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Groundwater Flow Model Construction for the Bay Shore Blufflands Project

Summary Report

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Objectives and Background

This report describes construction of a simple groundwater flow model for the Bay Shore Blufflands area in central Door County, Wisconsin. The Bay Shore Blufflands is a Wisconsin DNR Designated State Natural Area (SNA) of significant note for its grand scenery, unusual geology, rare plant and animal species. Containing more than seven miles of the Niagara Escarpment, the Bay Shore Blufflands is an ecologically complex site with a diversity of plant communities above and below the escarpment and a series of seeps, springs and wetlands at the base of the talus slopes which feed small streams that enter Green Bay (Wisconsin Coastal Management, 2013). Construction of a simple groundwater flow model for the Bay Shore Blufflands and surrounding area is part of a larger effort to inventory groundwater resources for the Bay Shore Blufflands project. The groundwater model simulates water table elevations, groundwater flow paths, flow rates and discharge zones. It is a tool that can be used to investigate hydrologic conditions in the Blufflands area.

Model Methods

The two-dimensional groundwater flow model used for this study uses the analytic element groundwater-flow modeling code GFLOW (Haitjema, 1995). Hunt (2006) gives a review of applications of the analytic element method, and Haitjema (1995) discusses the underlying concepts and mathematics of the method in detail. A complete description of analytic elements is beyond the scope of this report, but a brief description follows.

An infinite aquifer is assumed in analytic element modeling. Features important for controlling groundwater flow (for example, wells and surface-water features) are simulated as mathematical elements or strings of elements called sinks. Point sinks represent wells and line sinks represent surface-water features. The amount of detail specified for each feature depends on distance from the area of interest and the purpose of the model. Each model element is represented by one analytic solution to the groundwater flow equation. The effects of these individual solutions are superposed to form a solution for any location in the simulated groundwater flow system. Because the solution is not confined to a grid, heads and flows can be computed anywhere in the model domain without interpolating between grid cells. In the GFLOW model used here, the analytic elements are two-dimensional and are

used only to simulate steady-state conditions – that is, simulated water levels do not vary with time. The analytic element method and comparisons of analytic element to finite-difference numerical model techniques have been discussed by others (Haitjema, 1995; Hunt and others 1998; and Hunt and others, 2003).

Development of the Conceptual Model

Conceptualization of the hydrologic system forms the framework for mathematical model development and simplifies the groundwater system into important component parts. Steps in the development of the conceptual model include: 1) characterization of the aquifer(s); 2) identification of sources and sinks of water; and 3) identification and delineation of hydrologic boundaries in the area of interest.

The groundwater system in the vicinity of the Blufflands area consists of fractured dolomite of Silurian age. Previous studies (Sherrill, 1978; Bradbury and Muldoon, 1992; Muldoon and others, 2001; Rayne, Bradbury, and Muldoon, 2001; Bradbury and Cobb, 2008) have documented the properties of the dolomite aquifer. Over much of the area the dolomite lies is less than 5 feet beneath the surface.

The following description of Door County's hydrogeology is taken from Bradbury and Cobb (2008).

“Door County's principal aquifer is composed of fractured, solution-weathered Silurian age dolomite. Extensive research has been conducted on the hydrogeology of the aquifer (e.g., Sherrill, 1978; Bradbury, 1989; Bradbury and Muldoon, 1992; Muldoon and others, 2001). The dolomite strata dip gently to the east, thickening from just tens of feet in the extreme southwest on the Green Bay shore to as much as 500 ft along Lake Michigan in the northeast of the county. Soil cover over the dolomite is frequently very thin, particularly in upland areas, and rainfall and snowmelt can infiltrate rapidly. Soil thicknesses increase in occasional buried bedrock valleys, particularly along the Lake Michigan shoreline. North of Sturgeon Bay, springs, streams and wetlands are typically restricted to these depressions in the bedrock surface.

The dolomite is very permeable but has relatively little storage. Recharge is conducted rapidly into the aquifer by vertical joints. Groundwater moves laterally along bedding plane fractures, many of which have been enlarged by rock dissolution. Muldoon and others (2001) showed that discrete near-horizontal zones of high permeability may be continuous over distances of as much as 10 miles.

Groundwater discharge occurs in springs, wetlands and into Lake Michigan and Green Bay. The majority of springs in Door County occur as focused discharge through a loose cover of sediment into a spring pool or stream bed. The visible turbulence in the sand or peat is commonly called a boil. Door County's springs have not been studied in detail, though it is assumed that most occur where highly permeable bedding plane fractures or joints intersect the bedrock surface. In many of the Hine's emerald habitats, we infer that a bedding plane fracture opens to a buried depression in the bedrock surface. The nature

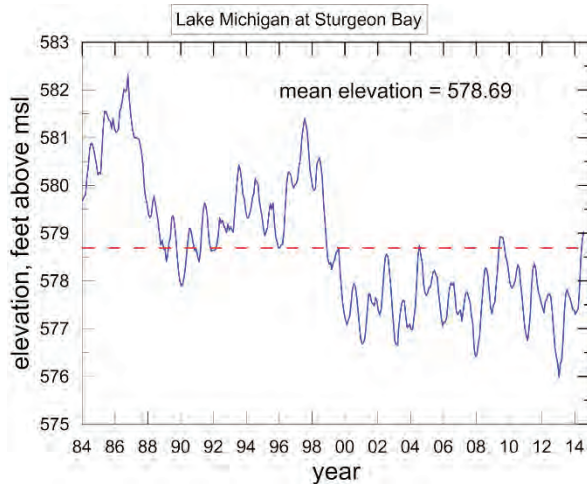
and volume of these springs suggests that they are not regional discharge points receiving far-field recharge transported as deeply circulating groundwater. We consider it more likely that most identified springs receive relatively local recharge conveyed in the shallower intervals of the dolomite aquifer.”

Description of the GFLOW model

Model development included estimating the elevation of the base of the groundwater system, regional horizontal hydraulic conductivity, and areally averaged recharge rate. In two-dimensional areal models groundwater flow is simulated using the aquifer transmissivity of a single layer, where transmissivity represents hydraulic conductivity multiplied by saturated thickness. Although both base elevation and hydraulic conductivity affect transmissivity, parameter calibration efforts focused on horizontal hydraulic conductivity rather than base elevation due to more robust model stability during parameter estimation. The Blufflands model uses a model base elevation of 400 feet above sea level.

Surface-water features, such as streams, lakes, and wetlands, were simulated with various analytic elements in the model. The shores of Lake Michigan and Green Bay represent excellent model boundaries and were simulated as “far field” line sinks for which the groundwater elevation is fixed and there is no resistance between the groundwater and surface water. Because this formulation “pins” the water table to surface water stages, locations and elevations of far-field surface-water features control water levels at the model boundary. For this reason, the elevation selected to represent this boundary is quite important. The elevation of Lake Michigan and Green Bay has fluctuated significantly in recent years. Figure 1 shows that, over the past 30 years, the lake elevation has fluctuated over a range greater than six feet, from a high of about 582.5 feet in 1987 to a low of 576 feet in 2013. For model calibration the lake stage was set at the 30-year average value of 578.7 feet, but the stage was then varied between 577.3 and 580.1 feet (representing one standard deviation on each side of the 30-year mean) as described below to assess the effects of lake level variation on groundwater discharge along the bluff.

Streams, lakes, and wetlands in the model were simulated as routed near-field elements, or stream line sinks. Six significant wetland or stream features along the shore between the Escarpment and Green Bay were simulated as wetlands using the “drain” line sink type in GFLOW. These features were selected as wetlands mapped on the USGS 1:24000 quadrangle maps, and are arbitrarily named, from south to north, as the south wetland, the middle wetland, the bluff base wetland, the north wetland, and Murphy Creek (see figure 2). The “drain” line sink in GFLOW allows these features to be sinks, but not sources, of groundwater. In other words, if the simulated adjacent groundwater head exceeds the elevation of the line sink then groundwater will discharge to these features, but if the groundwater head drops below the



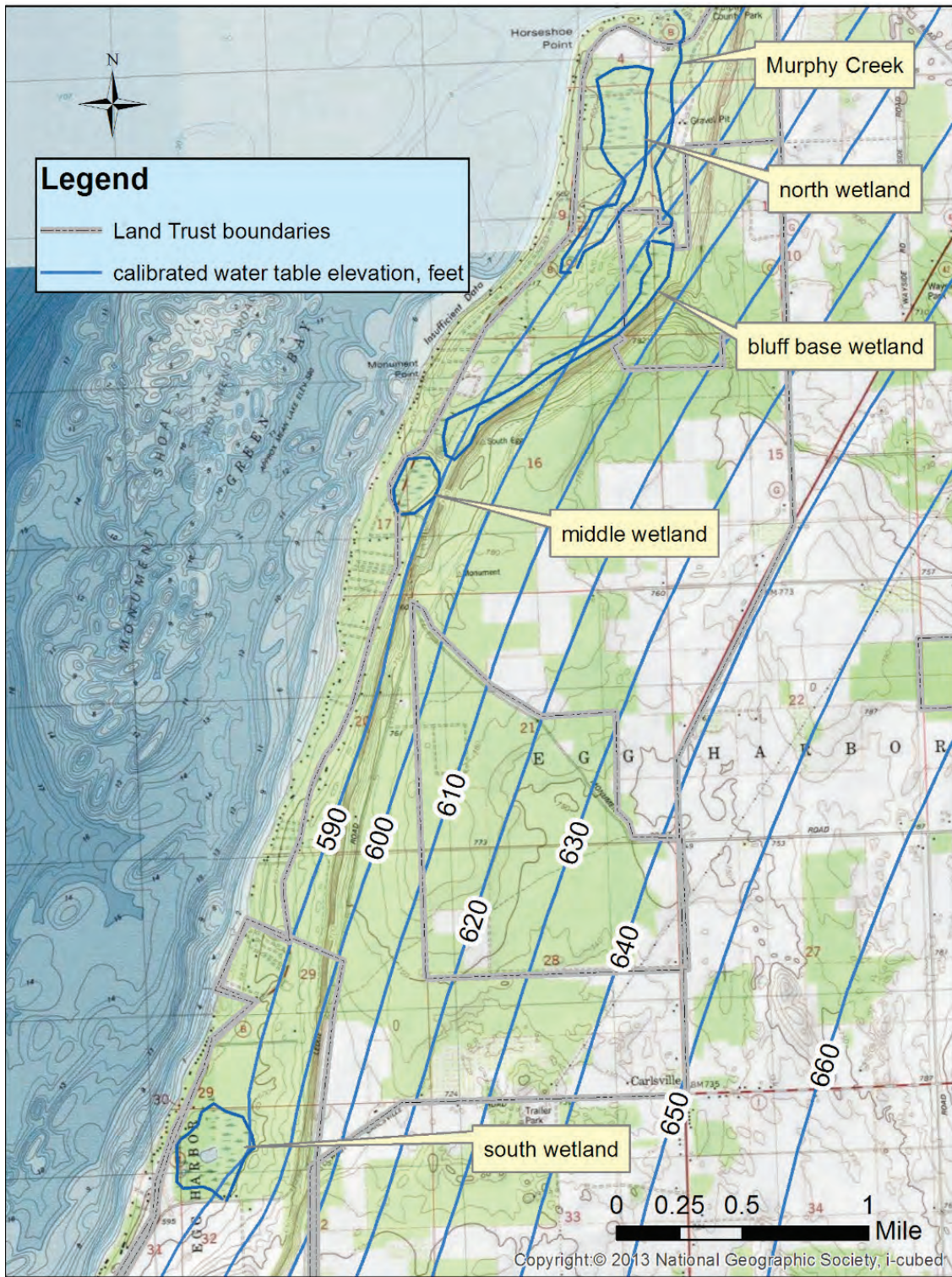
line sink elevation then the feature will be dry. This conceptualization appears appropriate for these wetlands, which are observed to hold water during wet seasons but be completely dry at other times of the year. GFLOW can compute the simulated groundwater discharge to each of these features.

Groundwater withdrawal from high-capacity wells in the model domain was simulated, using steady-state pumping rates obtained from the Wisconsin DNR for 2013. Pumping from private residential wells was not simulated in the model because withdrawal rates tend to be low and much of the withdrawal is returned to the aquifer through septic infiltration.

Model Calibration

Model calibration is the process of adjusting model parameters until the model satisfactorily reproduces field measurements consisting of water levels in wells and stream discharge. In this study, the GFLOW model was coupled with the parameter estimation code PEST (Doherty, 2011). Initial hydraulic conductivity and recharge values were taken from Bradbury and Cobb, 2008.

Groundwater level targets for the model consisted of historical measurements from 26 private wells or research wells in the WGNHS database and 4 measurements of streamflow. Calibration of a steady state model in Door County is problematic because the system is rarely, if ever, at steady state, and large (10's to 100's of feet) seasonal fluctuations in water levels occur in individual wells (Bradbury and Muldoon, 1992). Likewise surface streams have significant flow during some seasons and are completely dry during others. The model calibration for this study is intended to be meaningful for average low-flow groundwater conditions. The calibrated areal recharge is 4.8 inches/year, and the calibrated regional hydraulic conductivity is 10 feet/day. For comparison, Bradbury and Cobb (2008) used dry-period



recharge of 8.5 in/yr and hydraulic conductivity of 10-60 ft/day for similar models in the eastern part of Door County. Effective porosity, needed for particle tracking, was set at 0.005, which is far lower than the values of 0.1 to 0.15 typical of porous media but realistic for the fractured rock of Door County (Rayne and others 2001).

Application of the model

The model simulates the water table for low-flow-conditions (figure 2). This simulated water table is very smooth because the model uses single values of hydraulic conductivity and recharge. In reality the true water table is certainly less smooth, but the overall configuration, with a slope from a high of about 660 feet above sea level near the middle of the peninsula to about 580 feet at the lake shore is quite reasonable.

