Visitor Map

Horicon Marsh Boundary
State and Federal Boundary
Auto Tour Route
Major Highway
County Road
Local Road
Railroad
Stream or Ditch
Woodlands
Lake or River
Municipality

Visitor, Nature, Education Centers—All centers have restrooms, parking, and watchable wildlife opportunities.
Parking Lot
Boat Launch
Restrooms
Fishing Site
Watchable Wildlife Site
Biking Access
Hiking Access
Automobile Access
Hiking Trails
Wild Goose State Trail

Scale 1:60,000
0 0.5 1 1.5 2 2.5 Miles
0 2.5 5 7.5 10 Kilometers
Welcome to Horicon National Wildlife Refuge. This 22,000 acre refuge, managed by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, was established for the protection of migratory birds and makes up the northern two-thirds of the 33,000 acre Horicon Marsh.

Recreational Opportunities:
- Wildlife observation, photography, hiking, fishing, educational programs, guided tours, bicycling, snowshoeing, cross country skiing, and deer and upland game hunting.
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Access is limited to the road only-adjacent dikes are closed. Parking located near fishing platform and use pull-offs for wildlife viewing/photography. Peachy, Lodge, and Main Dike Roads – Designated locations for bank fishing/piers.

Refuge Regulations:
- Refuge open during daylight hours only. Dogs are welcome but must be leashed (except for upland game hunting)
- Access for wildlife observation/photography hiking are limited to public use areas (Dec 1 – Mar 15 the entire refuge is open to fishing/snowshoeing/cross-country skiing)
- Fishing is limited to designated bank fishing areas (Dec 1 – Mar 15 the entire refuge is open to ice fishing - no motorized vehicles allowed for access).
- No hunting is permitted on the refuge: boats, canoes, kayaks, or other floatable devices; ATV’s and snowmobiles; collection of plants, berries, seeds, mushrooms, antlers or other artifacts; fireworks; camping; campfires; overnight parking; geocaches.

For More Information:
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