WISCONSIN PRESERVES WHERE OPDMDs ARE PERMITTED
(WITH SOME RESTRICTIONS)

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CEDARBURG BOG

Cedarburg Bog - Ozaukee County (Cedarburg Bog Map)

- Use is permitted on all roads where motorized vehicles are permitted.
- Many of these are grassed lanes or two-track dirt roads, but not all OPDMDs would work on some portions of the roads.

CENTRAL SANDS

Central Sands Forest and Barrens (Beaver Tract Map, Buttercup Tract Map, Preston North Tract Map, Preston South Tract Map, Quincy Tract Map)

- OPDMDs are permitted on established forestry roads. Off-trail use is restricted to foot traffic only.
- Property gates are locked with a combination lock. ADA visitors who would like access may call 608-316-6444 during regular business hours to request the combination of the gate.
- If trail conditions are such that rutting or soil disturbance might occur, operator should refrain from use until conditions improve.

Page Creek Marsh (Page Creek Map)

- OPDMDs shall be permitted on the existing established road that starts at N3444 on Hwy K and goes to into the preserve.
- OPDMDs are prohibited on temporary fire breaks and foot trails.
- The preserve gate is locked with a combination lock. ADA visitors who would like access may call the local project office, 608-251-8140, during regular business hours to request the combination of the gate.

Summerton Bog (Summerton Bog Map)

- OPDMD use is prohibited except for the short stretch of land that runs with the Gas company Right of Way.
- OPDMDs may use this short stretch, but it is only a few hundred yards before the property boundary. It would afford a hunting opportunity for an ADA user.

CHIWAUKEE WEST

Chiwaukee West (Chiwaukee West Map)

- OPDMD use is permitted only on the paved trail extending east from the parking area at 12137 Sheridan Rd.

DOOR PENINSULA

Kangaroo Lake (Kangaroo Lake Map)

- Allow OPDMDs up to three feet wide on the identified trail off of Highland Road at the Judy Abert Meissner Memorial Wetland Preserve.
- If trail conditions are such that rutting or soil disturbance might occur, operator will refrain from use until conditions improve.

Mink River Estuary (Mink River Map)

- Allow OPDMDs up to 5 feet wide on the trail from the east parking lot to the river and from the Juice Mill entrance to the research station.
- A maximum speed of 5mph must be adhered to.
- If trail conditions are such that rutting or soil disturbance might occur, operator will refrain from use until conditions improve.
- ADA visitors who would like access may call the local project office, 920-743-8695, during regular business hours to request the gate lock combination, which changes periodically.

MILITARY RIDGE PRAIRIE HERITAGE AREA

Barneveld Prairie (Barneveld Prairie Map)

- ATVs and UTVs are allowed on established farm lanes and maintained mowed path per map.
- If road conditions are such that damage or rutting will occur, operator will refrain from use until conditions improve.

Thomson Memorial Prairie (Thomson Memorial Prairie Map)

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MUKWONAGO RIVER WATERSHED

Crooked Creek Preserve (Crooked Creek Map)

- OPDMDs shall be permitted on the main, gravel driveway.
- The trails drop steeply beyond the gravel driveway and are inaccessible to OPDMDs.
- ADA visitors who would like access may call the local project office, 262-642-7276, during regular business hours to request the combination of the gate and also condition of the trails.

Lulu Lake Preserve (Lulu Lake Map)

- At the southern unit OPDMDs shall be permitted on the existing gravel road that starts at the preserve entrance on Nature Road and goes to the Mukwonago River lookout and to the lake. ADA visitors who would like access may call the local project office, 262-642-7276, during regular business hours to request the combination of the gate, which changes monthly, and also condition of the trails.
- At the northern unit, OPDMDs shall be permitted on the existing paved road that starts at the preserve entrance on Highway LO and goes to the turnaround inside the preserve.
- OPDMDs are prohibited on other maintenance roads, fire breaks, and foot trails.

Newell and Ann Meyer Nature Preserve (Newell and Ann Meyer Nature Preserve Map)

- OPDMDs shall be permitted on the preserve driveway and established trails (the marked Priebe Family trail). Vehicles may drive on the driveway up to the buildings.
- OPDMDs are prohibited off the identified trails.
- On the trails, OPDMDs will be restricted to a maximum width of a standard ATV.
- ADA visitors who would like access may call the local project office, 262-642-7276, during regular business hours to request the combination of the gate and the condition of the trails.

Pickerel Lake Fen Preserve (Pickerel Lake Fen Map)

- OPDMDs shall be permitted on existing gravel roads at the preserve.
- Conditions must be dry on the roads so as to not cause damage to roads.
- ADA visitors who would like access may call the local project office, 262-642-7276, during regular business hours to request the combination of the gate and also condition of the trails.

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Bass Lake (Bass Lake Map)

- OPDMDs may be used on the established forest woods road but not on foot trails or undeveloped areas of the property.

Caroline Lake (Caroline Lake Map)

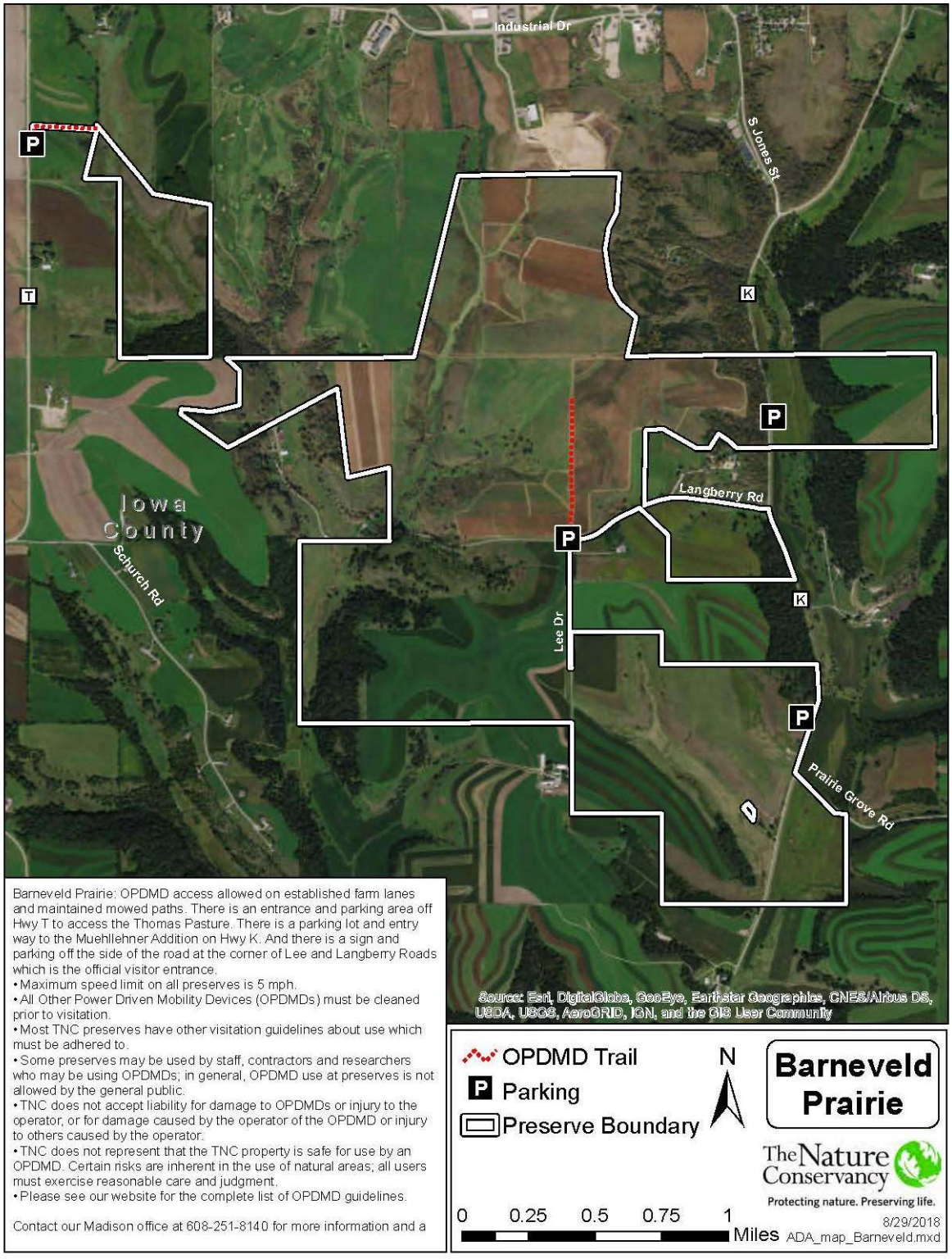
- OPDMDs shall be permitted on the public Caroline Lake Road, which goes through the property, and on Caroline Lake.
- Use of OPDMDs is prohibited on all trails and interior of preserve due to safety and environmental impacts of OPDMDs.

Catherine Wolter Wilderness Area (Catherine Wolter Wilderness Area Map)

- OPDMD use is allowed on established old logging roads but prohibited in the undeveloped areas.
- The parking lot has a gated combination lock at the trail head. ADA visitors who would like access may call the local project office, 715-358-6305, during regular business hours to obtain the gate combination.