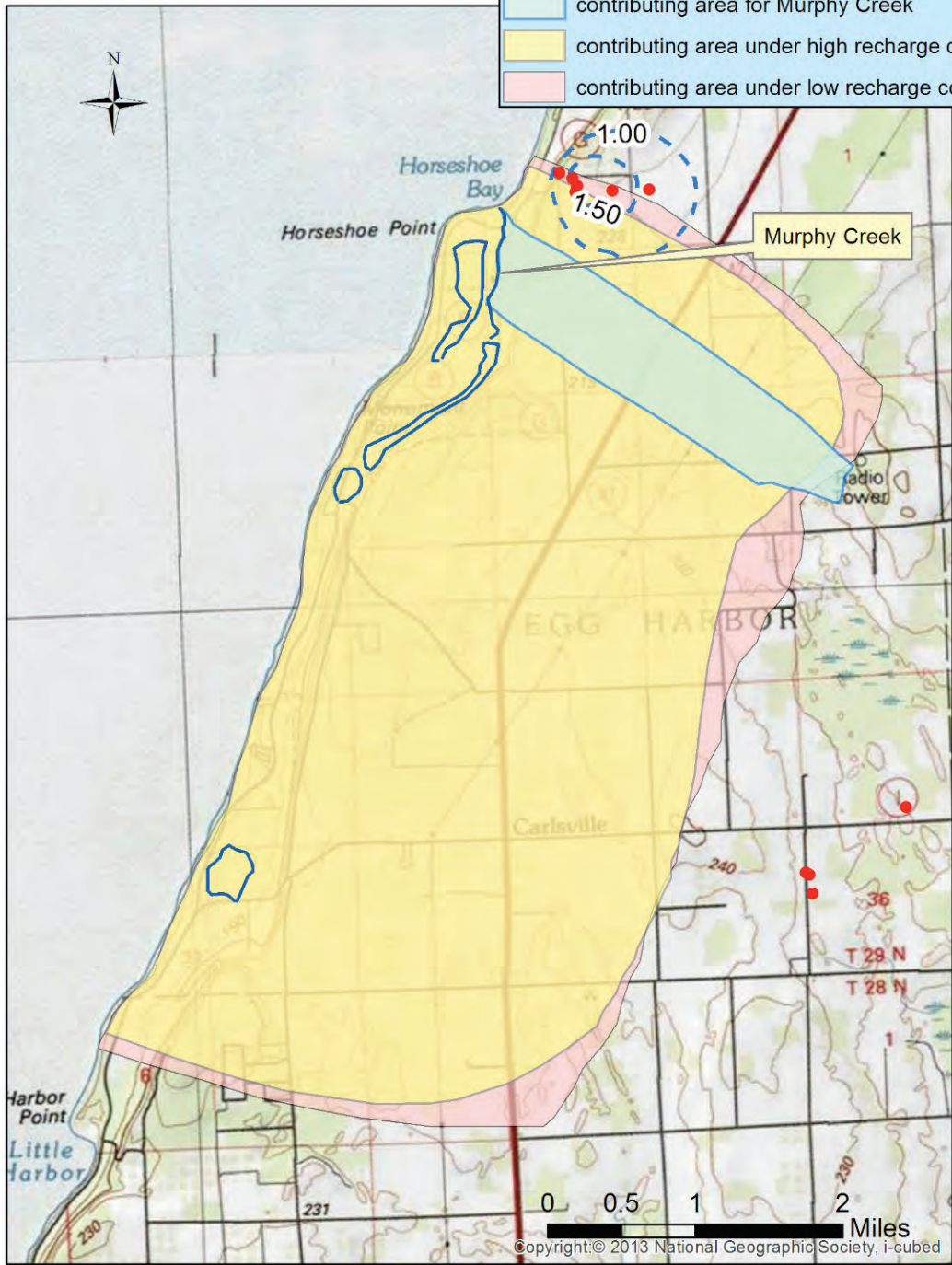
One of the primary uses of the model is to determine the contributing area, or zone of contribution for the Blufflands area. The contributing area represents the land surface area over which recharging groundwater can reach the feature of interest in a given time period. Figure 3 shows contributing areas for the average recharge case (4.4 in/yr) and also for a high recharge case (15 in/yr), both for a period of 5 years. The high recharge case is probably more representative of spring or wet-season conditions. Under the high recharge case the contributing area shrinks slightly.

Figure 3 also shown the low-flow contributing area for Murphy Creek, again for 5 years, and figure 4 shows a more detailed view of the Murphy Creek contributing area, showing individual mathematical particle paths simulated using the model. Similar figures can be constructed for other hydrologic features in the model.

Drawdown from high-capacity wells is very minor in the Blufflands area. Figure 3 shows that several high-capacity wells near Horseshoe Bay, the largest water users near the Blufflands, cause drawdown of less than one foot about a mile distant from the wells and drawdown of about 1.5 feet within about a half-mile of the wells. These small drawdowns are probably imperceptible along the bluff shoreline.

Legend

- High-capacity well
- - - simulated drawdown, feet
- contributing area for Murphy Creek
- contributing area under high recharge conditions
- contributing area under low recharge conditions



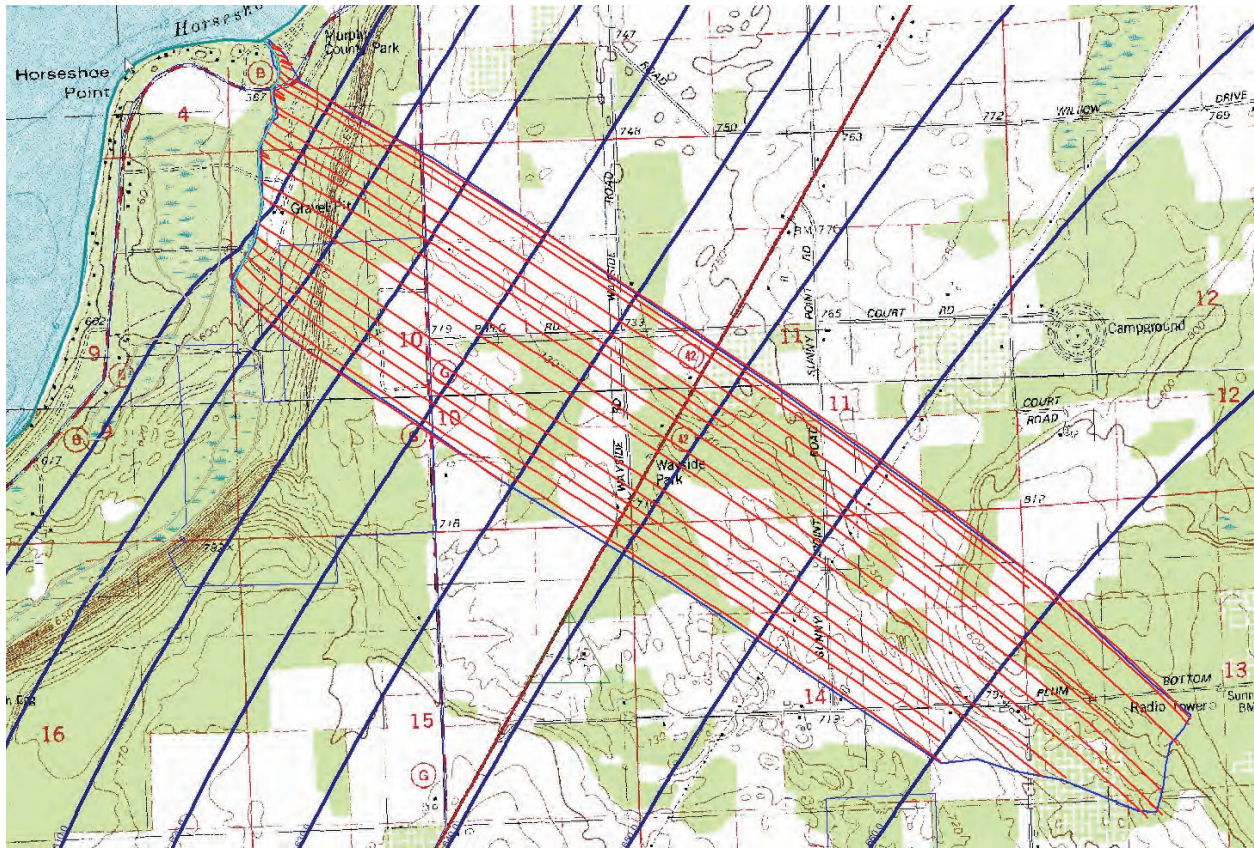


Figure 4. Steady-state contributing area for Murphy Creek, using a travel time of 1 year. Red lines represent simulated particle paths. Dark blue lines are contours of the water table.

One of the interesting uses of the model is to quantify groundwater discharge to the surface water features along the bluff. Table 1 shows simulated discharges, in cubic feet per day (cfd) and cubic feet per second (cfs) to the five significant hydrologic features shown on figure 2. Under the low-flow calibrated condition only Murphy Creek and the south wetland receive direct groundwater discharge. But under high recharge conditions all the features receive direct groundwater discharge. The table also quantifies the effect of changing levels in Lake Michigan and Green Bay. Variations in lake stage have some impact on Murphy Creek and the south wetland, but no effect on the other features.

A comparison of model predictions to a tracer experiment shows that the Blufflands model gives reasonable results for particle tracking. In 2007 a septic contamination incident at a large restaurant located along Highway 42 sickened over 200 restaurant patrons and employees (Borchardt and others, 2011). Part of the ensuing investigation include a tracer experiment in which dye was added to the restaurant septic system and leach field. This dye was detected 151 days later at a spring at the base of

the Niagara Escarpment in the Blufflands area, showing that groundwater from beneath the restaurant can travel to the Escarpment in under 150 days. Adding mathematical particles to the GFLOW model in the vicinity of the restaurant and tracking them forward in time predicts that they reach the areas below the spring in under 270 days under the wet-season high-recharge scenario. Given reasonable uncertainty in hydraulic conductivity and effective porosity this is considered good agreement for a model of this type.

Table 1. Simulated groundwater discharge to selected hydrologic features under three different scenarios. Calibrated scenario represents low-flow calibrated condition. High recharge represents high-flow condition. High and low lake levels represent the effects of changing Lake Michigan levels to historic high and low stages.

hydrologic feature	calibrated discharge		high recharge discharge		high lake level discharge		low lake level discharge	
	cfm	cfs	cfm	cfs	cfm	cfs	cfm	cfs
Murphy's Creek	53600	0.62	106400	1.23	62500	0.72	44700	0.52
North wetlands	dry	dry	23700	0.27	dry	dry	dry	dry
Bluff base wetlands	dry	dry	71100	0.82	dry	dry	dry	dry
Middle wetland	dry	dry	12100	0.14	dry	dry	dry	dry
south wetland	45870	0.53	156900	1.82	53000	0.61	38700	0.45

Summary

A simple steady-state, two-dimensional groundwater flow model for the Bay Shore Blufflands area produces reasonable results for groundwater elevation, flow directions, and discharge to surface water. The model can be used to delineate the areas contributing groundwater to the Blufflands as a whole and to individual hydrologic features in the Bluffland area. The model also quantifies simulated groundwater discharge to specific features, such as streams and wetlands under different recharge and lake level scenarios.

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Explanations for maps developed in support of the Bayshore Blufflands State Natural Area project, Door County, Wisconsin, 2014.

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The maps and datasets described below were compiled to support the Bayshore Blufflands State Natural Area project Conservation Master Plan for Bay Shore Blufflands State Natural Area conducted by the Door County Land Trust in 2013 and 2014 and supported by the Wisconsin Coastal Management Program.

The maps described here were developed by the Wisconsin Geological and Natural History Survey, University of Wisconsin-Extension. The GIS compilations were carried out by Sam Tedford of the WGNHS staff, assisted by Peter Schoephoester. Kenneth Bradbury provided project oversight.

Each plate was developed in ArcMap GIS at a scale of 1:100,000, and exported to PDF format for printing and viewing. The underlying data sets are available for plotting and analyses at other scales.

Plate 1: Groundwater contributing area

Plate 1 shows the Bay Shore Blufflands study area with the groundwater contributing area indicated. The groundwater contributing area is the general land surface area from which recharging groundwater might eventually discharge either along the base of the Niagara Escarpment or along the shore of Green Bay adjacent to the Blufflands State Natural Area (SNA). The eastern boundary of this contributing area fluctuates seasonally in response to changes in groundwater levels. The area shown here is probably the greatest extent.

Plate 2: Land surface elevation

Plate 2 shows the general elevation of the land surface, in feet above sea level. The background is a LIDAR hillshade image of the study area.

Plates 3A and 3B: Surface watersheds

Plate 3A shows surface watersheds delineated in the US National Hydrography HUC-12 data set. These watersheds correspond to the major surface water features occurring in the SNA and adjacent areas. This data set is available for viewing and download from the US Geological Survey at <http://nhd.usgs.gov/>.

Plate 3B shows surface subwatersheds delineated using 10-foot digital elevation data based on bare-earth LIDAR information.

Plate 4: Closed Depressions

Plate 4 shows closed depressions and surface-water contributing areas on the landscape. These areas are likely internally drained. Each contributing area contains one closed depression, which is the lowest elevation within the area. Such features may be sinks or sinkholes in the vicinity of the Bay Shore Blufflands, but were not field checked. Some of these features are very small and might not be visible at the 1:100,000 scale. Closed depressions were delineated using a roadless DEM filled to a 3-ft fill level derived from USGS Bare Earth LiDAR data. Although these features have had preliminary review, no extensive ground-truthing has been conducted.

Plate 5: Karst features

Plate 5 shows the locations of mapped karst features such as caves, crevices, sinkholes, and springs. The plate also shows mapped fracture traces. Data provided by the Door County Land Information Office based on an inventory conducted in the early 1990s.

Plate 6: water wells

The plate shows the locations of private low-capacity water-supply wells (wells producing less than 70 gallons per minute) and high-capacity wells (well producing more than 70 gallons per minute) based on Wisconsin DNR records available in 2014. The private well inventory is based on available well construction reports (WCRs) on file at the DNR and/or WGNHS.

Plate 7: Aquifer thickness

This map shows the approximate saturated thickness of the Silurian dolomite aquifer in the study area. Aquifer thickness generally increases from west to east. Most wells in the area derive water from this bedrock aquifer.

Plate 8: Surface hydrologic features

Locations of important streams, lakes, and wetlands in the study area, based on WDNR and USGS mapping.

