Range 9	Section NW	¼ ¼ NW	¼ NW	GPS Coordinates: Lat. _____ Long. _____

Project Description Summary
The project consists of developing 7.5 miles of new ATV-UTV trail. Development will include, clearing, grubbing, and placing of suitable trail bed material. Drainage issues along the trail will be addressed with the application of culverts, diversionary berms, and ground shaping. This trail will allow riders access to some of Rusk County's most scenic Blue Hills landscapes.

I certify that all maintenance land use agreements are on file.

Estimated Cost

Maintenance	Acquisition	Insurance	Development \$630,950.00	Bridge Rehab.	Trail Rehab.	Total Estimated Cost \$630,950.00
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Applicant Certification

Printed Name of Authorized Official	Official's Title
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As the applicant's authorized official, I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information in this application is true and correct.


Signature of Authorized Official

4-13-23
Date Prepared

Appendix B – Required for Trail/Qualified Trout Rehab, Reroute, or Development

Trail Rehab Qualified Trout New Trail Trail Reroute (Mandatory or Discretionary)

County	Township	Range	Section	1/4	1/4	GPS Coordinates: Lat. Long.
Rusk	36 N	9				

Funded Trail Name or Number (SNARS if applicable)	Has this trail ever received development or rehabilitation funds in the past? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	Year: _____ \$ _____
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Trail is located on: <input type="radio"/> Private property <input checked="" type="radio"/> Public property	Length of Easement or Landowner Use Agreement Perpetual _____ years	Expiration Date
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Landowner Where Trail is Located Rusk County Forest Land	Telephone Number (715) 532-2113
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What other recreational trail uses are planned for this trail?
Trail use is for ATV only.
If there are other Recreational uses planned, how much of the trail development/rehab. cost will be paid for by other users?
N.A.

How many miles would be affected if this project is not funded? 0	Will this result in closure of a trail? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
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Is this a critical section to the overall trail system? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Is there a reasonable alternative?
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Does any section of this trail contain a bridge? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	Will this bridge require rehabilitation now or in the next few years? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	What is the weight of your puller & drag/grading equipment? lbs.
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- Yes No Have you contacted your local [DNR Water Management Specialist \(WMS\)](#) regarding a permit?
- Yes No Is a permit needed? (Please provide any written correspondence from WMS.)
- Yes No Will this project be located near or cross any intermittent or perennial waterway? [Surface Water Data Viewer](#)
- Yes No Will this project be located near or cross any wetland?
- Yes No Will this project involve land disturbance – including clearing and grubbing – of 1 acre or more of land? (Less than 4/10th mile for a typical trail) [DNR Storm Water Contact List](#)