MAPS

Barneveld Prairie Map



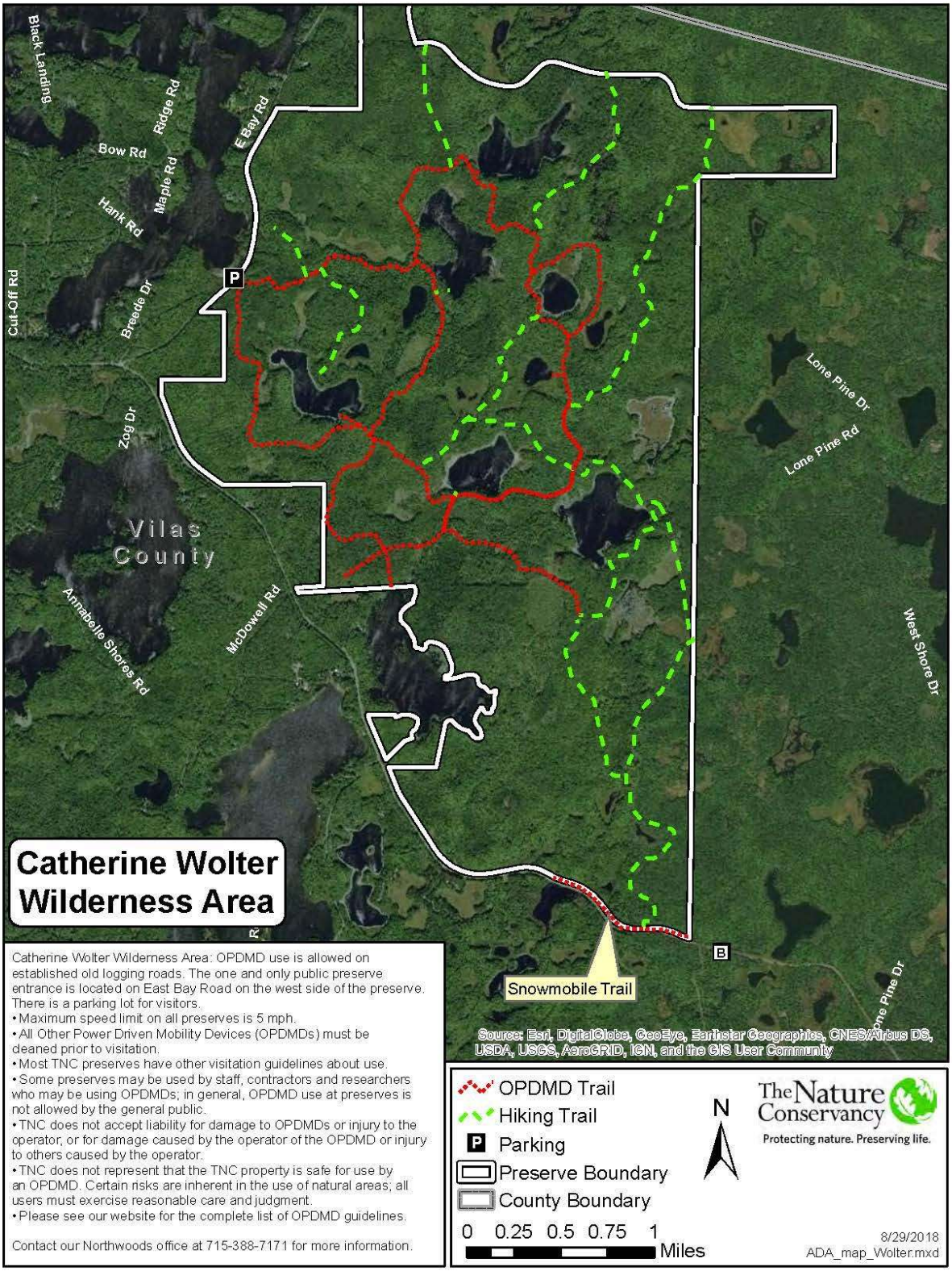
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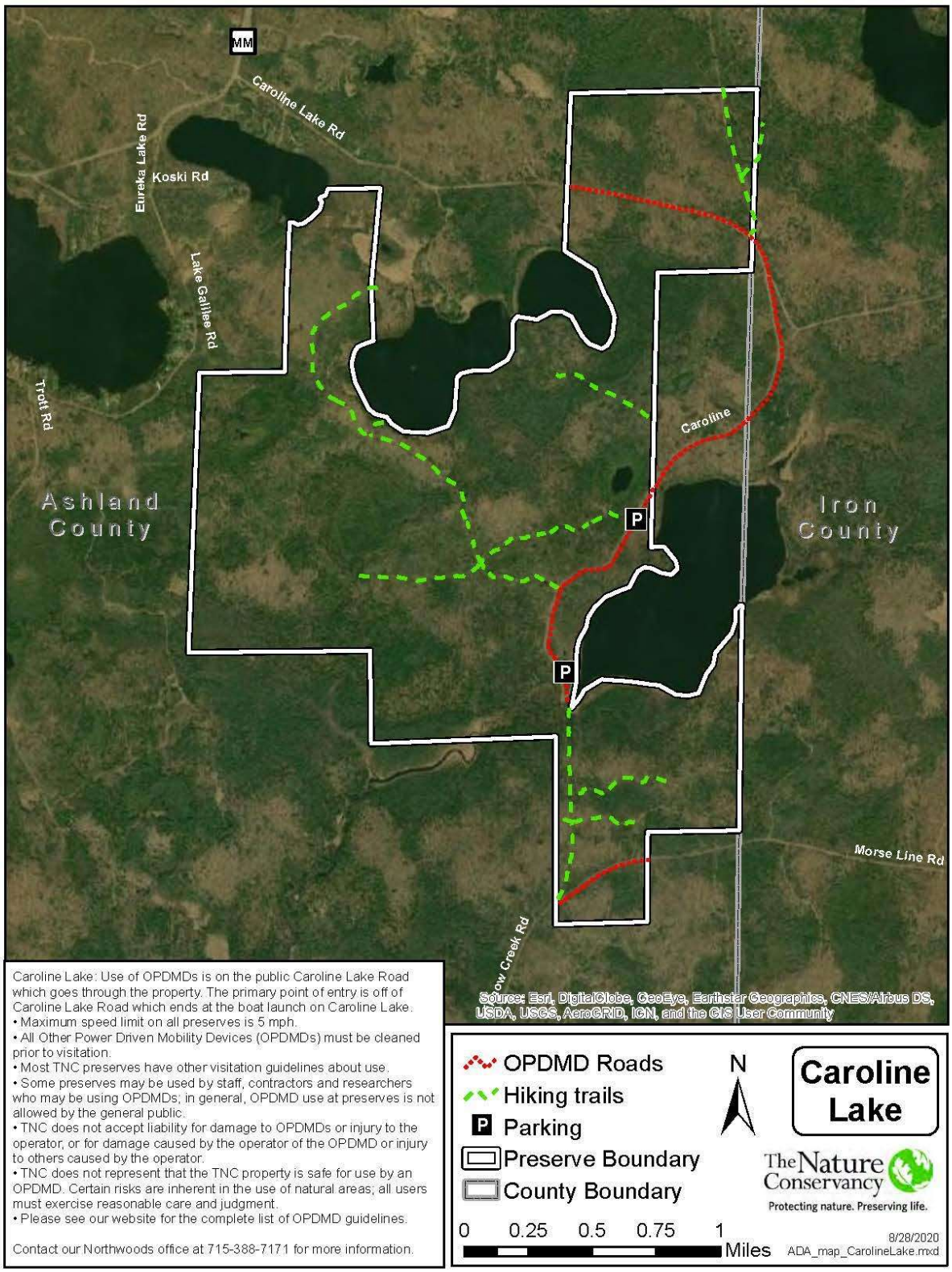
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Catherine Wolter Wilderness Area Map