Plate 9: Surficial geology

Distribution of geologic materials at the land surface, based on Quaternary mapping by Carson and others (2014). This dataset is derived from a digital version of the map titled "Quaternary Geology of Door County, Wisconsin." This map is published as Bulletin 109, Plate 1 by Eric C. Carson, Scott R. Brown, David M. Mickelson, and Allan F. Schneider and is available from the Wisconsin Geological and Natural History Survey (WGNHS). This dataset provides a spatial assessment of the unconsolidated surface sediment across the entire county including—in some cases—interpretation of underlying sediments.

Plate 10: Water table elevation

This map shows the approximate elevation, in feet above sea level, of the water table in the study area. The water table fluctuates seasonally, and this map is an approximate snapshot of the water table during the dry (summer) season. Data were digitized from a water table map of Door County, Wisconsin entitled Water Table of the Silurian Dolomite Aquifer System published in October 1971 by the United States Geological Survey. These water table contour lines were digitized by WGNHS from a digital image of the original map at 1:125,000-scale.

Plate 11: Groundwater recharge

This map shows estimated recharge to the groundwater system based on a soil-water-balance (SWB) model. This model estimates recharge as deep infiltration using a simple Thornthwaite mass balance of soil water at individual cells across the landscape. The model includes precipitation, temperature, soil characteristics, land cover, and slope in the water balance calculations and routes excess water across the landscape. The data for Door County are based on unpublished work at the WGNHS. The modeling technique is described in Westenbroek, S.M., Kelson, V.A., Dripps, W.R., Hunt, R.J., and Bradbury, K.R., 2010, SWB—A modified Thornthwaite-Mather Soil-Water-Balance code for estimating groundwater recharge: U.S. Geological Survey Techniques and Methods 6–A31, 60 p. The report can be viewed here: <http://pubs.usgs.gov/tm/tm6-a31/>

Plates 12A, 12B: Shallow bedrock and shallow water

Plate 12A: shallow bedrock.

This map shows areas where bedrock is within 5 feet of the surface based on soils mapping by the Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS).

Plate 12B: wet soil or shallow groundwater

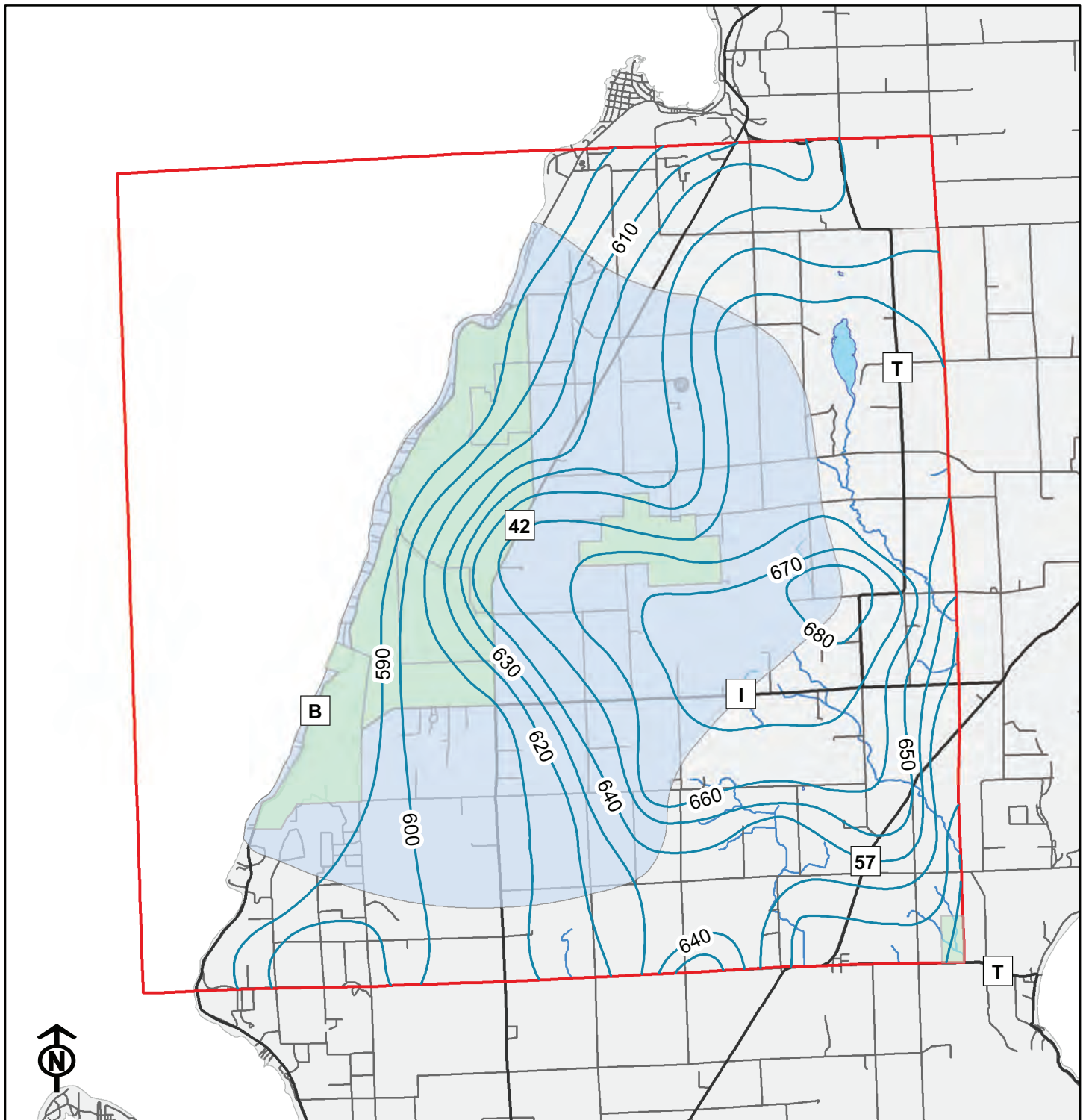
This map shows areas of perennially wet soil or shallow groundwater as delineated on NRCS soils maps. Note that these areas may or may not coincide with the regional water table.

Plates 13A, 13B, 13C: Groundwater Quality

These three maps show major groundwater quality indicators (nitrate, chloride, and coliform) aggregated by section across the study area. The data come from private well samples analyzed by the Water and Environmental Sciences Laboratory at the Center for Watershed Science and Education at the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point. On all three maps the sections are color-coded to indicate relative concentrations. Numbers in the section indicate the maximum concentrations (nitrate, chloride) or number of positive samples (total coliform). Un-colored sections did not have enough samples to display a value. The nitrate (NO₃-N) map (13A) shows that the average values in several sections exceed the NO₃-N drinking water standard of 10 mg/l. However, nitrate values in other places are generally low. Nitrate contamination is commonly associated with agricultural fertilizers and manure disposal, but can also come from septic tanks and other sources. Elevated chloride values (13B) occur in several sections. Chloride is most commonly associated with road salting but can also come from septic tanks and agricultural sources. Coliform bacteria (13C) indicate well contamination from surface sources and can be related to well construction and to rapid flow through fractures or karst features.

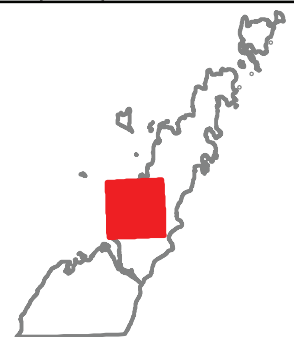
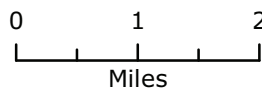
Plate 14: Groundwater contamination

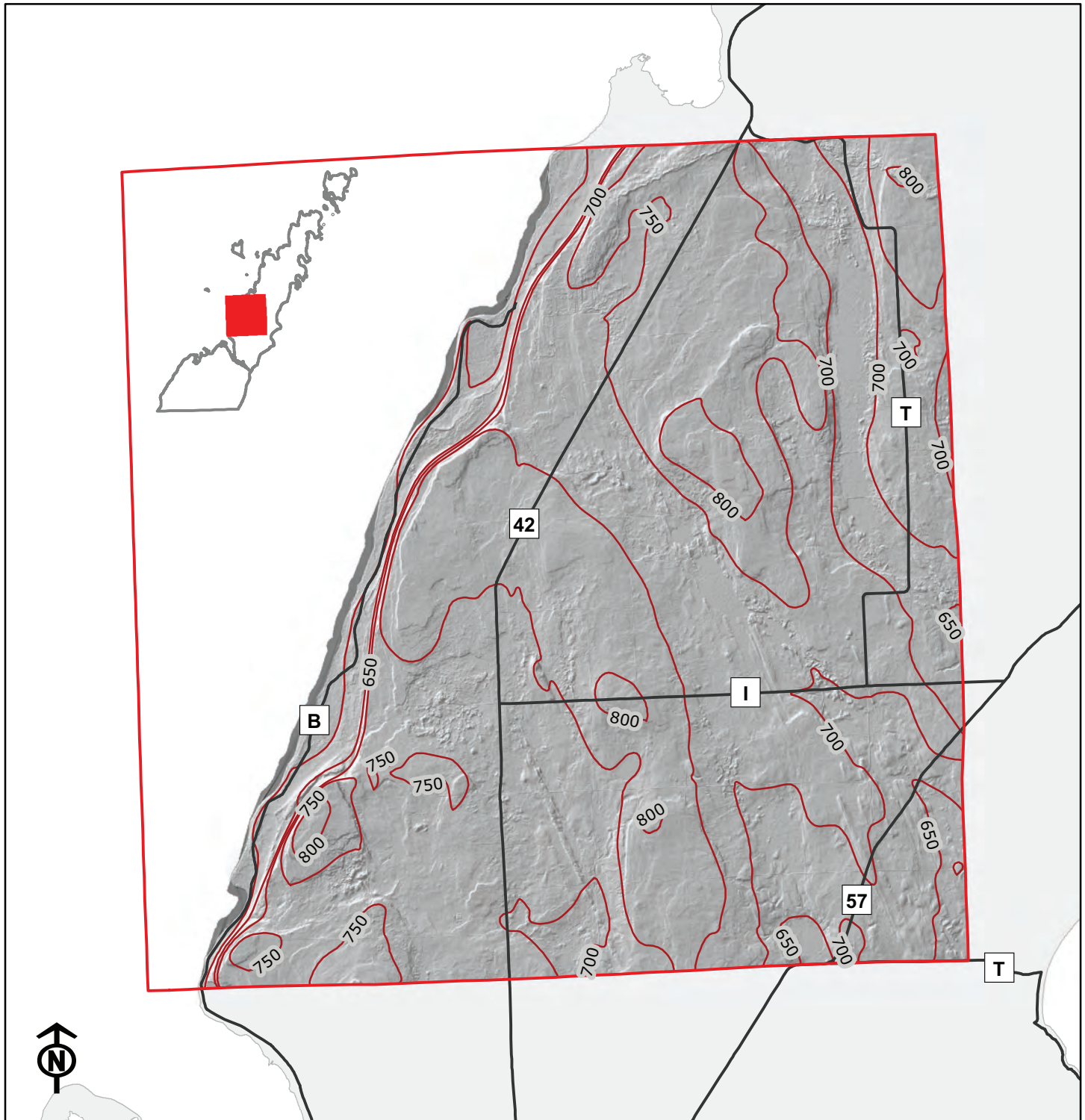
This map shows locations where point-source groundwater or soil contamination has occurred. Typical contamination sources include leaking underground tanks, surface spills, or industrial mixing or loading sites. The data represented was obtained via download from the DNR through The Bureau for Remediation and Redevelopment Tracking System (BRRTS, <http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/Brownfields/botw.html>).






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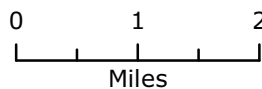
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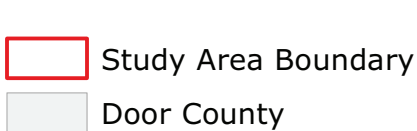
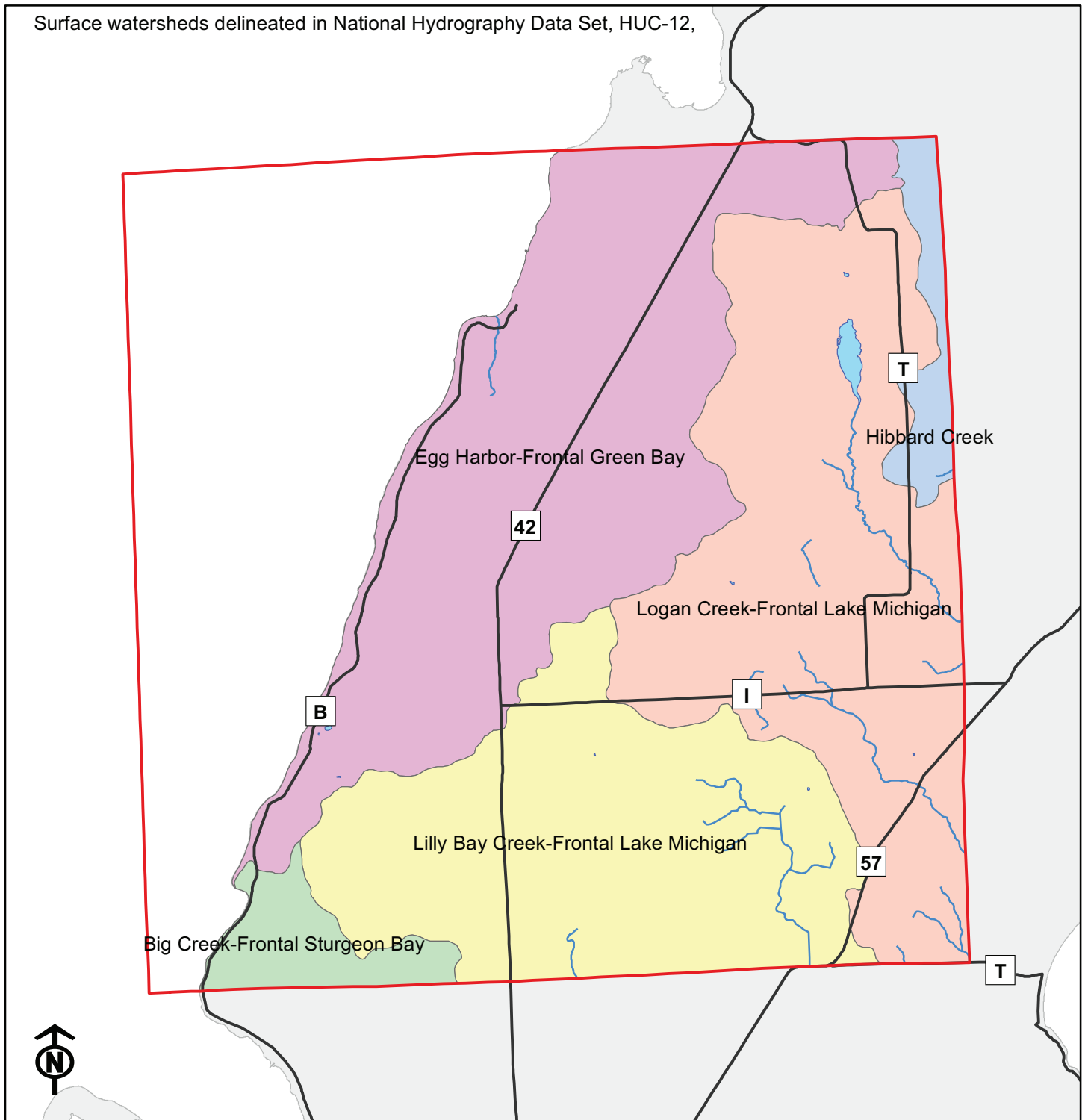