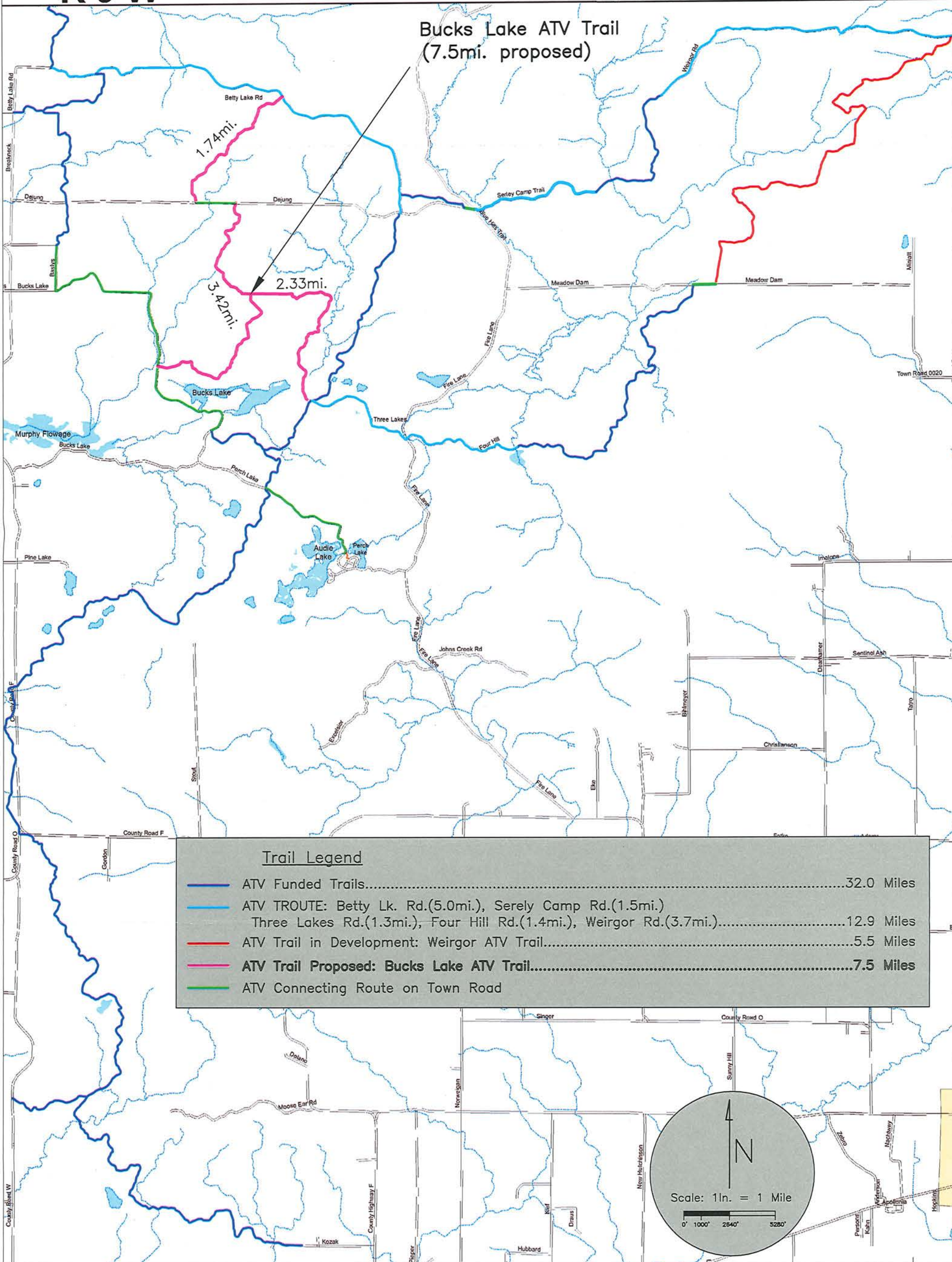
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ATV Trail Development Bucks Lake ATV Trail Map

R 9 W

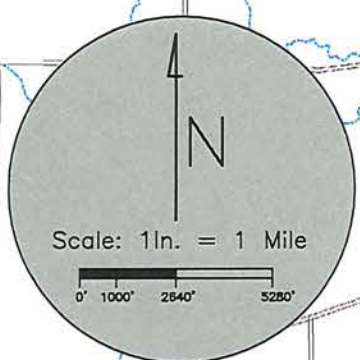
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Bucks Lake ATV Trail
(7.5mi. proposed)