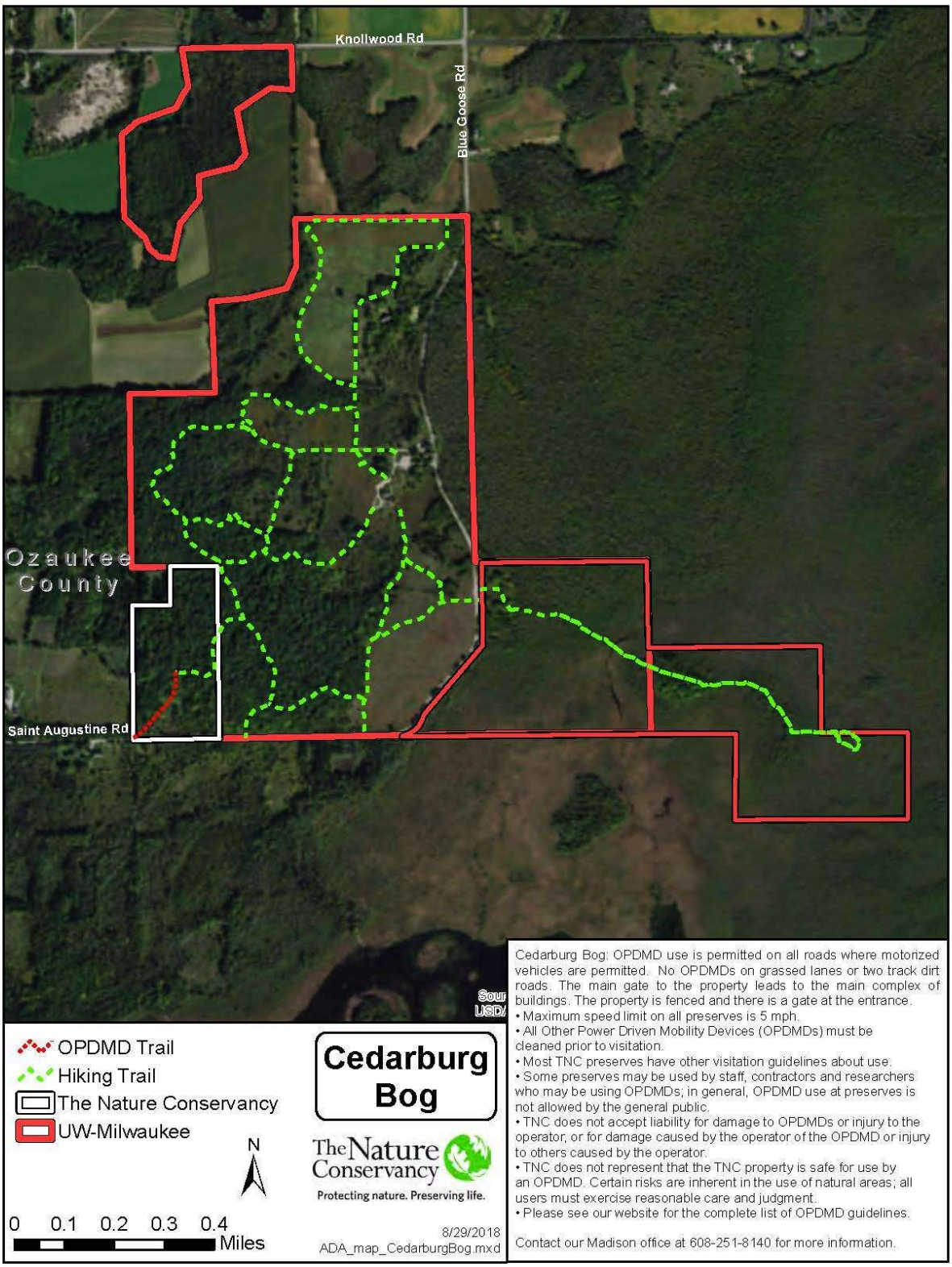
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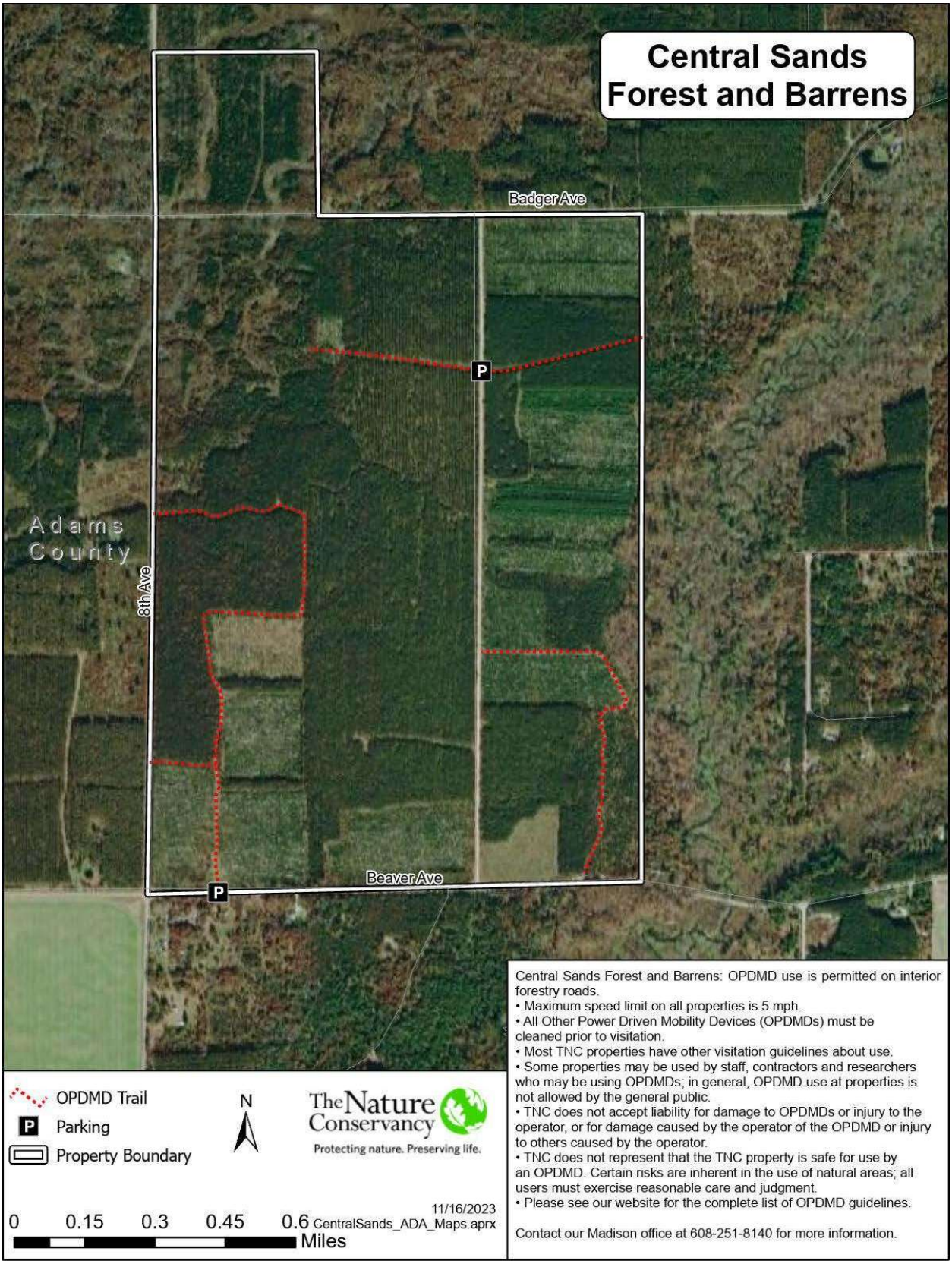
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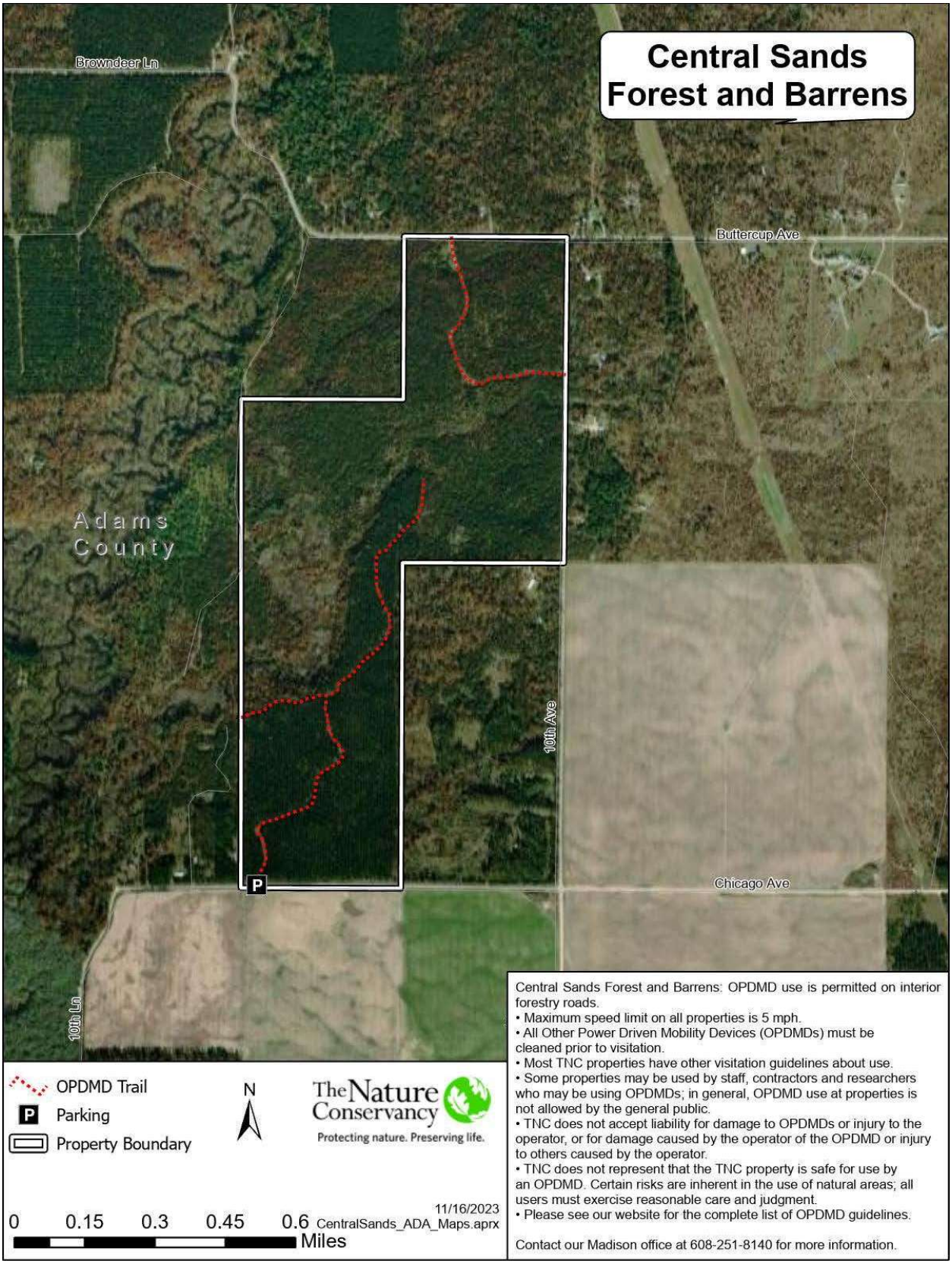
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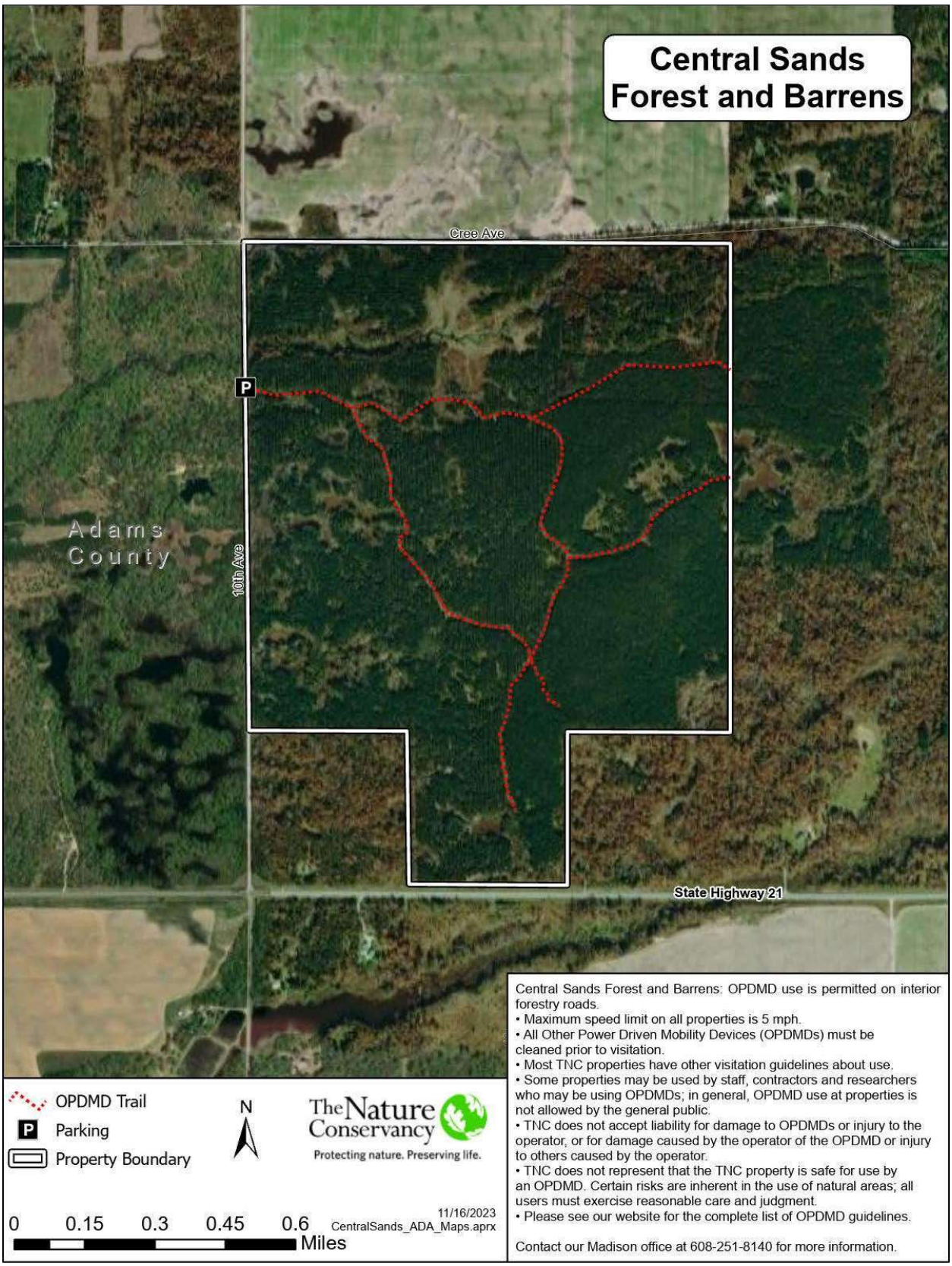
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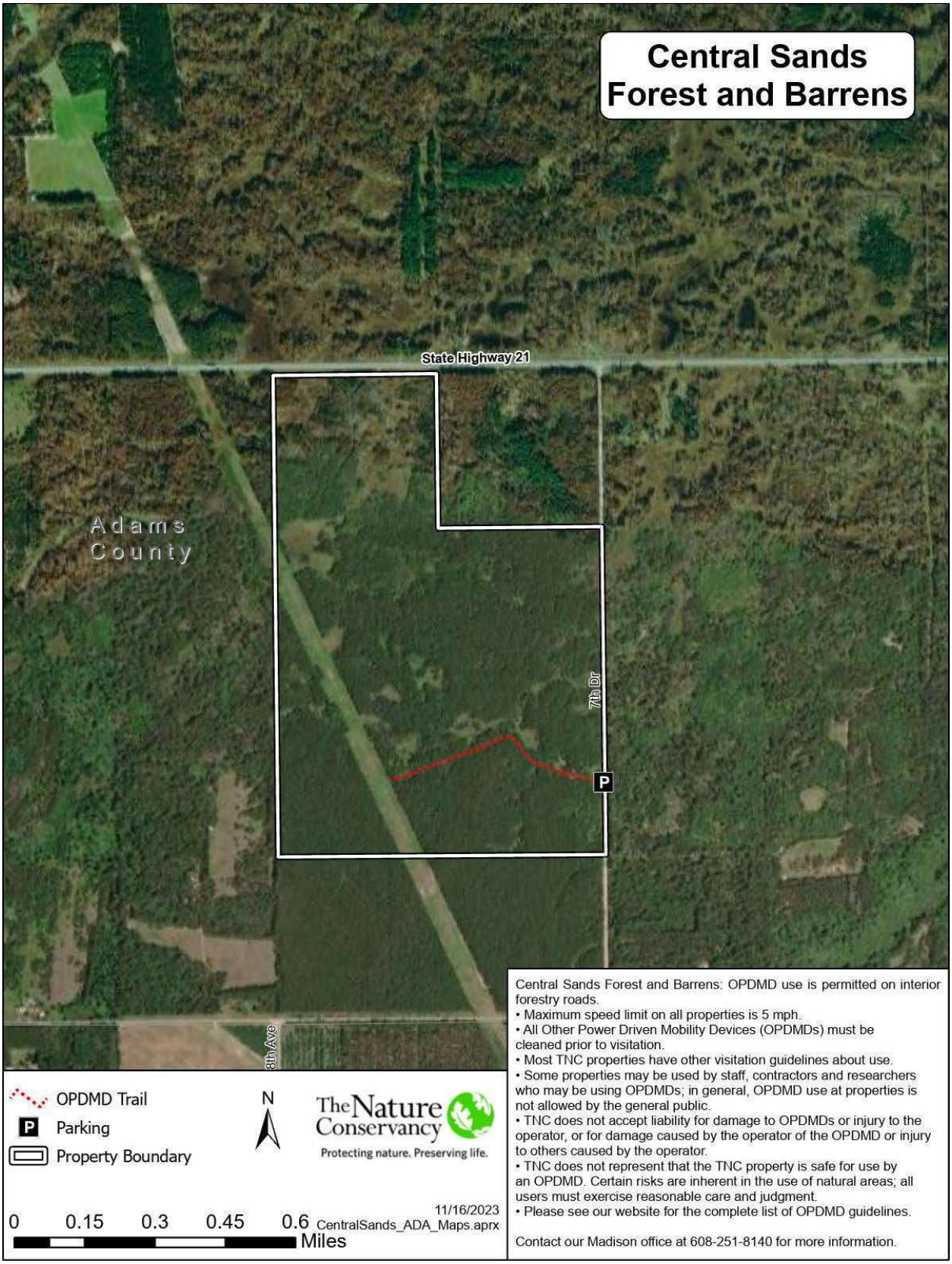