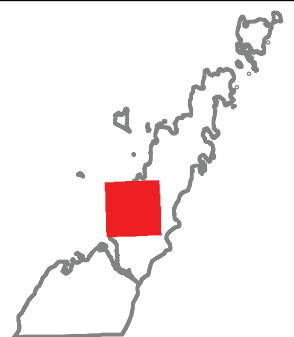
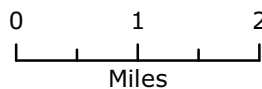
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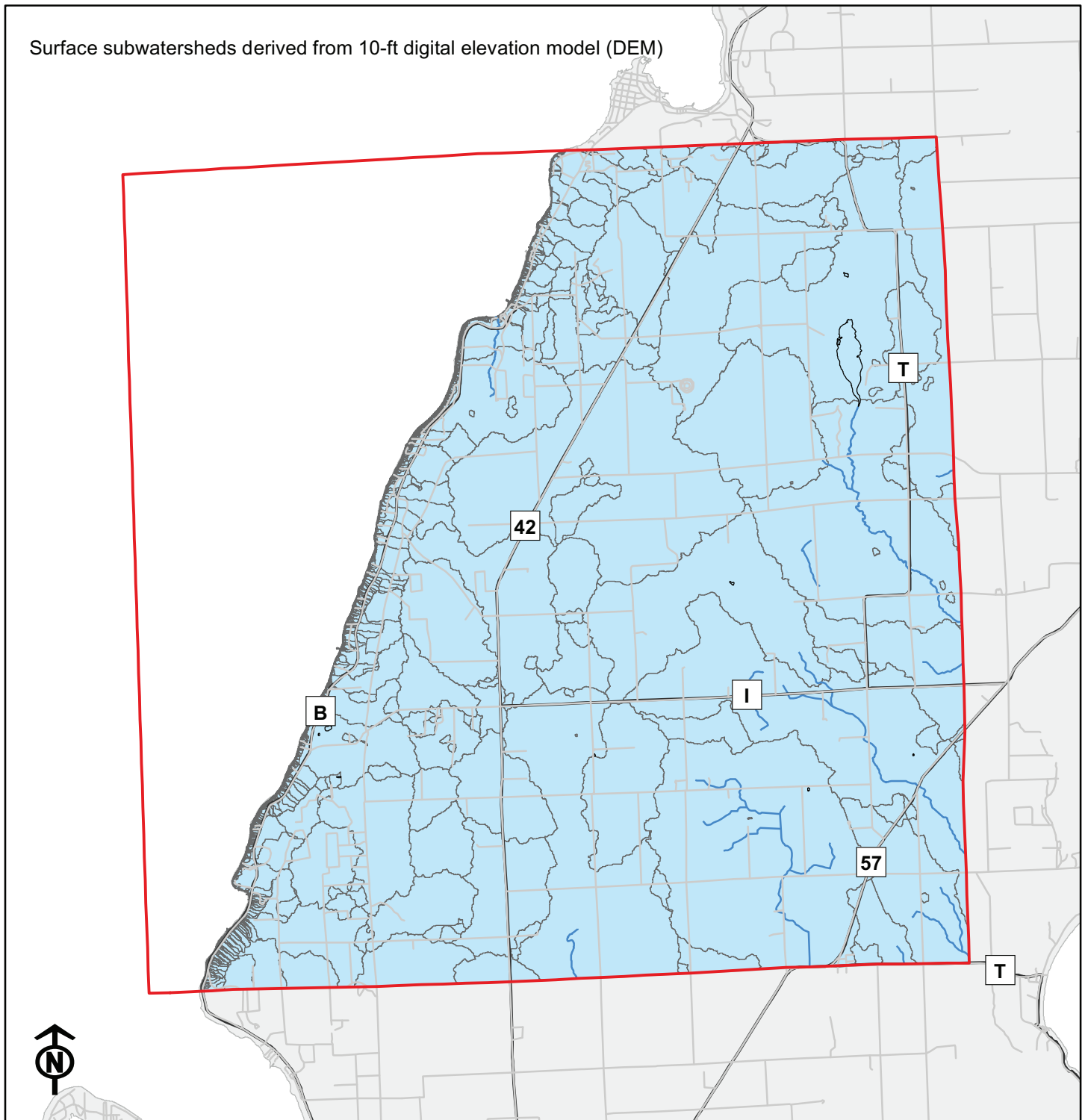
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





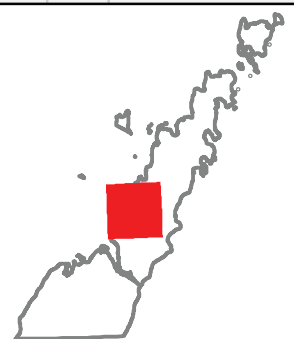
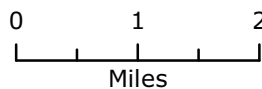
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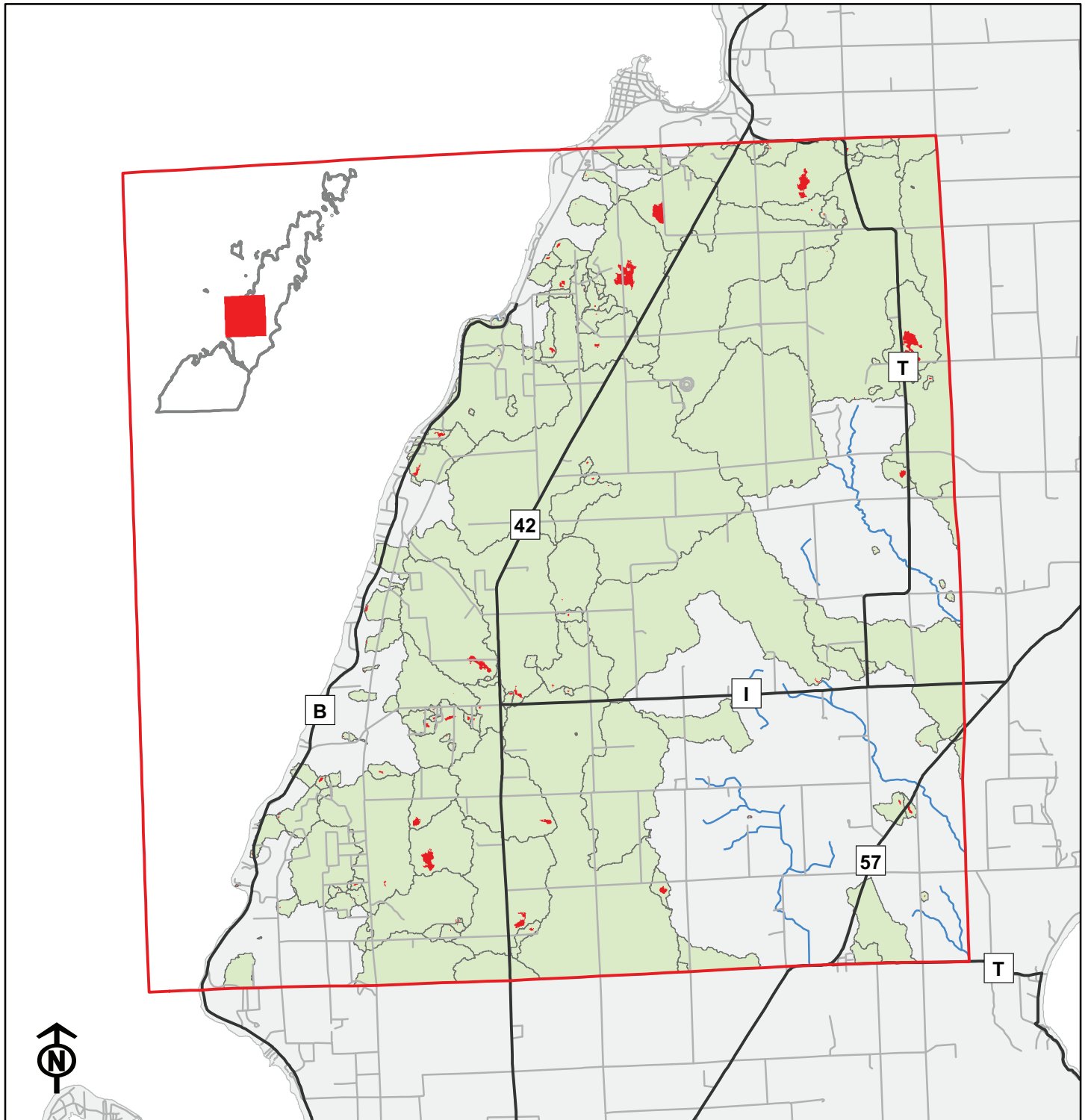






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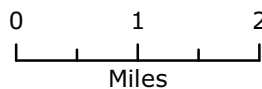
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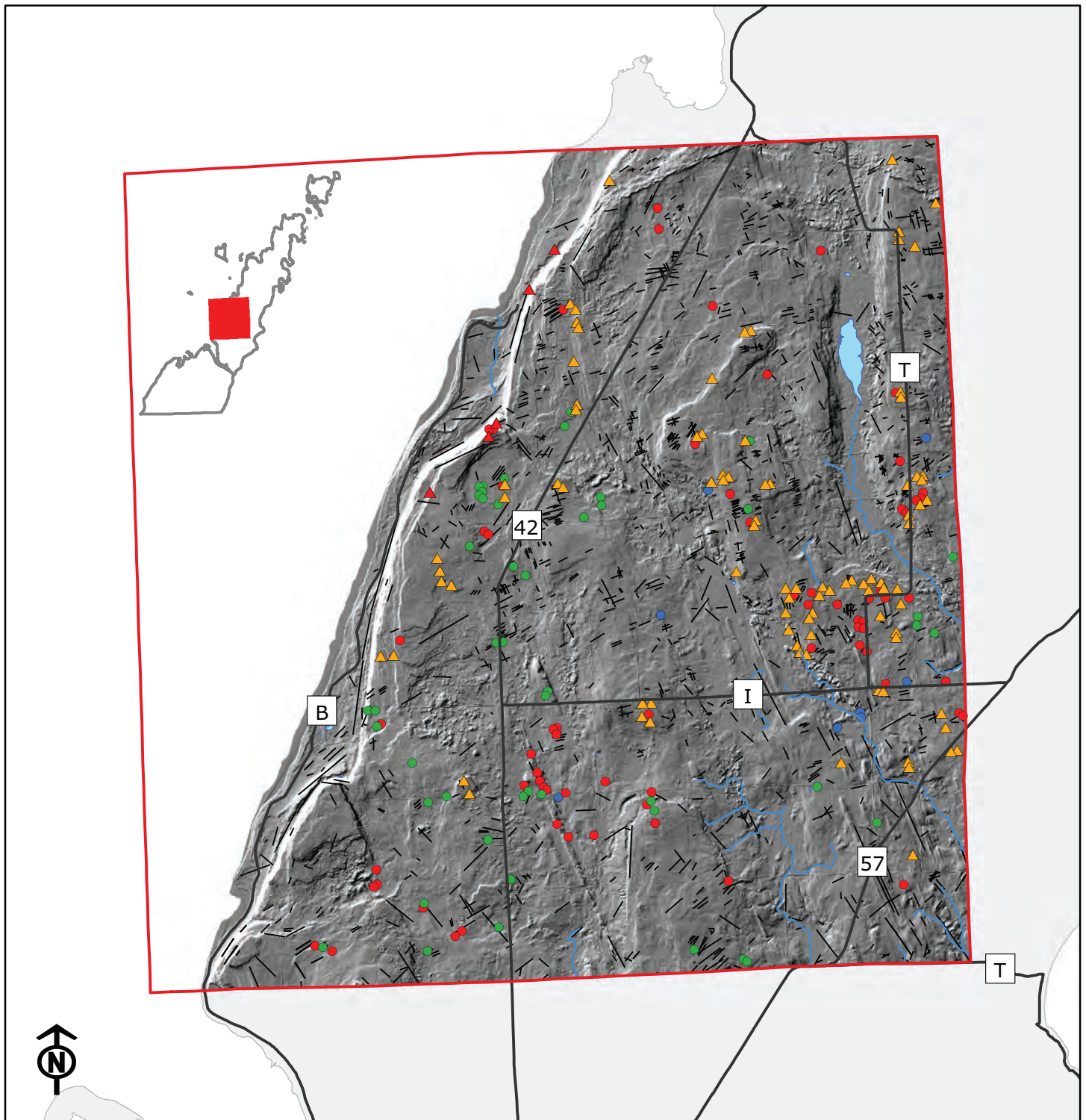