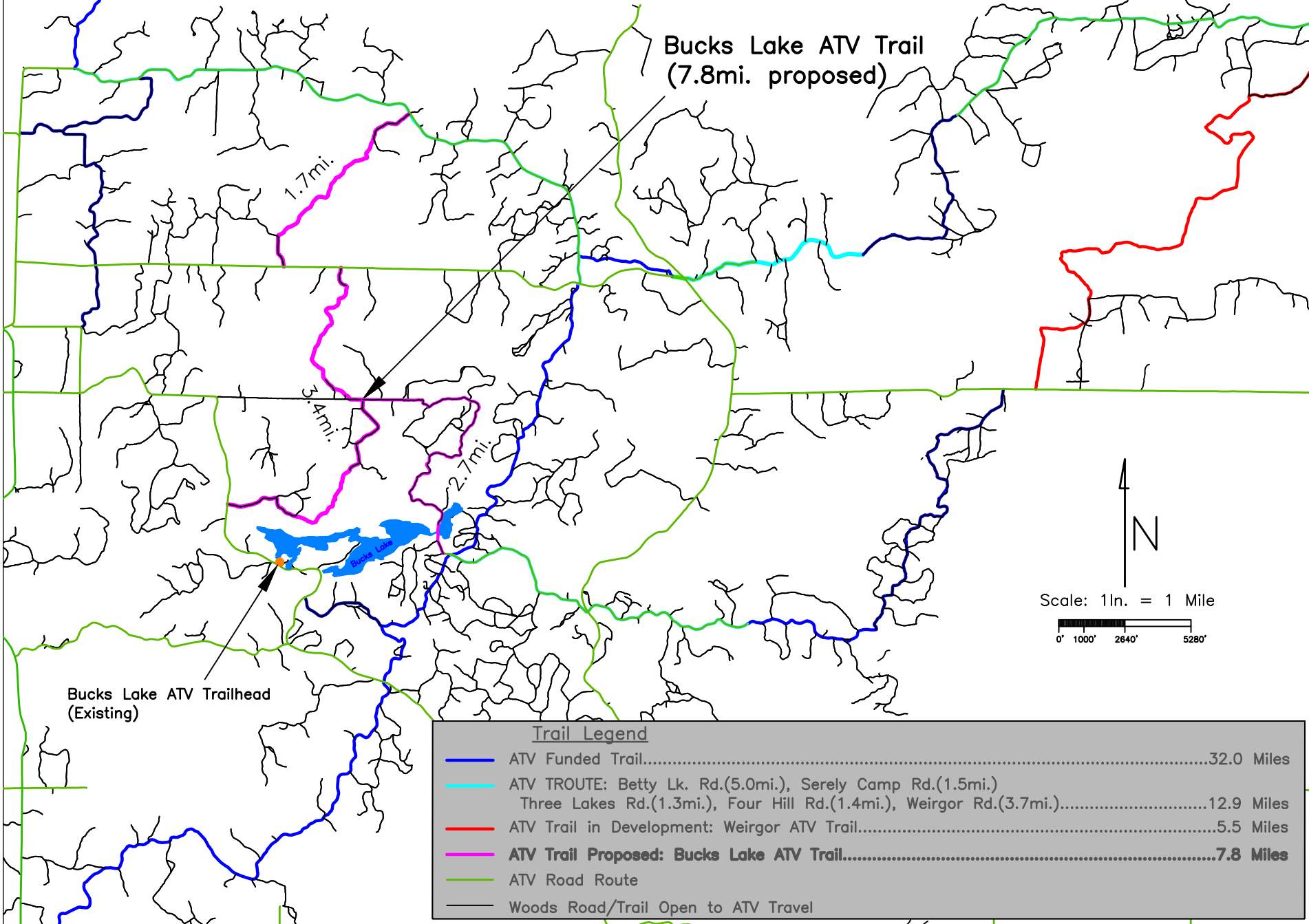
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	ATV Trail in Development: Weirgor ATV Trail.....	5.5 Miles
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	ATV Connecting Route on Town Road	



ATV Trail Development Bucks Lake ATV Trail Aerial Map

Bucks Lake ATV Trail
(7.8mi. proposed)



Bucks Lake ATV Trailhead
(Existing)

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— ATV Road Route	
— Woods Road/Trail Open to ATV Travel	