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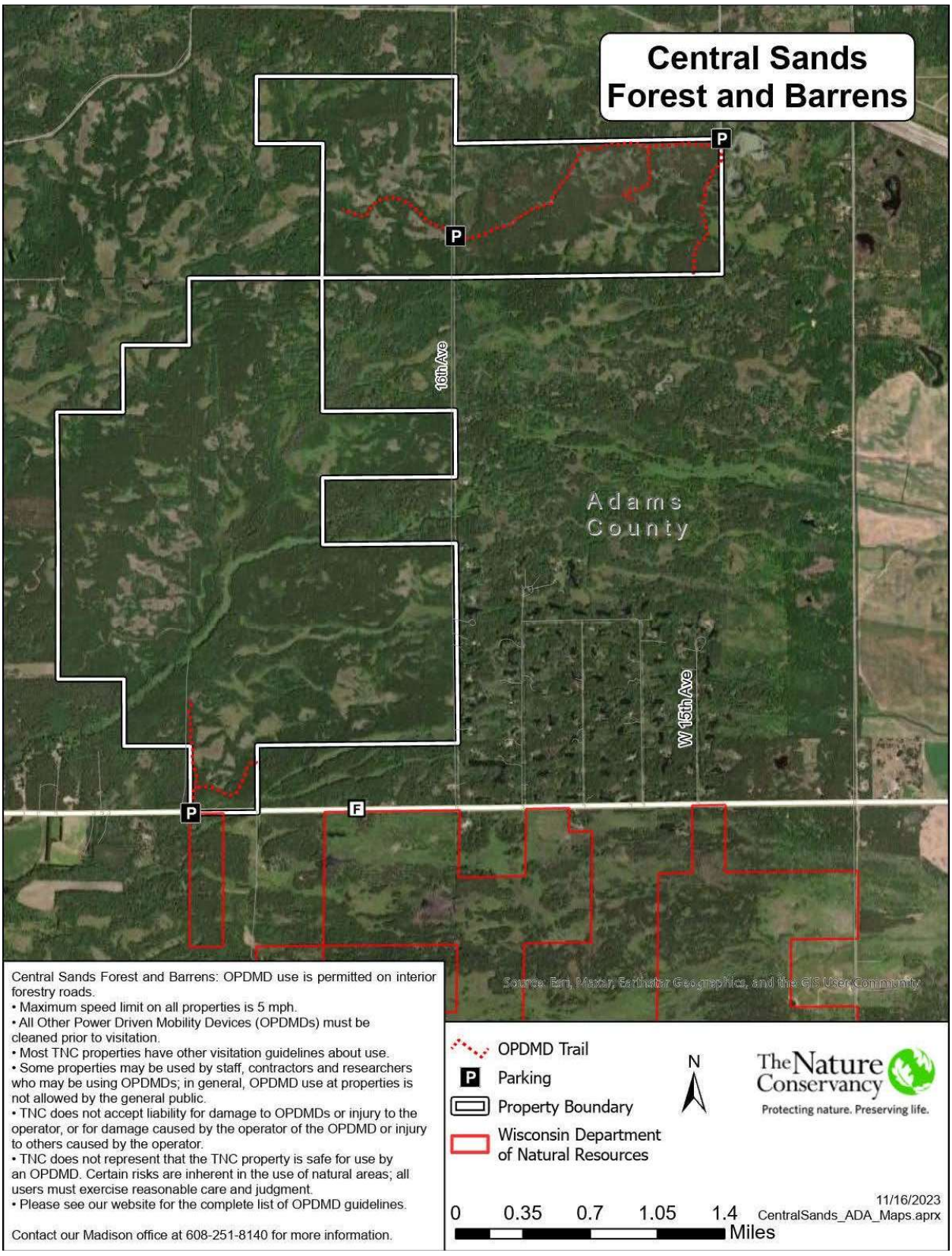
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Central Sands Map – Preston South Tract