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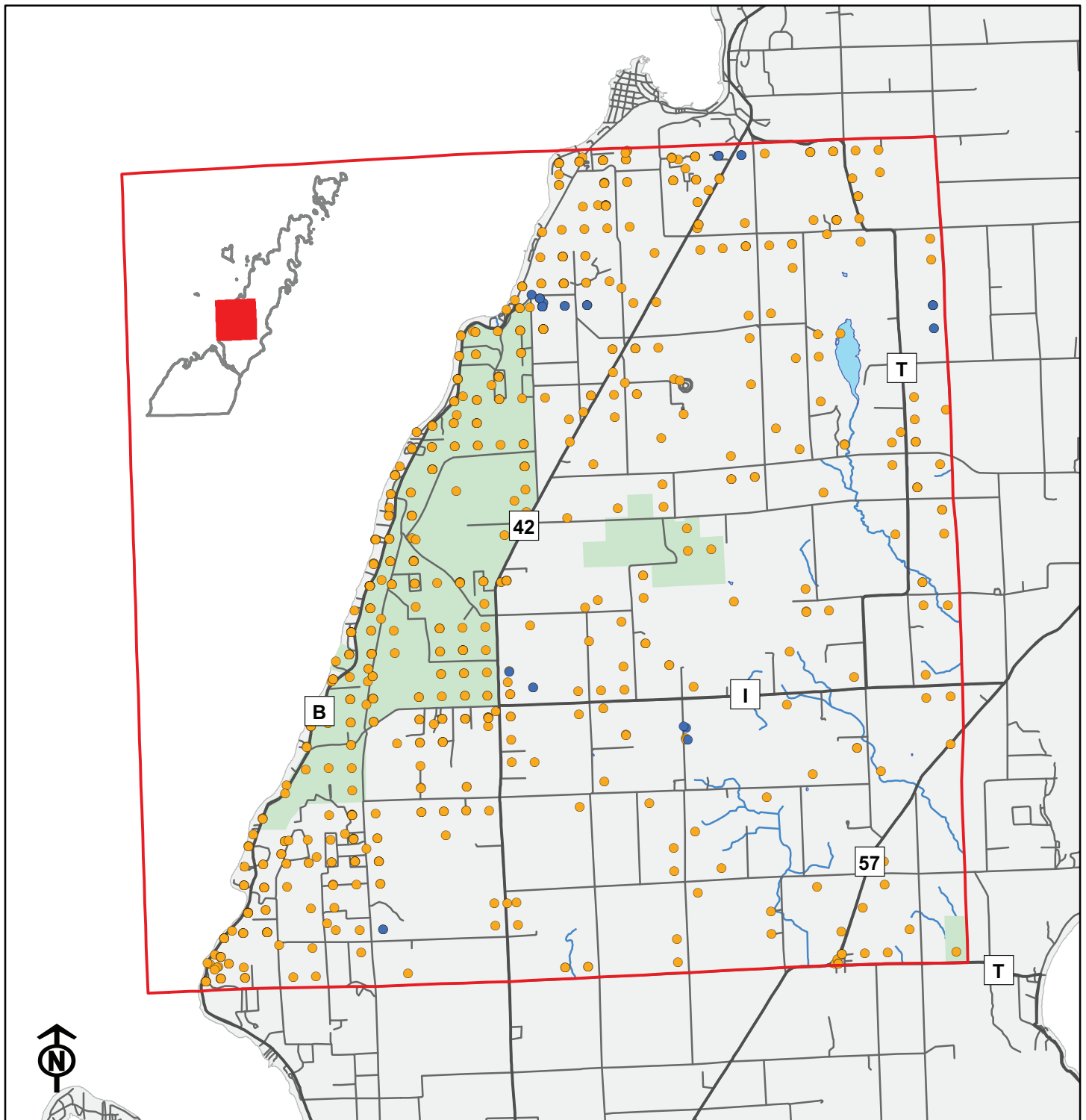





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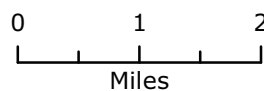
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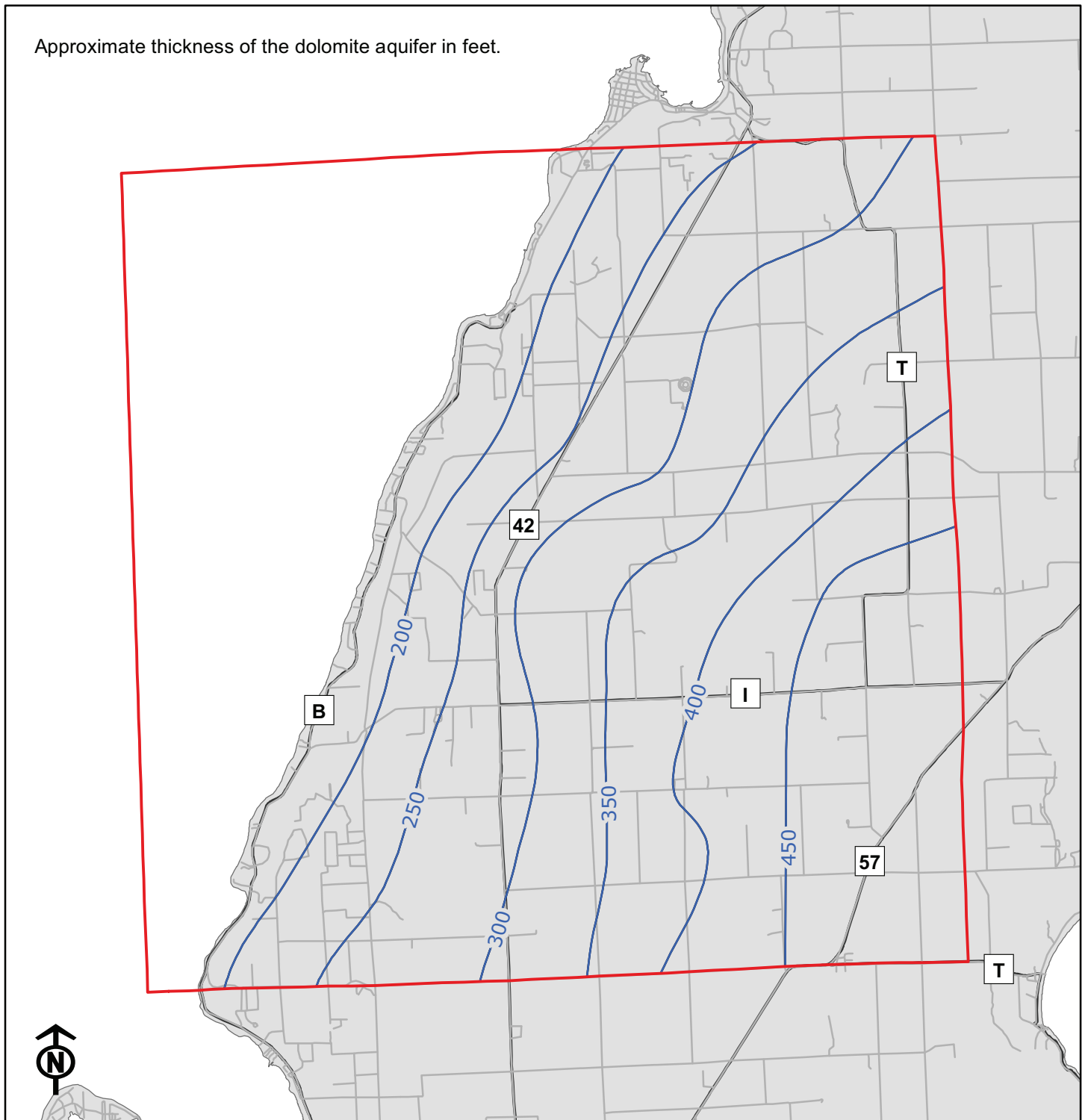
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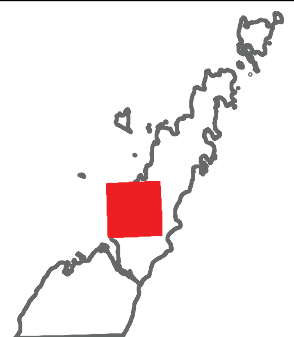
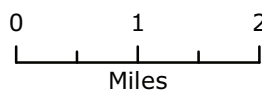
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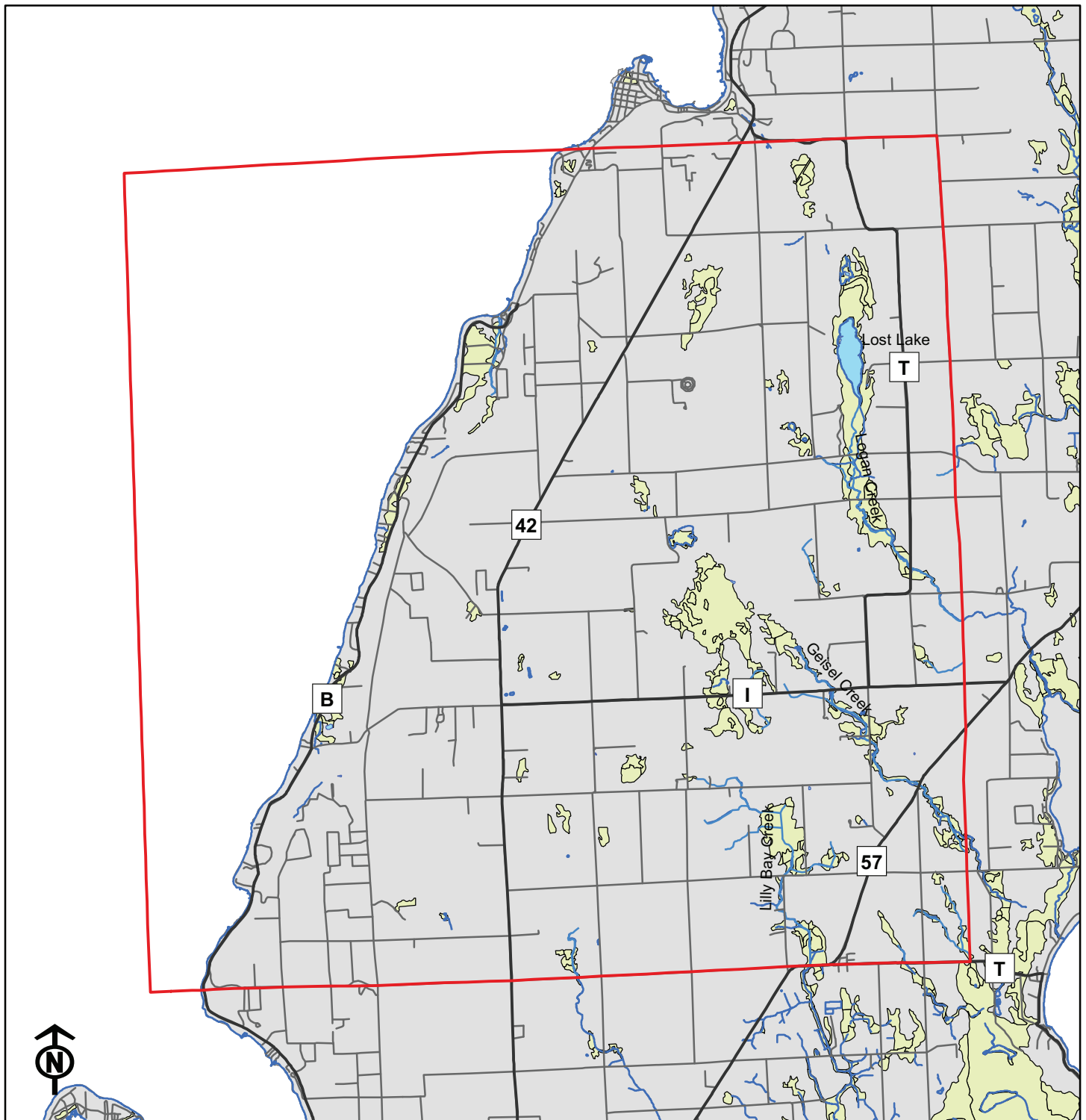
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


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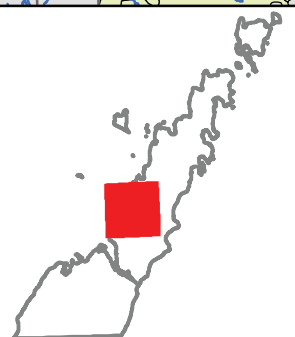
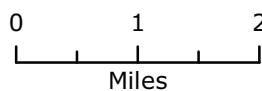
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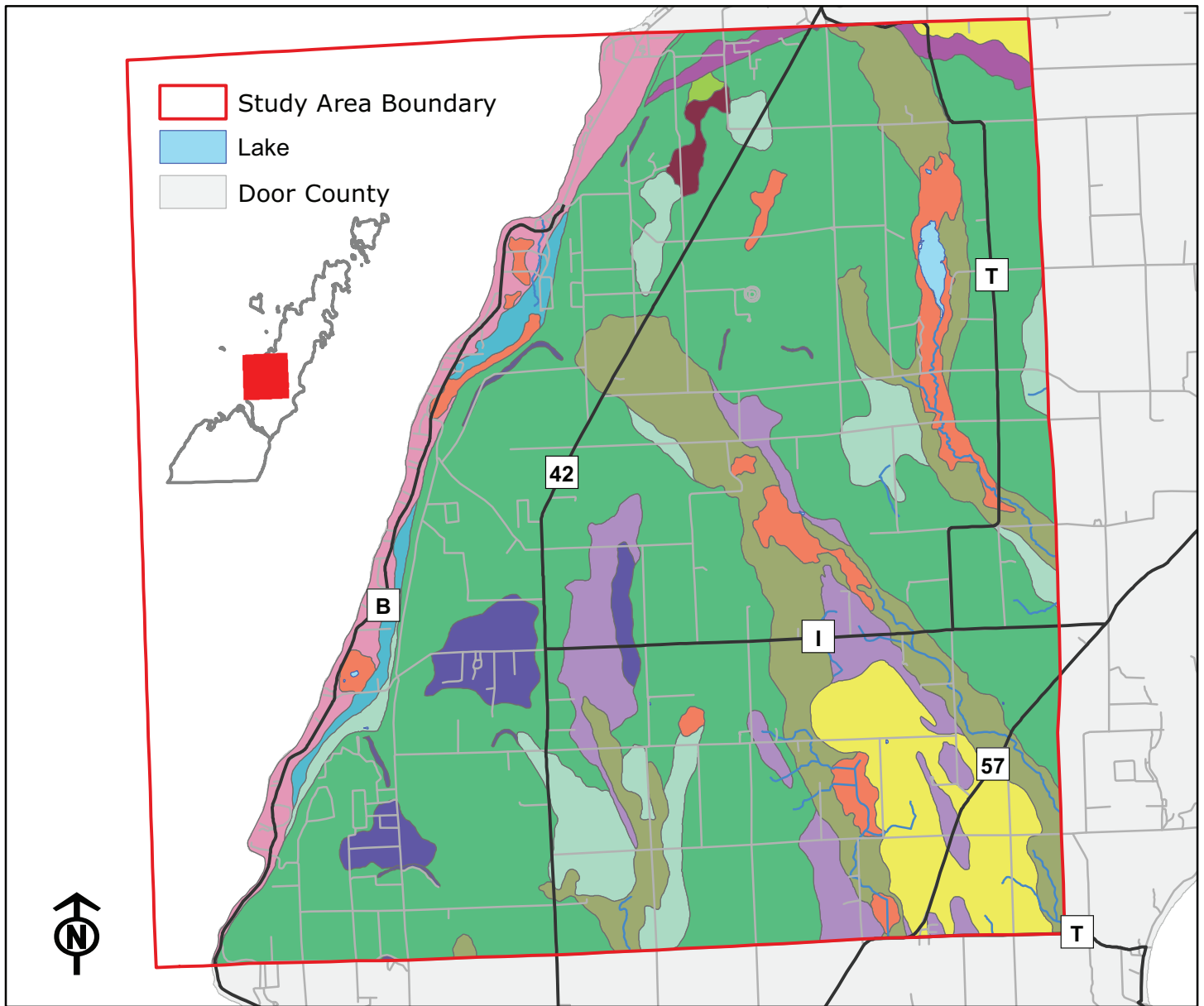