ATV Trail Development Bucks Lake ATV Trail Topo Map






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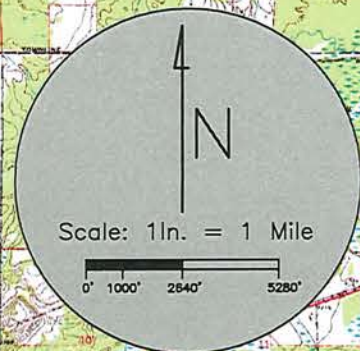
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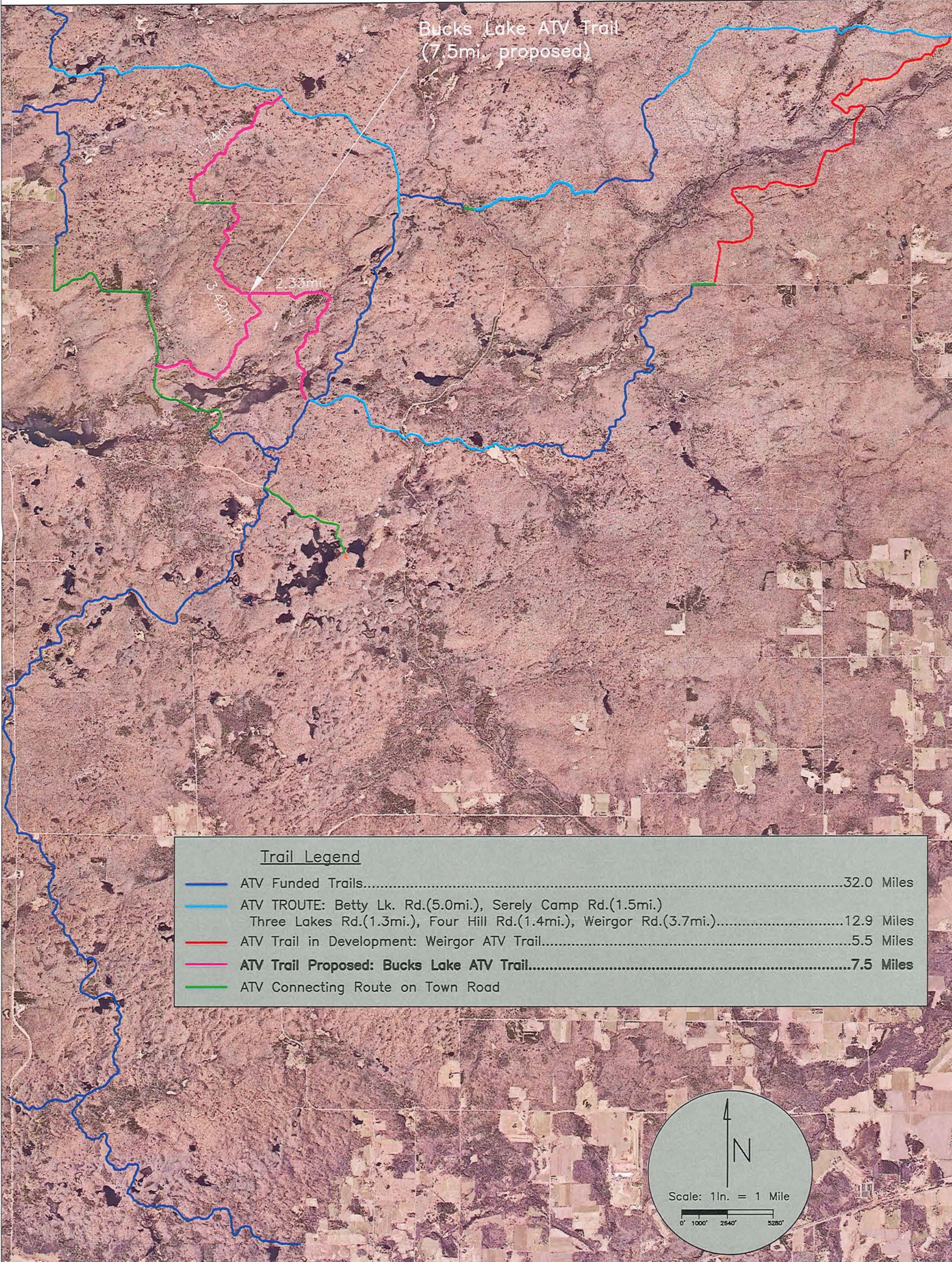
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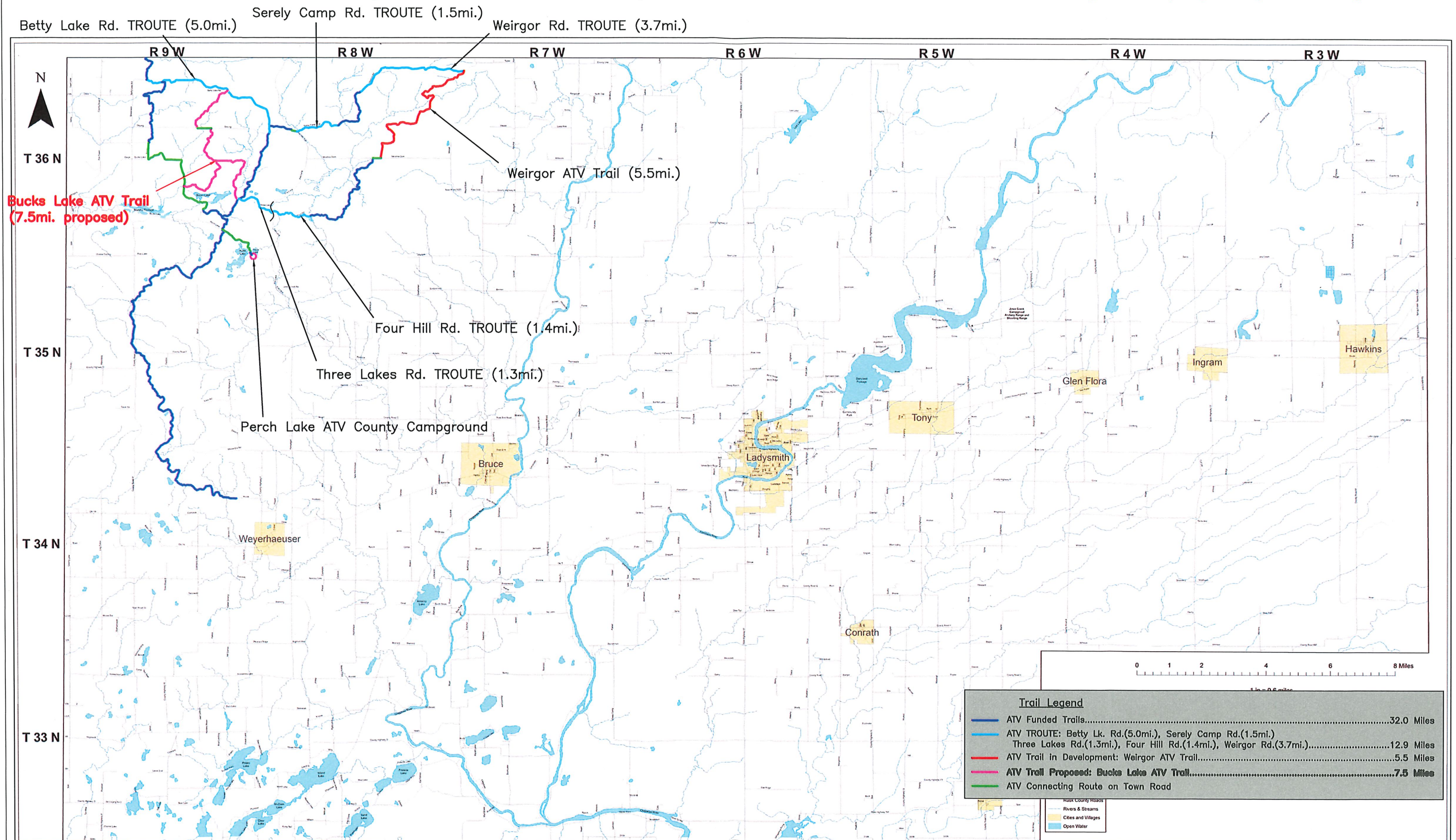
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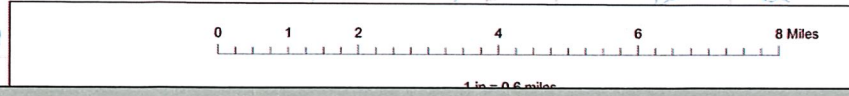
Scale: 1in. = 1 Mile

