Welcome!

**Powell Trail System** is an easy trail that runs past Spring Pond and Sherman Lake. Powell Trail sits adjacent to the western boundary of Powell Marsh State Wildlife Area. The trail winds through an upland forest of aspen, white birch, red maple, red oak and white pine. It also encompasses grassy upland areas with numerous birding opportunities. On this trail, pets are allowed year-round. No fee or pass is required to utilize this trail.

**Trail Rules**
- A Wisconsin State Trail Pass is not required for the Powell Trail System.
- Pets are allowed on the Powell Trail System year-round.
- Carry out all litter and waste.
- No motorized vehicles allowed.
- A lost and found service is maintained at Crystal Lake and Clear Lake Visitor Stations. If lost items are found, please turn them in at one of these visitor stations. Help us return items to their rightful owners.

**General Information**
For general questions about trails or the Northern Highland American Legion State Forest, contact:
- **Powell Trailhead**
  585 West Powell Road, Town of Sherman, WI
- **Clear Lake Visitor Station**
  715-356-3668
- **Crystal Lake Visitor Station**
  715-542-3923

*Don’t forget to bring your binoculars — you’re sure to see a wide variety of bird species.*
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NOTE: Cross-country skiing allowed but trails are NOT groomed.

POWELL TRAIL LOOPS

- Red - 5.13 miles
- Blue - 4.19 miles
- Green - 1.85 miles
- Yellow - 1.87 miles

POWELL TRAIL SYSTEM

- Sandy Beach Campground
- Sandy Beach Road
- Powell Road
- Powell Marsh Road
- Sherman Lake

Local Emergency Contact Information

- Oneida County Sheriff’s Department: 715-361-5100
- Vilas County Sheriff’s Department: 715-479-4441
- Iron County Sheriff’s Department: 715-561-3800

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2. Brule River State Forest......................... 715-372-5678
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5. Peshtigo River State Forest......................... 715-757-3965
6. Black River State Forest.............................. 715-284-4103
7. Coulee Experimental State Forest............... 608-785-9007

WDNR Call Center (toll-free 7 a.m.-10 p.m.)
1-888-936-7463  •  FOR EMERGENCIES, DIAL 911
dnr.wi.gov (search keywords “state forest”)