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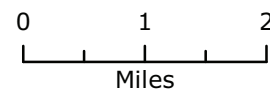
Unit Description

- Beach and nearshore sediment
- End moraine at maximum advance
- Gravel and sand
- Postglacial organic sediment
- Rock
- Sand, gravel, and till
- Silty clay
- Submerged beach and nearshore sediment
- Thin till cover on rolling topo w/ low relief

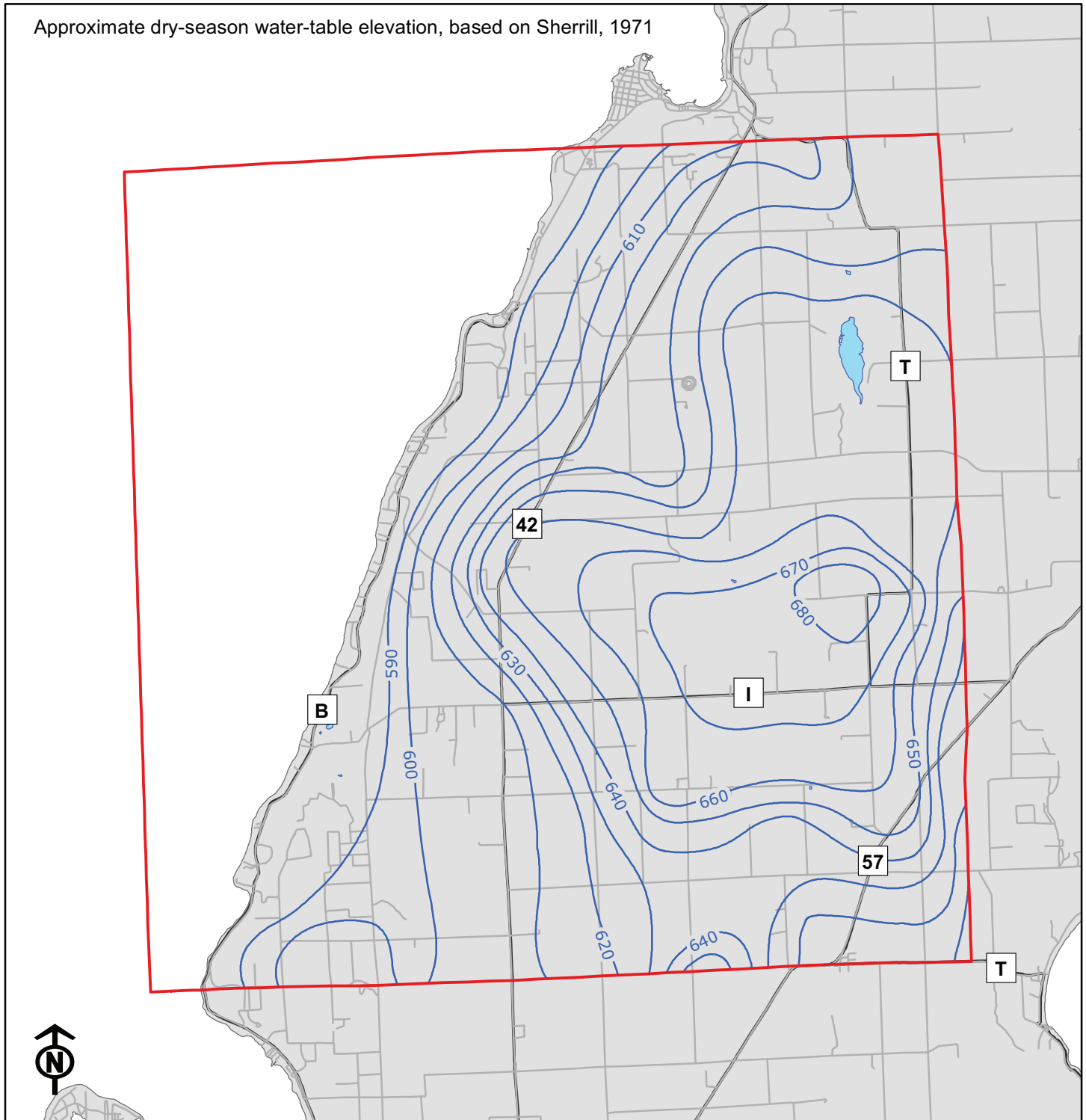
- Thin till cover on streamlined topo
- Till in areas of hummocky topo
- Till in areas of rolling topo
- Till in areas of streamlined topo


Source:
Carson, E.C., S.R. Brown, D.M. Mickelson, and A.F. Schneider, 2014.
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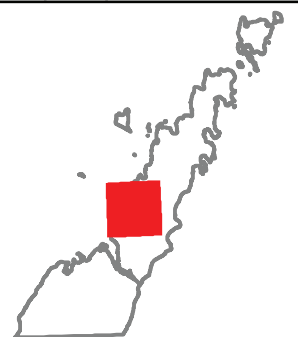
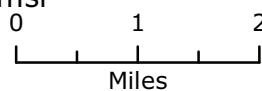


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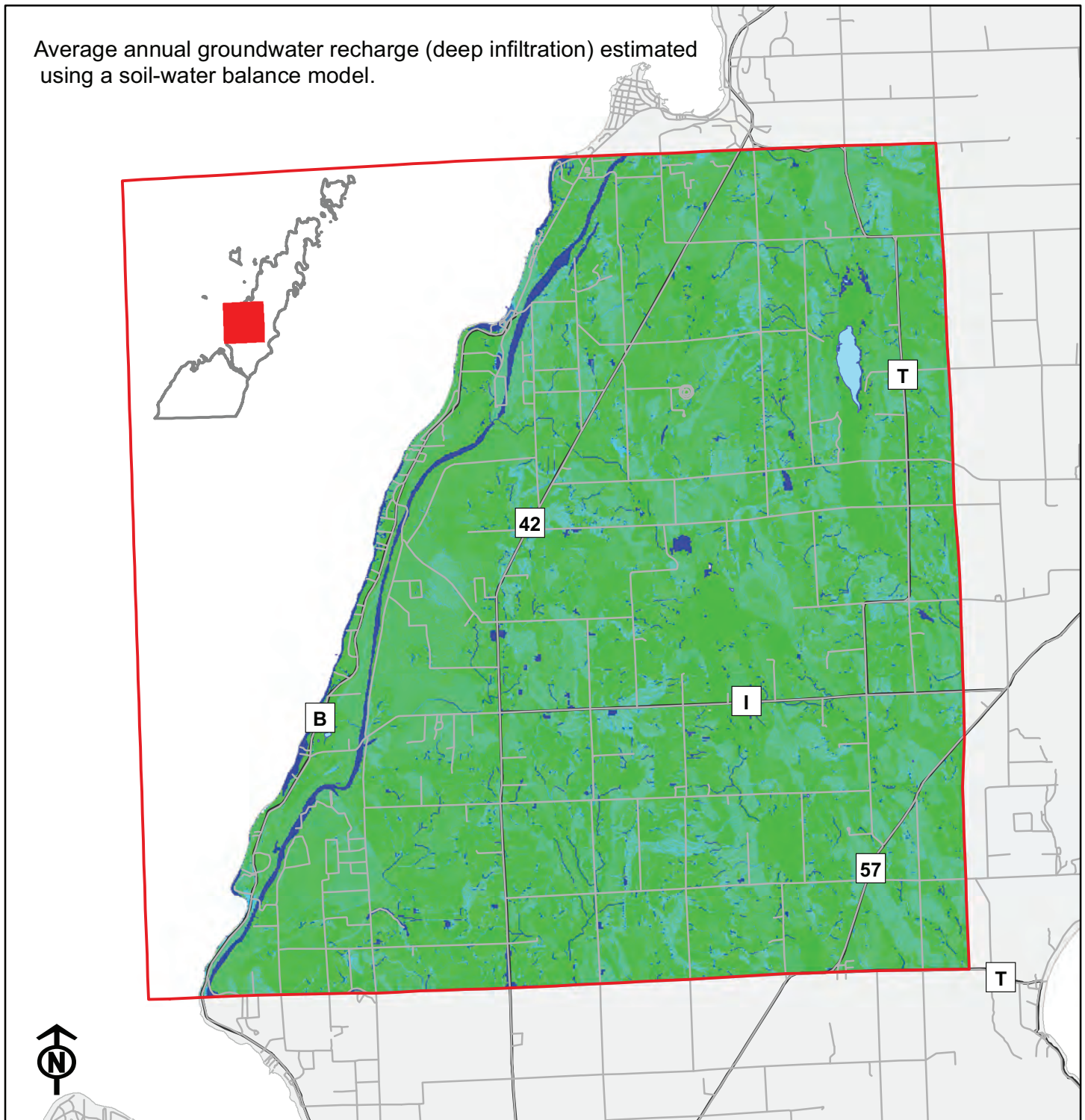
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

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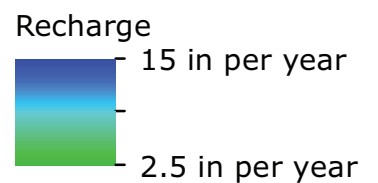
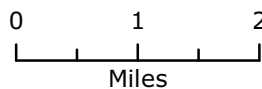


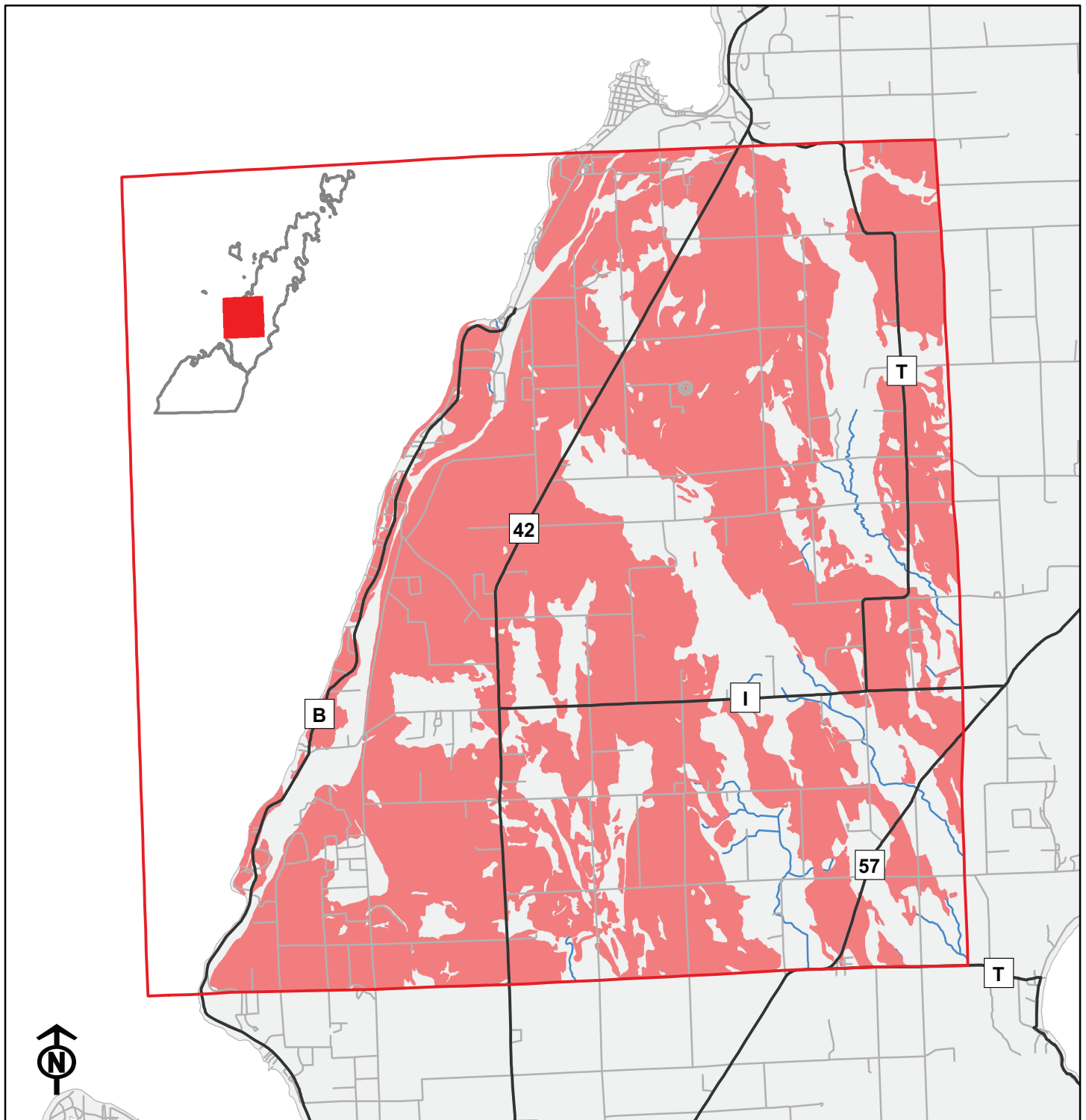
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