Rusk County ATV Trail Map — (3/2023)

Bucks Lake ATV Trail (7.5mi. proposed) Site Map



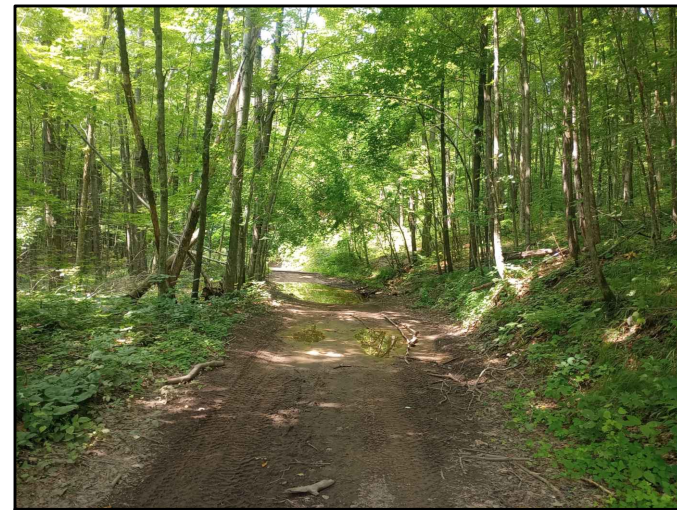
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Rusk County Roads	
	Rivers & Streams
	Cities and Villages
	Open Water