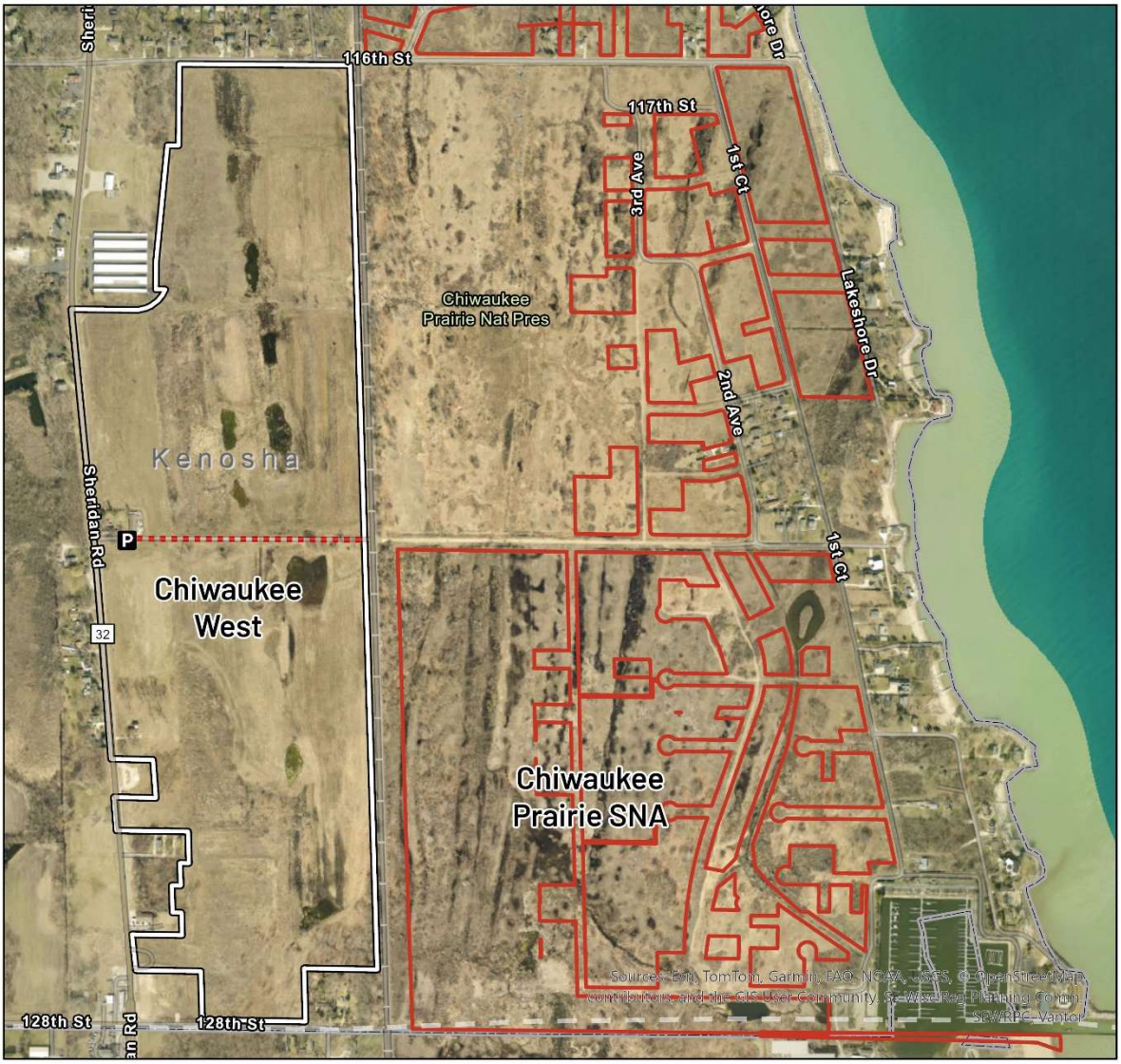


Central Sands Map – Quincy Tract



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Chiwaukee West Map



Chiwaukee West: OPDMD use is permitted only on the paved trail extending east from the parking area at 12137 Sheridan Rd.
- Maximum speed limit on all preserves is 5 mph.
- All Other Power Driven Mobility Devices (OPDMDs) must be cleaned prior to visitation.
- Most TNC preserves have other visitation guidelines about use which must be adhered to.
- Some preserves may be used by staff, contractors and researchers who may be using OPDMDs; in general, OPDMD use at preserves is not allowed by the general public.
- A person using an OPDMD on TNC property may be asked to provide credible assurance that the OPDMD is required because of the person's disability.
- TNC does not accept liability for damage to OPDMDs or injury to the operator, or for damage caused by the operator of the OPDMD or injury to others caused by the operator.
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- Please see our website for the complete list of OPDMD guidelines.

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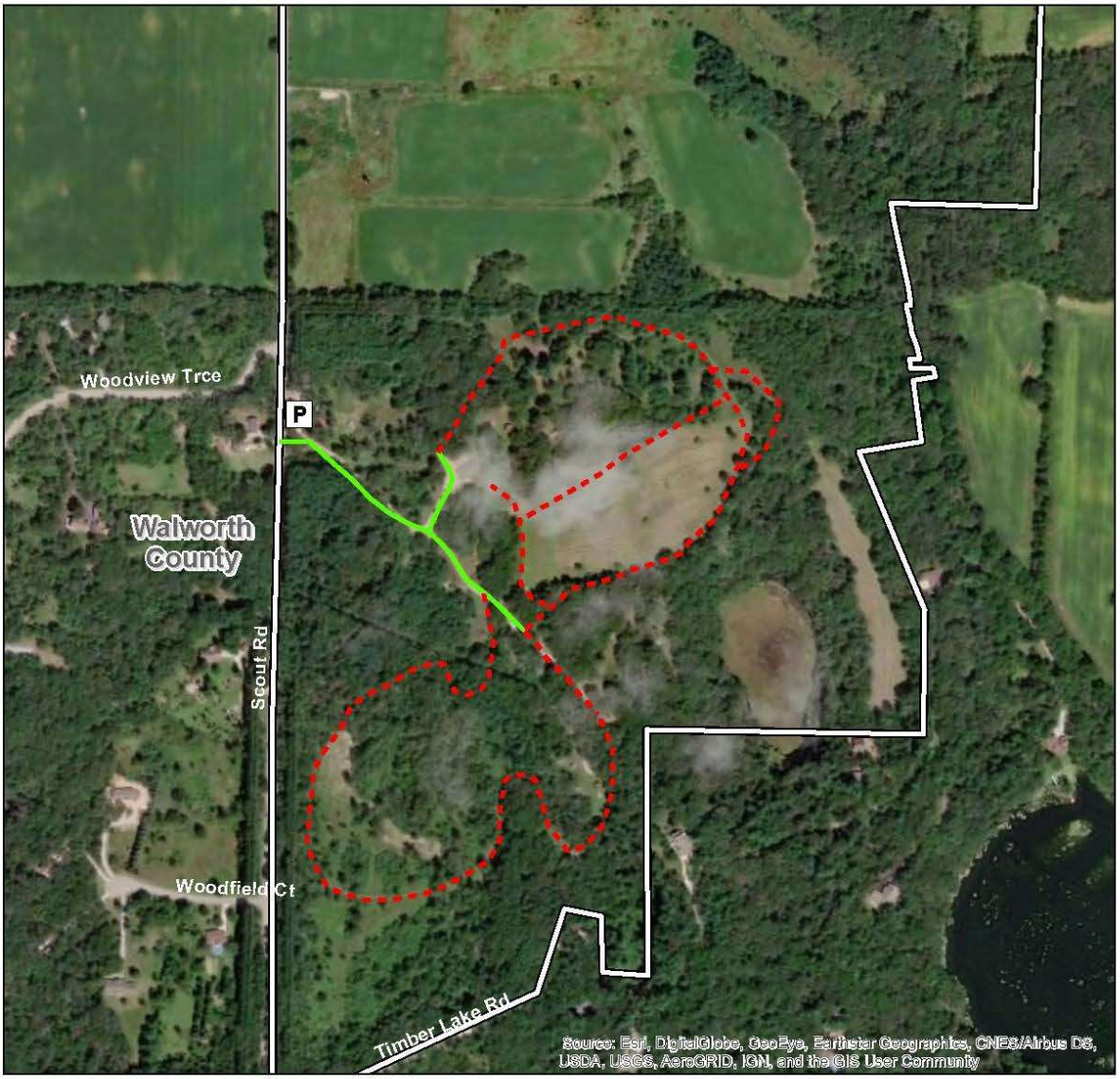
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Crooked Creek Map



Crooked Creek: Use OPDMDs only on main, gravel driveway.
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Crooked Creek