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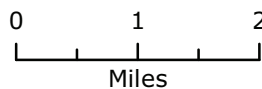
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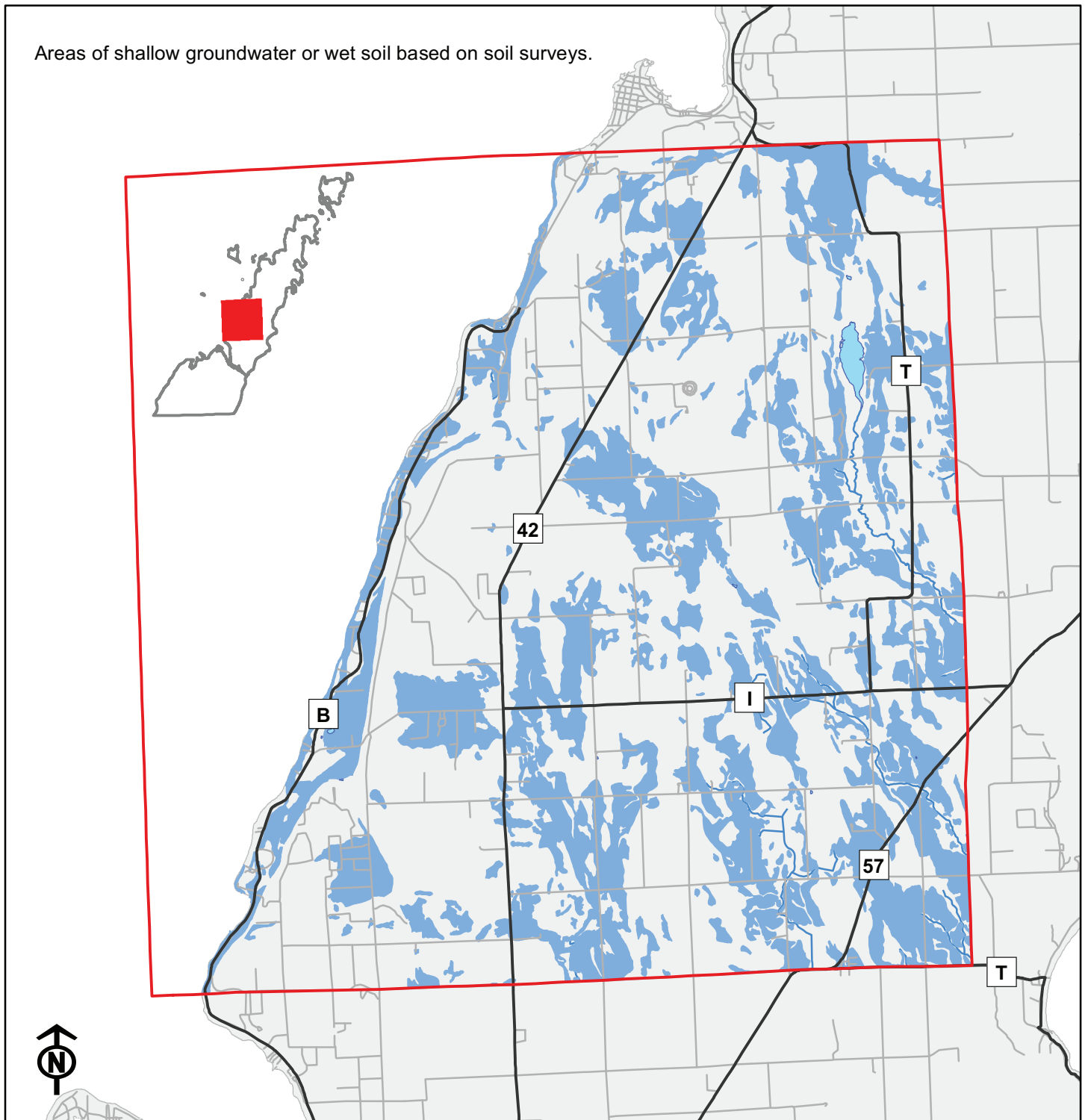




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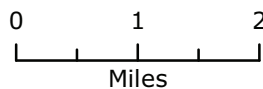



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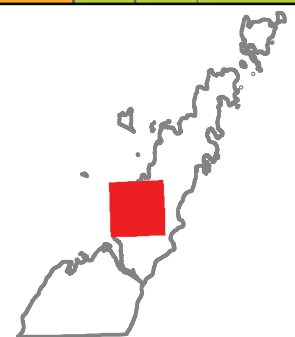
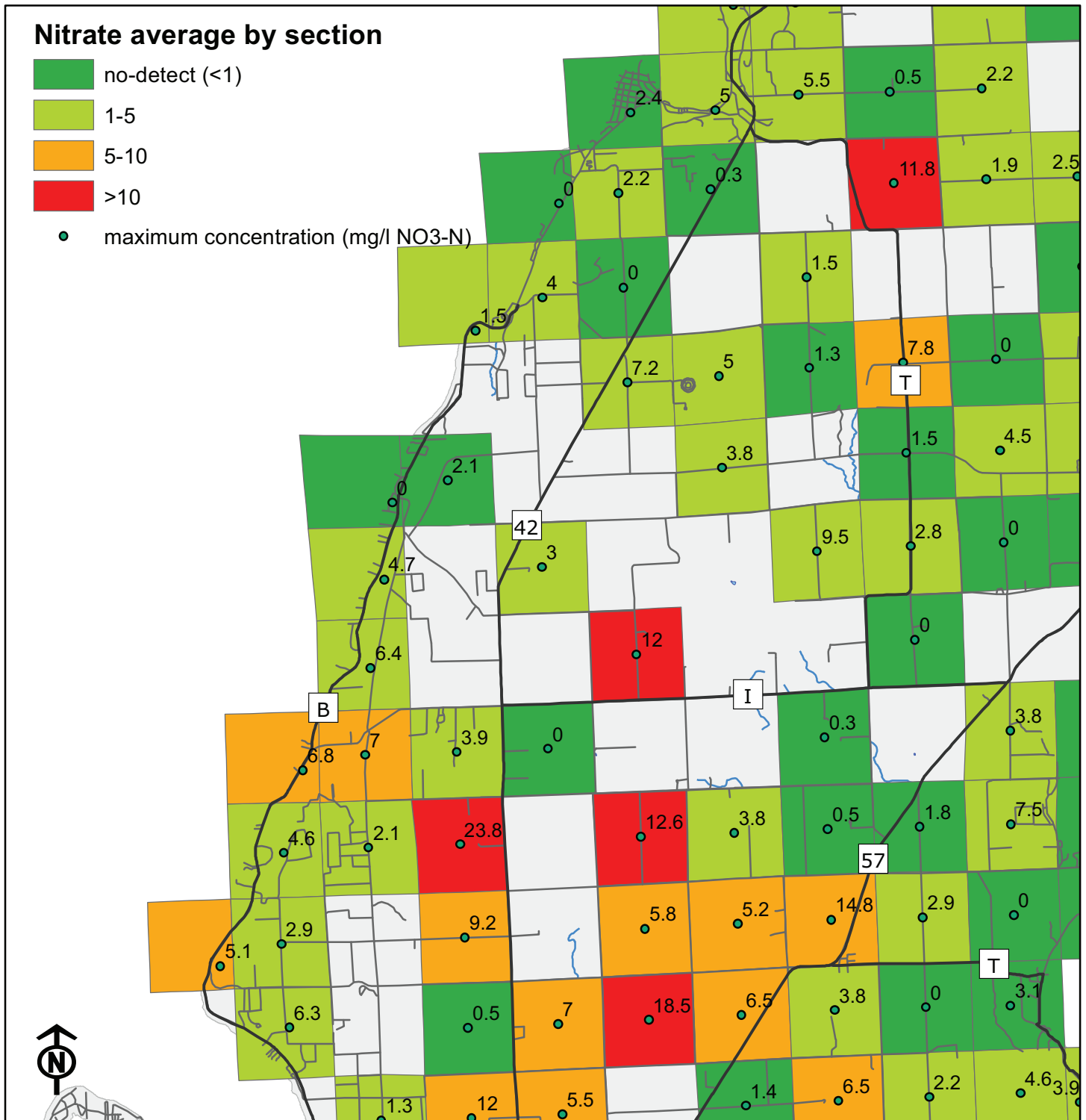


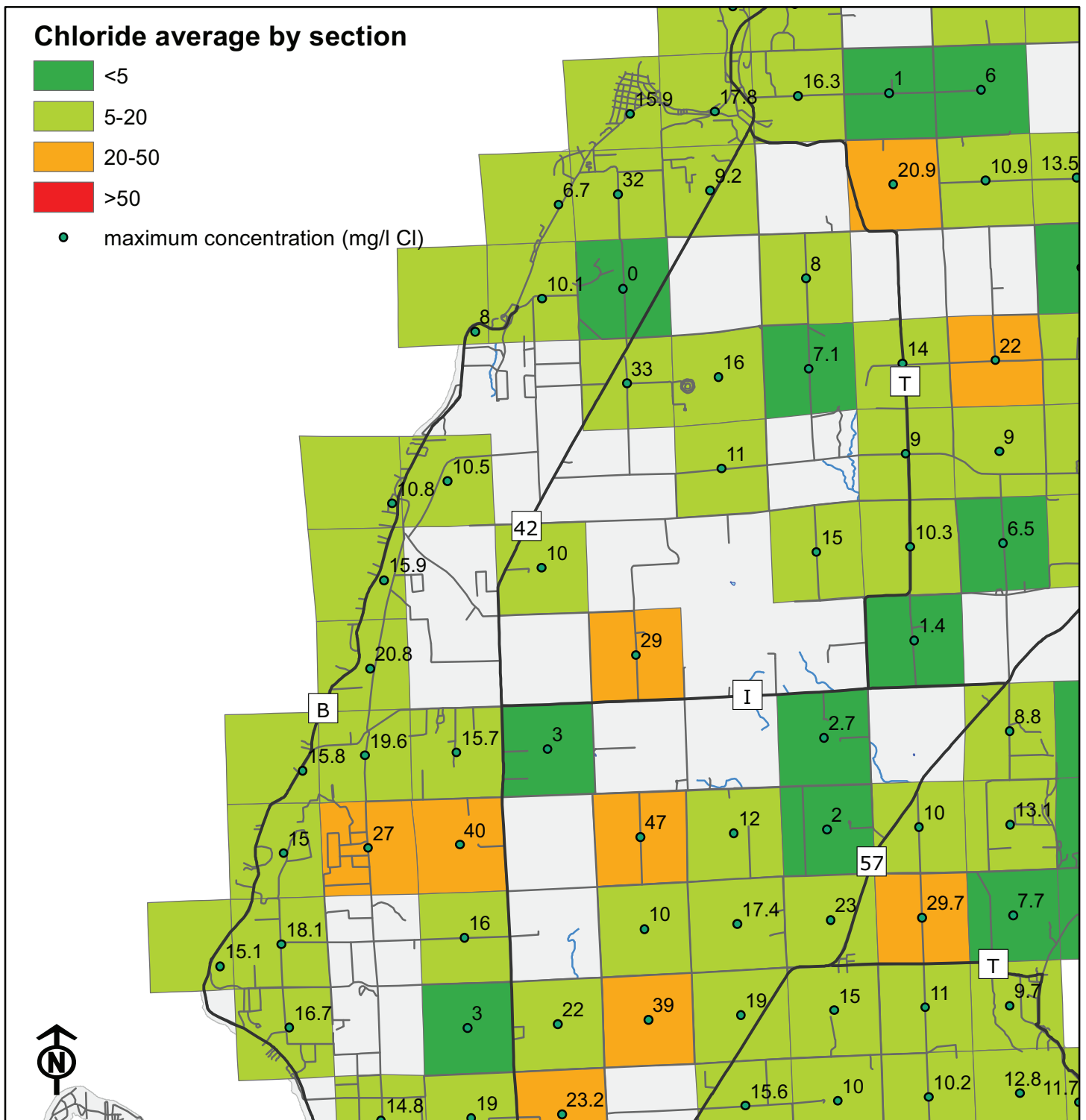
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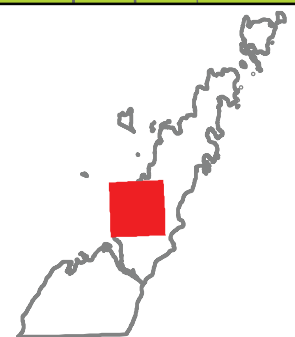
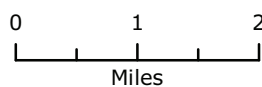