Bucks Lake Trl. Pic. 1



Bucks Lake Trl. Pic. 2



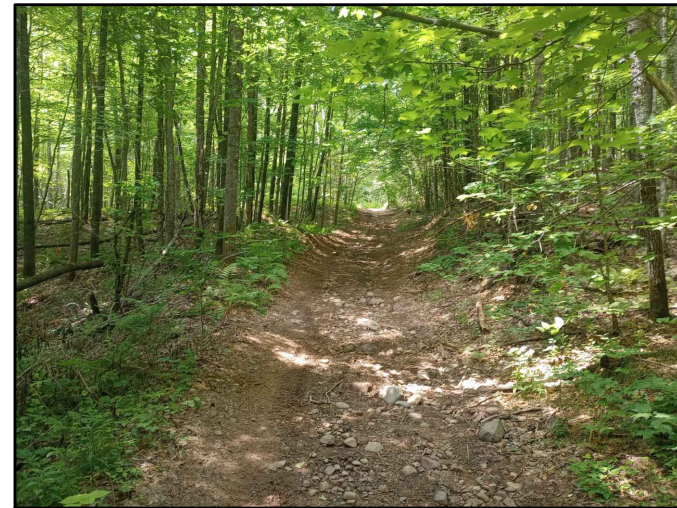
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Bucks Lake Trl. Pic. 4



Bucks Lake Trl. Pic. 5



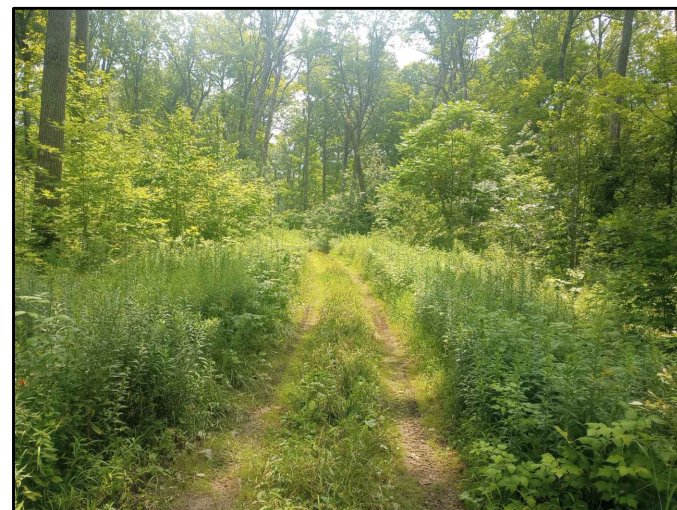
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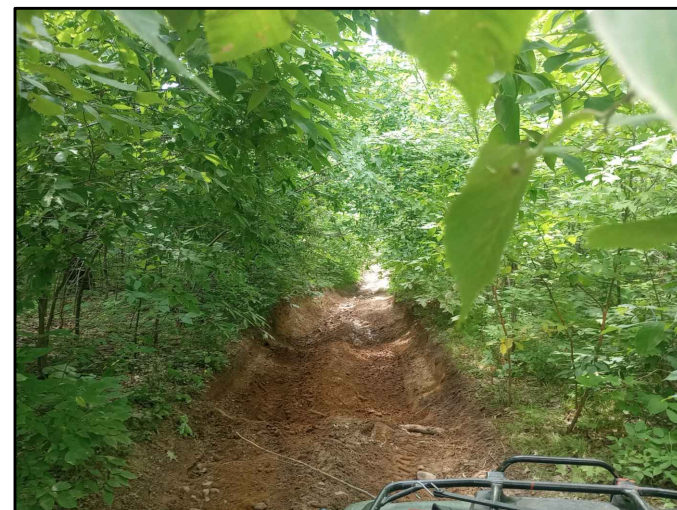
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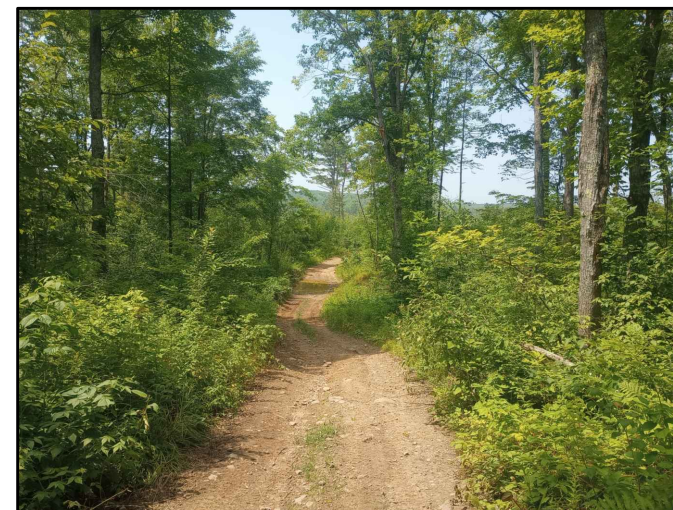
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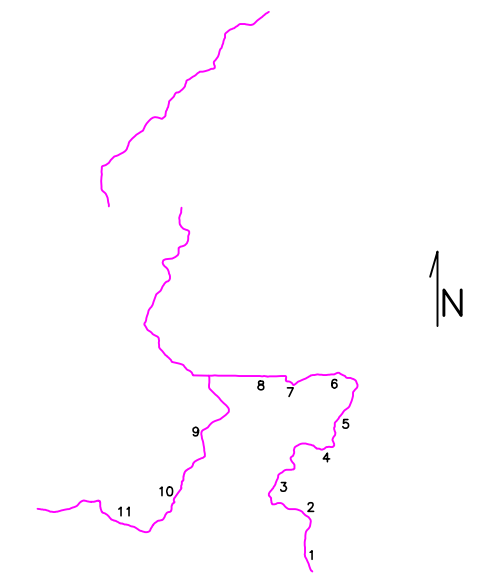
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Bucks Lake Trl. Pic. 10