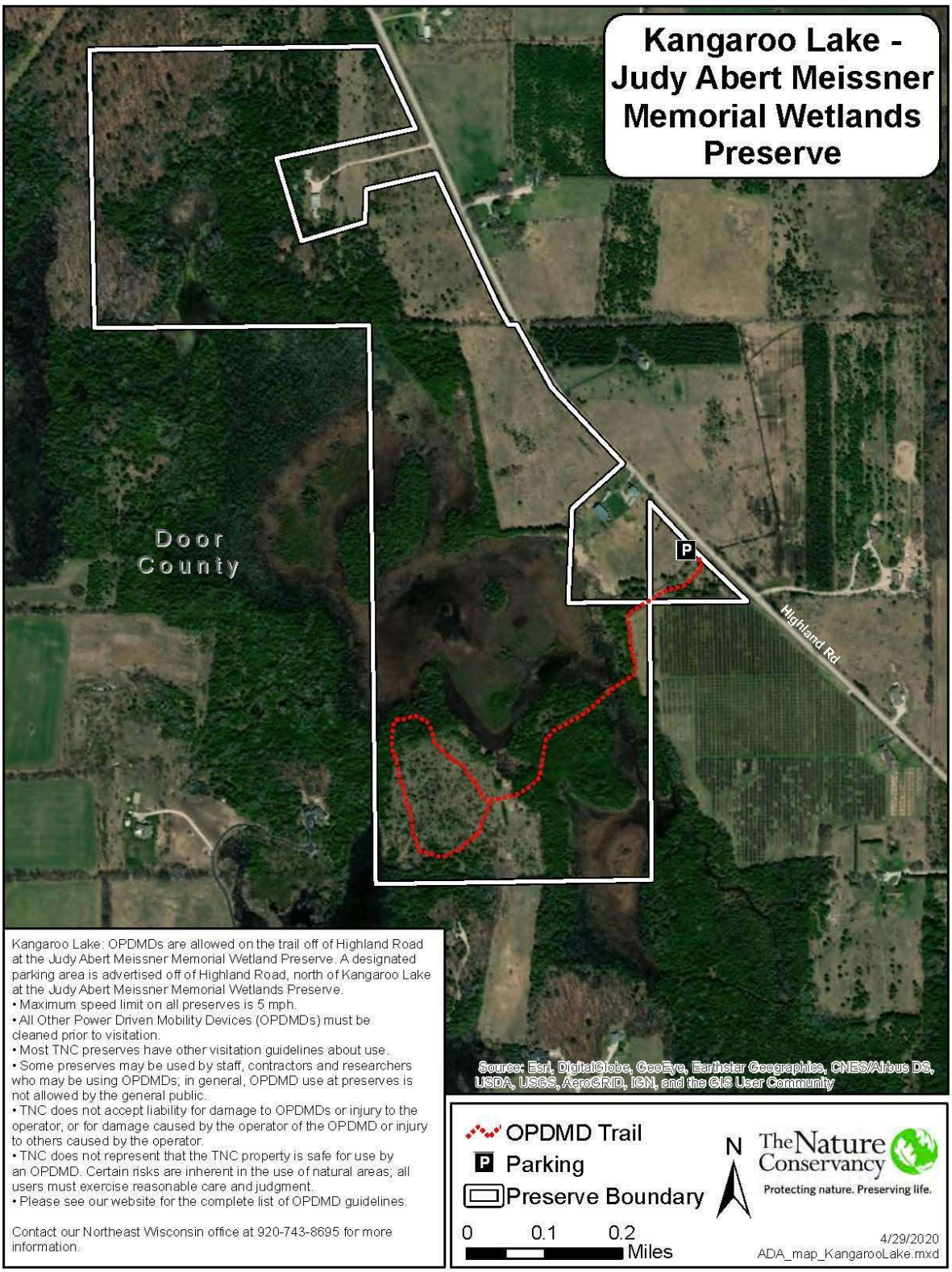
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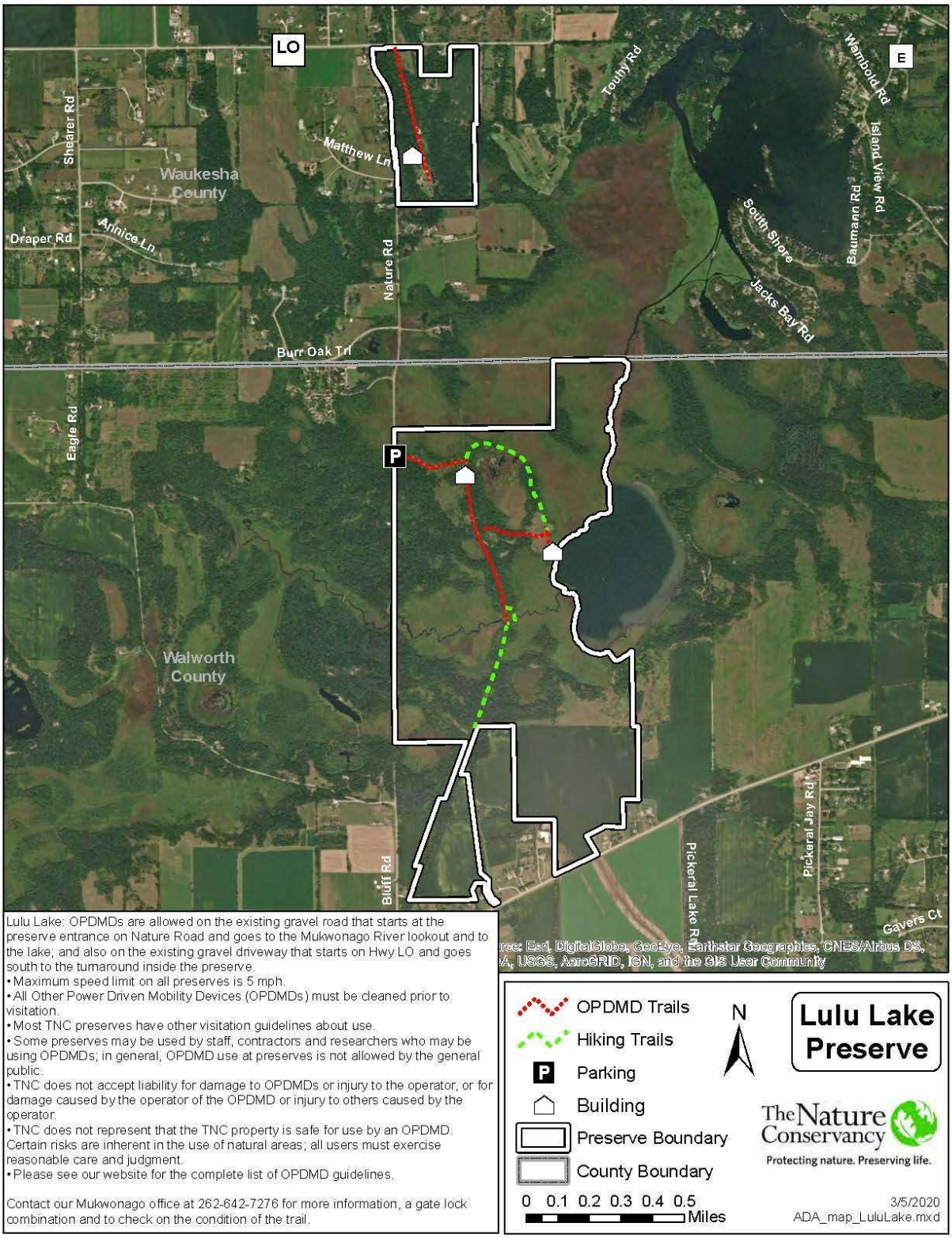
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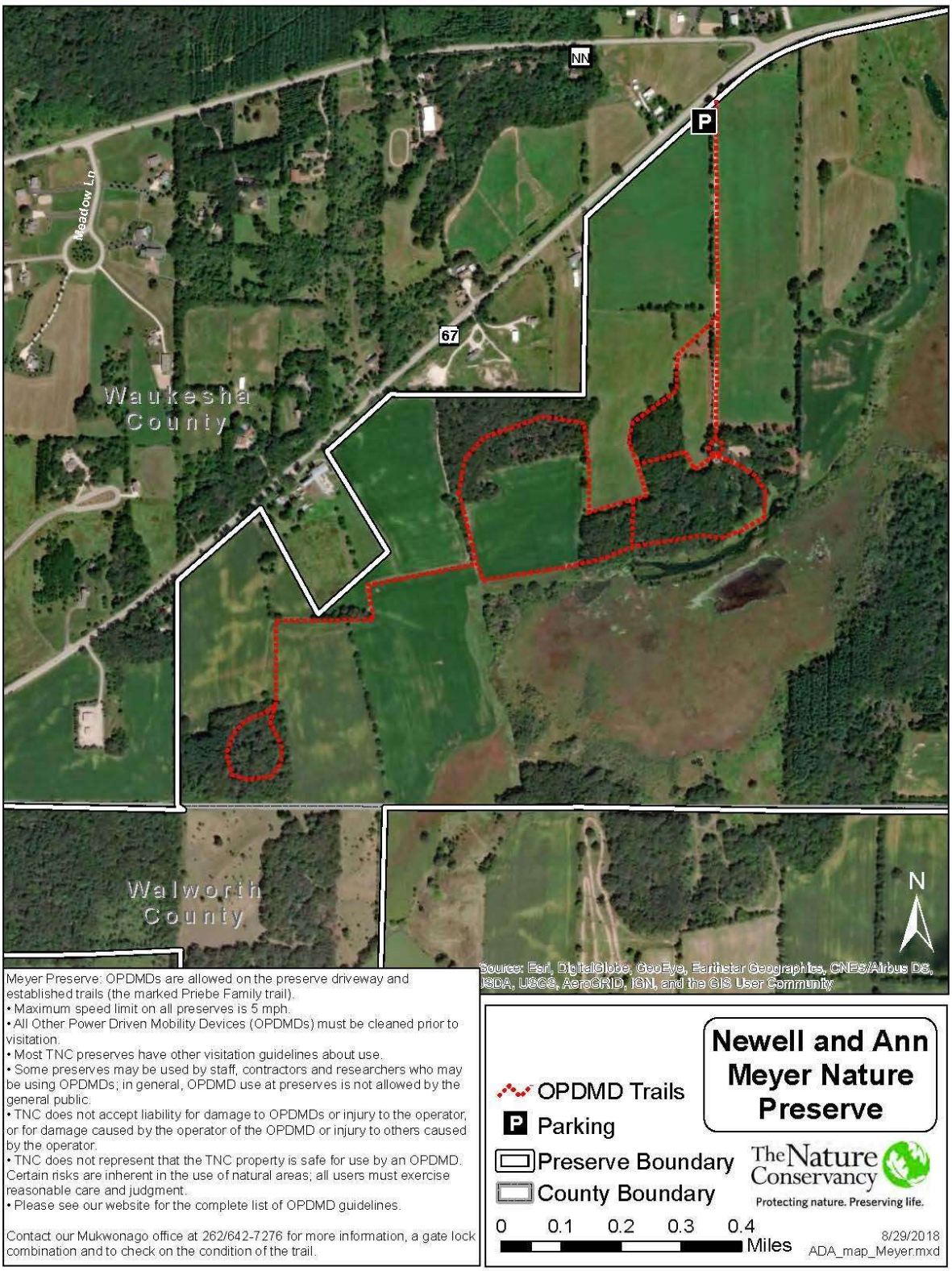
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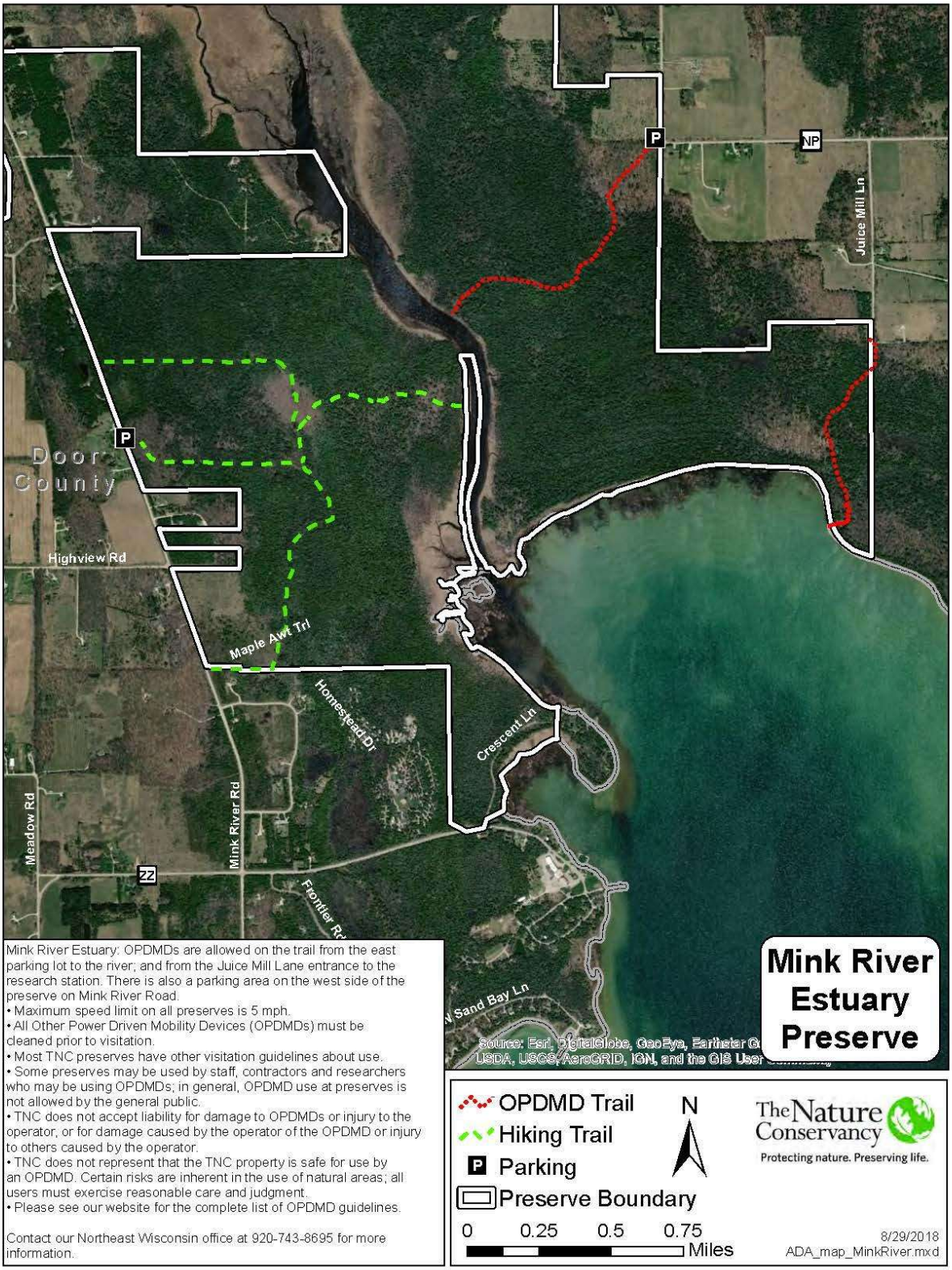
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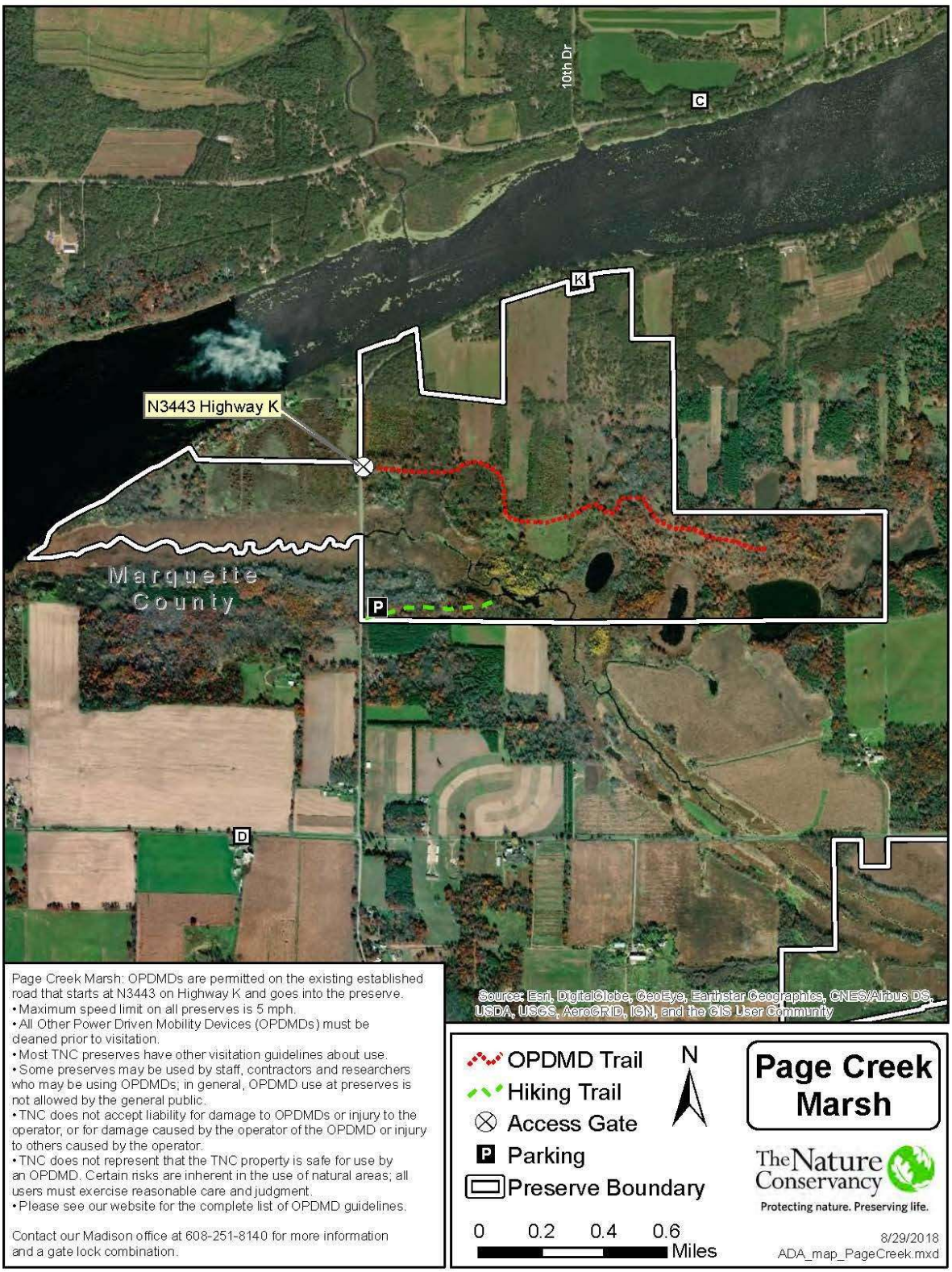