Bucks Lake Trl. Pic. 11



Bucks Lake ATV Trl. Pic. Map Legend



Bucks Lake Trl. Pic. 12



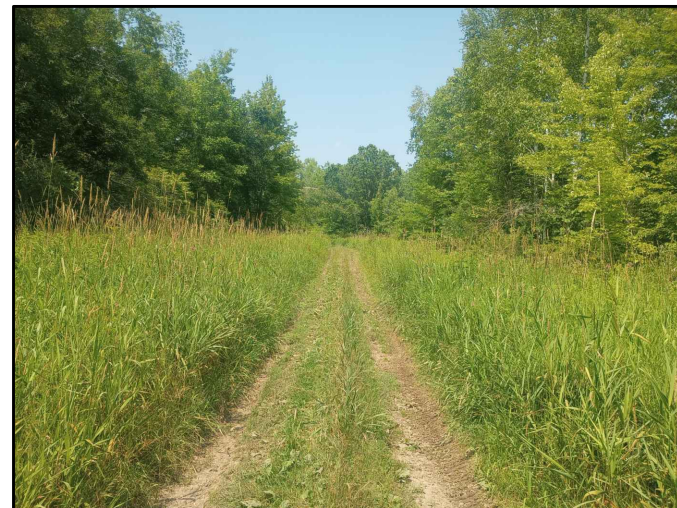
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Bucks Lake Trl. Pic. 14



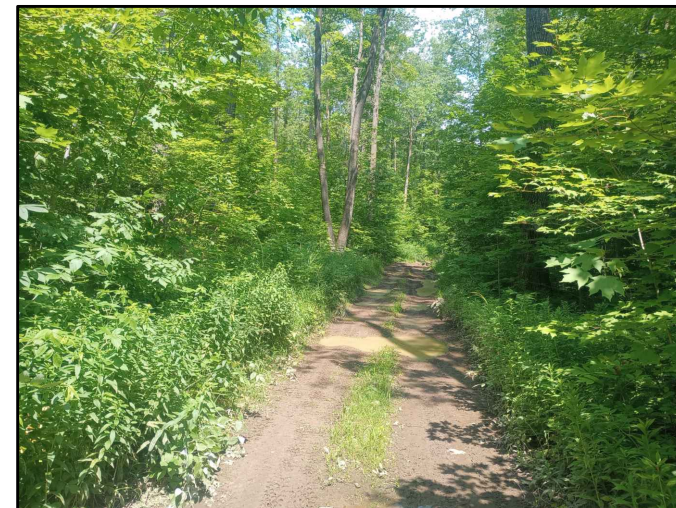
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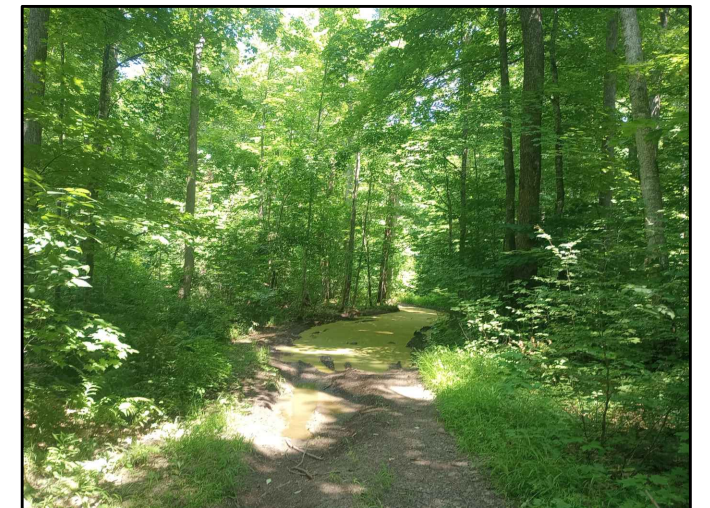
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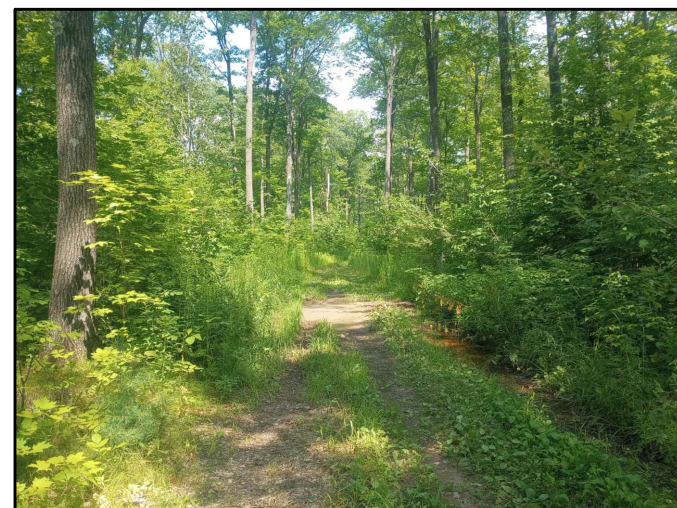
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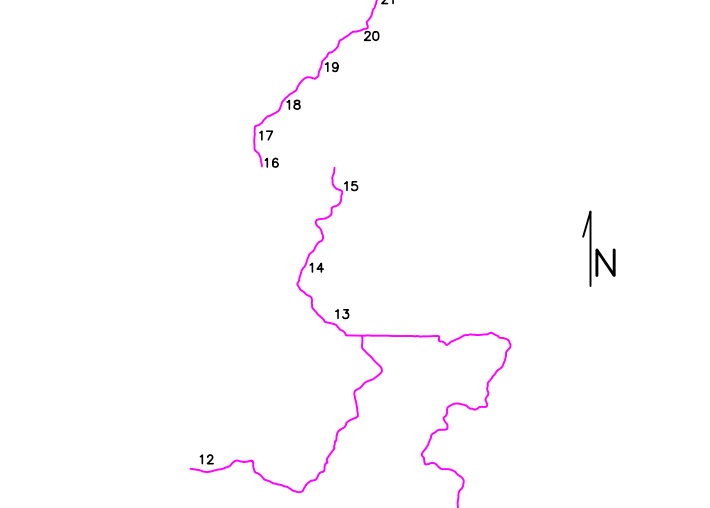
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