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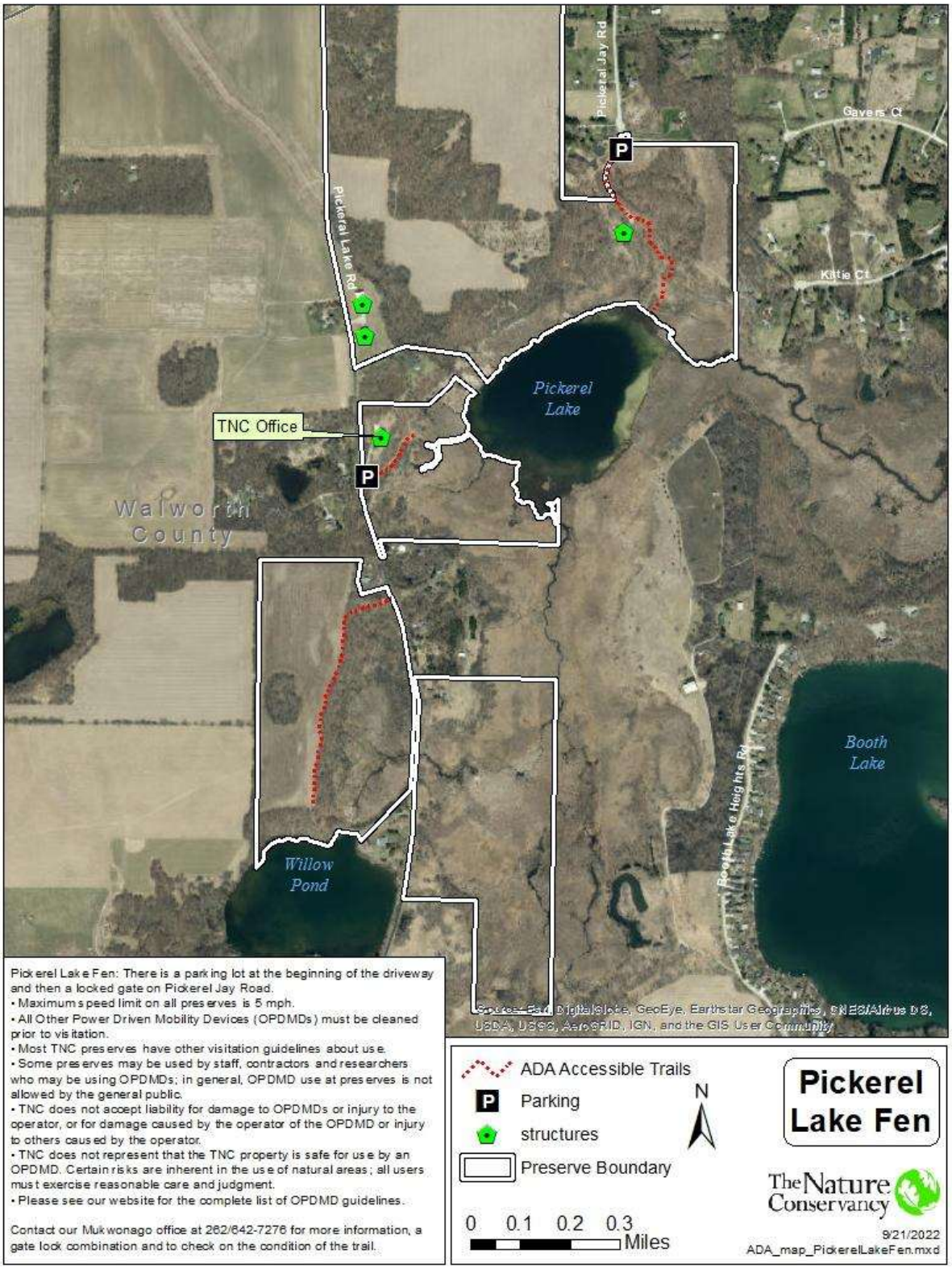
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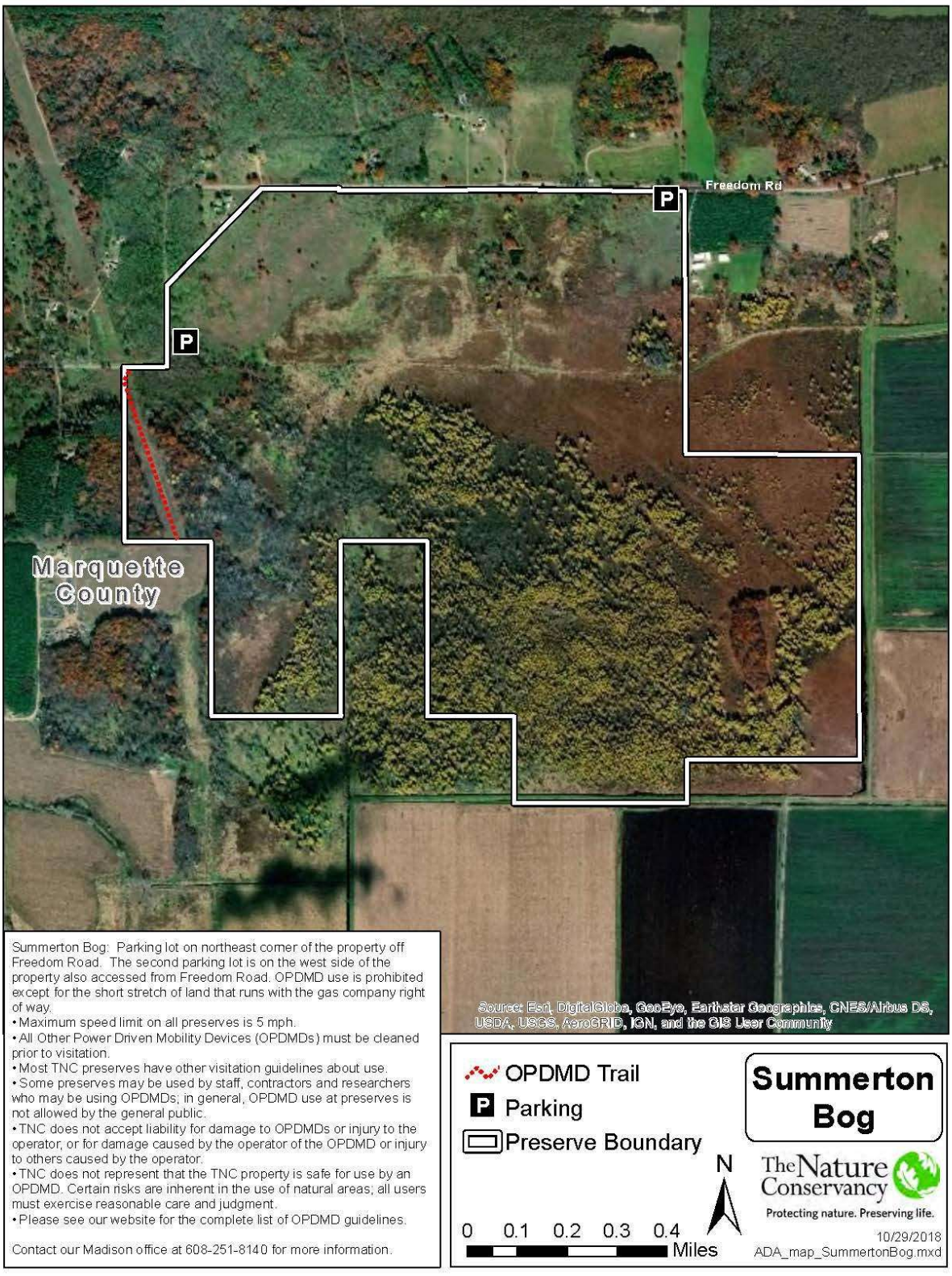
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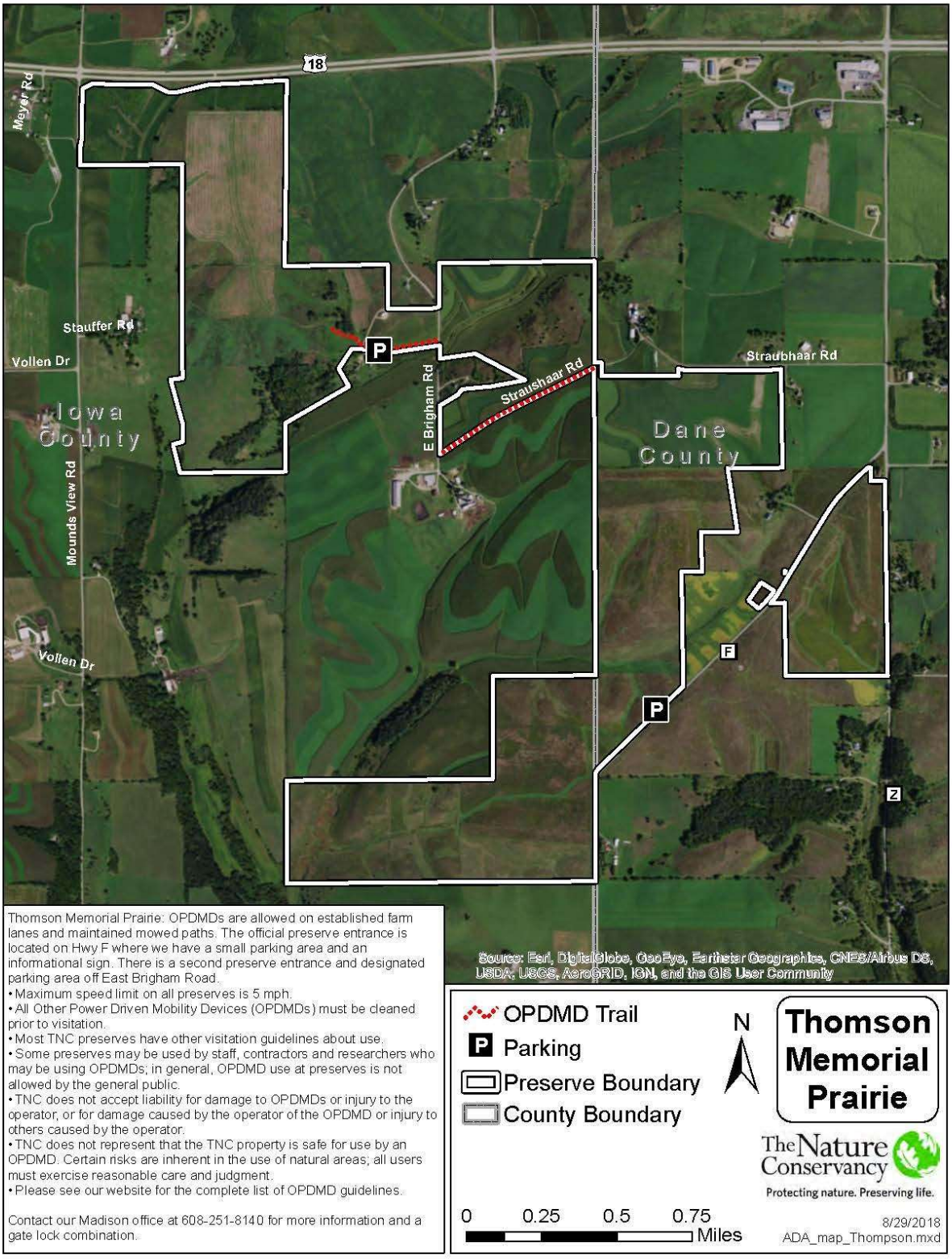
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Summerton Bog Map



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Thomson Memorial Prairie Map



Thomson Memorial Prairie: OPDMDs are allowed on established farm lanes and maintained mowed paths. The official preserve entrance is located on Hwy F where we have a small parking area and an informational sign. There is a second preserve entrance and designated parking area off East Brigham Road.

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