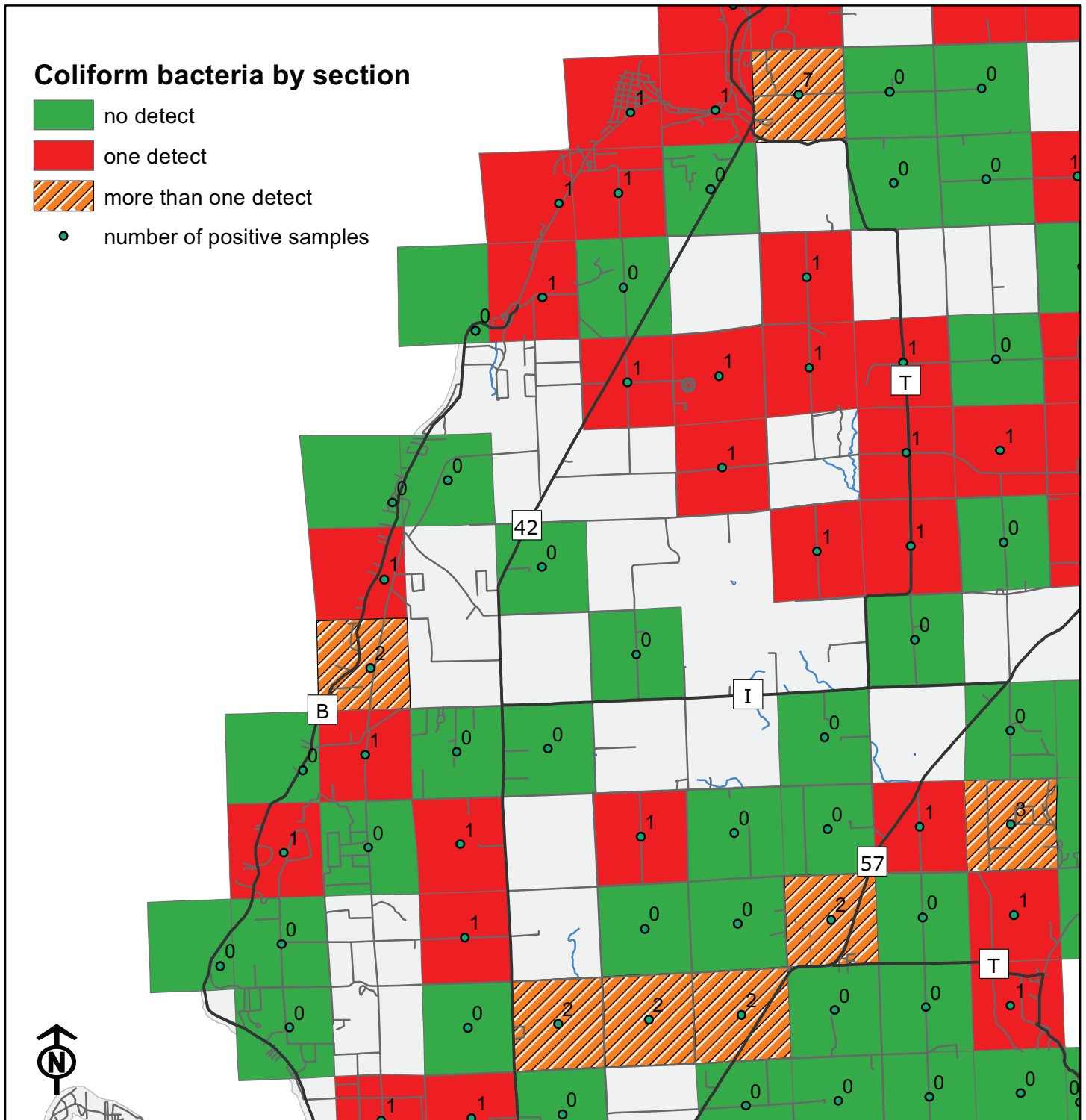
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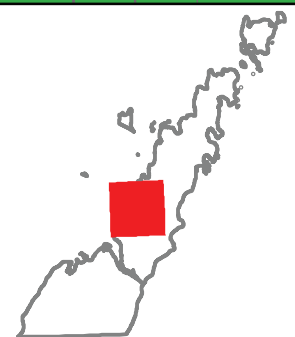
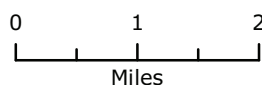


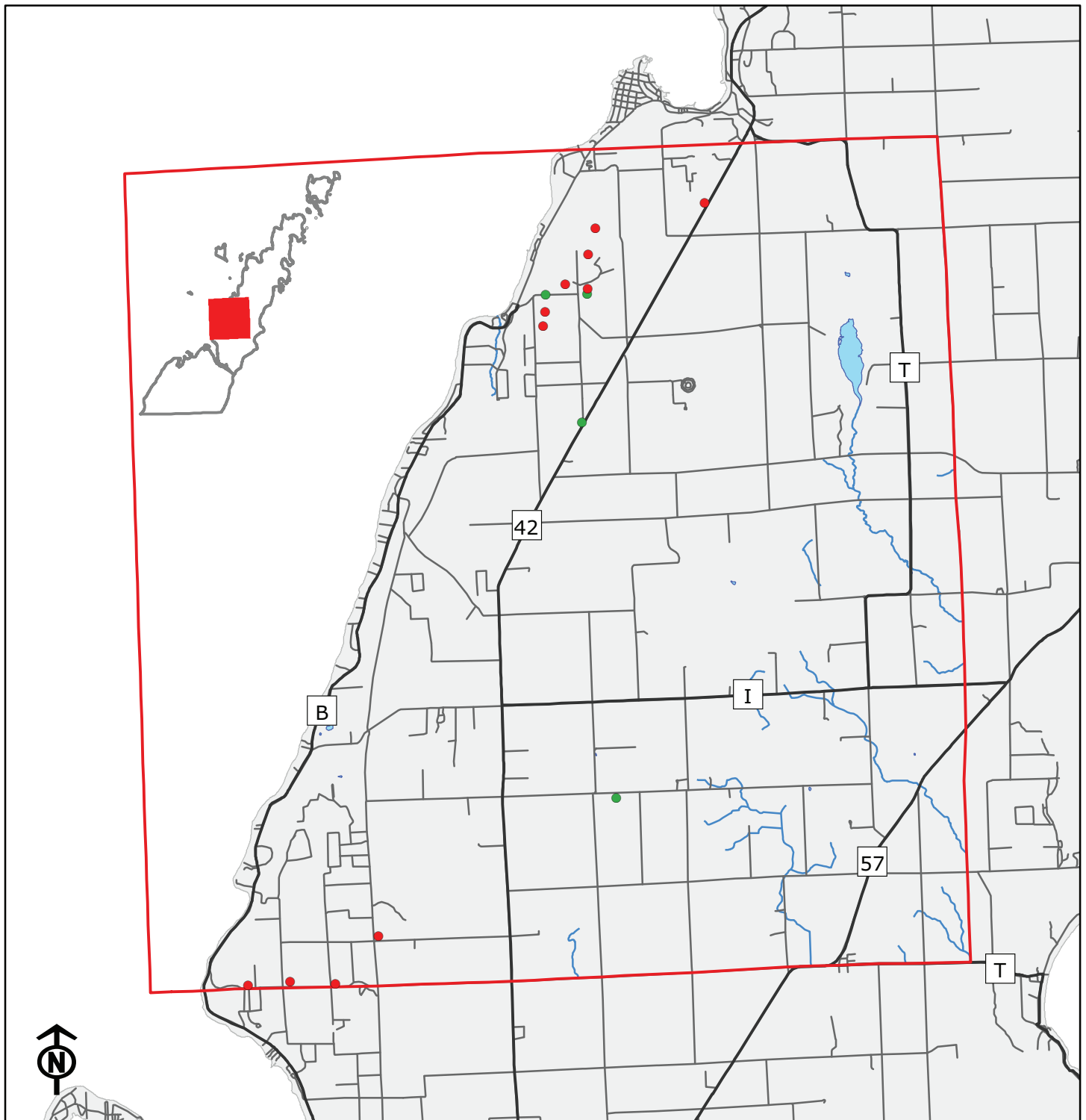
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




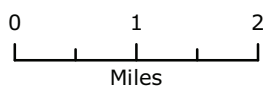
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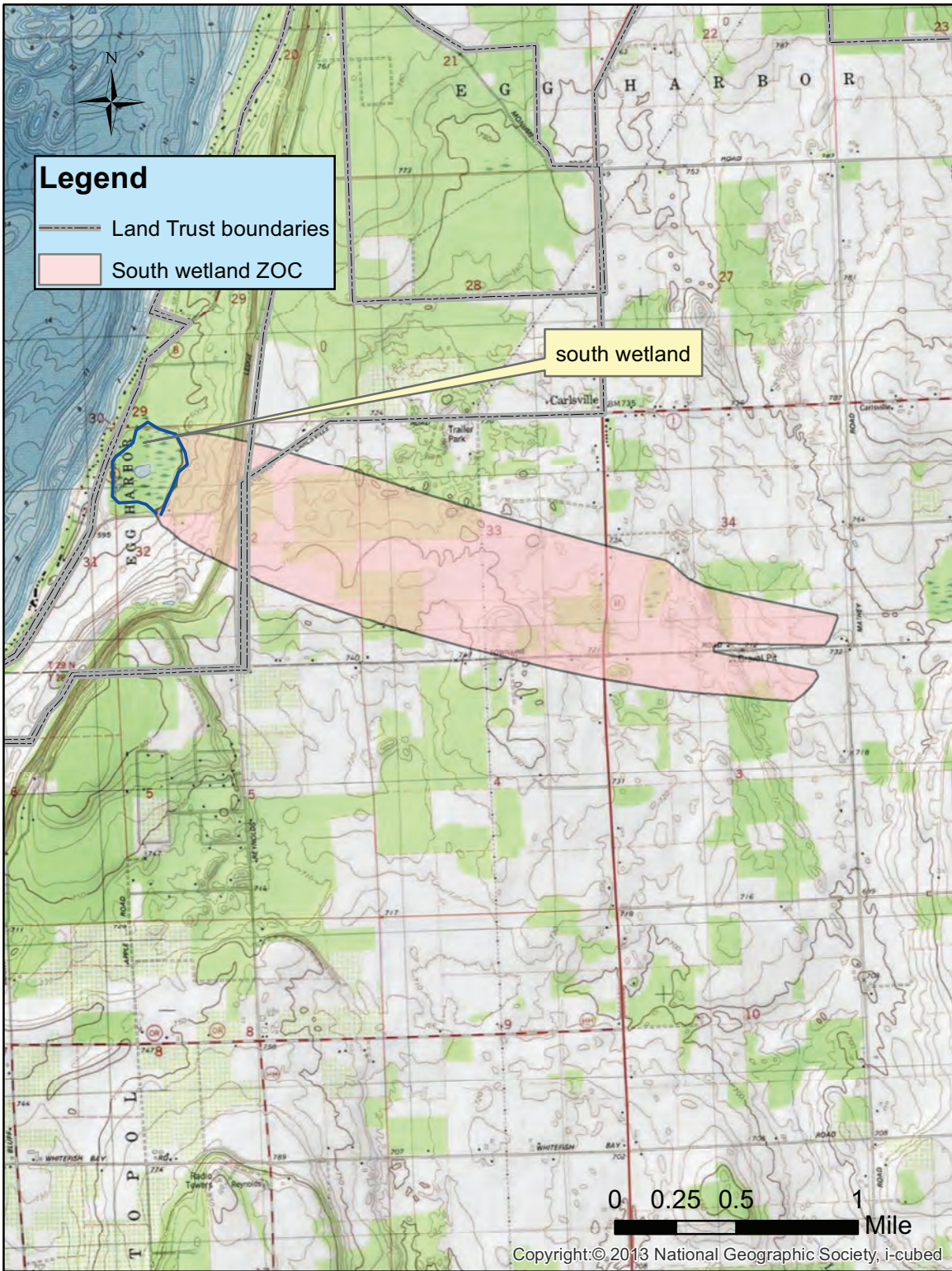
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TYPE

-  closed site completed cleanup
-  open site ongoing cleanup



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Green Bay Water Testing Preliminary Report

2014, Dan Collins



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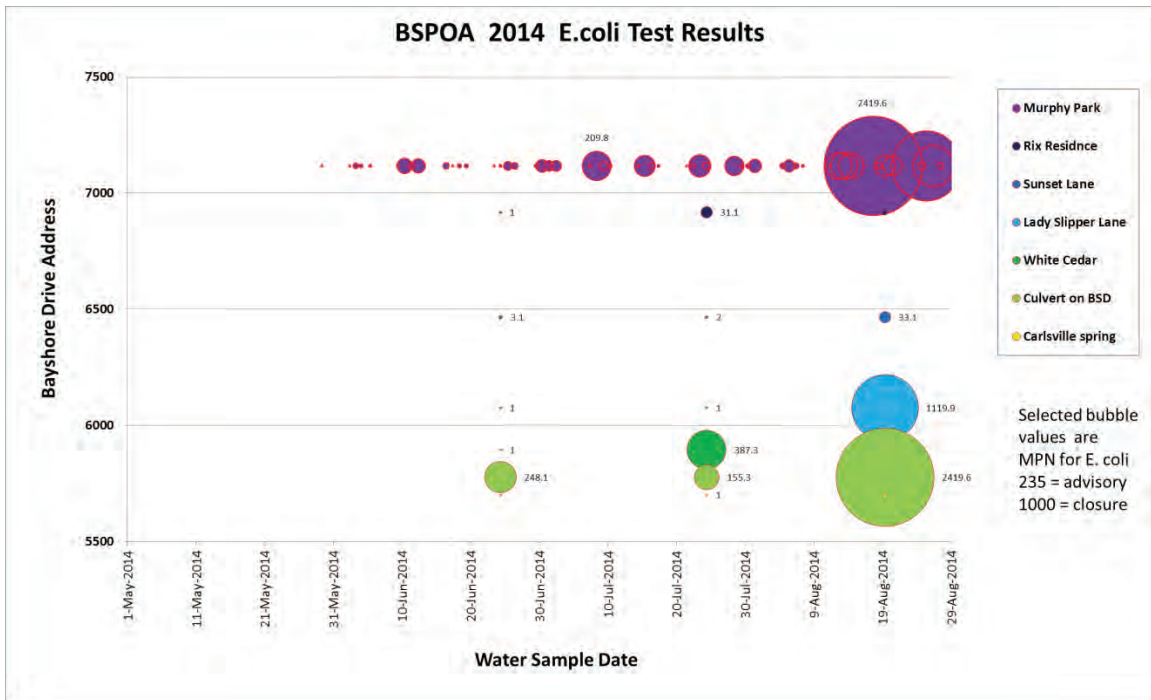
BSPOA 2014 Green Bay Water testing preliminary report

9/27/2014

Water Samplers: Nancy Aten, Dan Collins, Beth Gauger, Bill Rix, Teresa Searing
Water Testing: UW-Oshkosh, laboratories under the supervision of Dr. Greg Kleinheinz

The BSPOA board approved funds to perform E. coli and total Phosphorus(1) testing at several sites along the BSPOA Green Bay shore area to assess the near shore water safety for the benefit of our members. The E. coli levels are tested at all public beaches in Door County, Monday through Thursday from Memorial Day to Labor Day. The BSPOA tests use the same protocols and laboratories but are run only one time each month. The total costs for this project to BSPOA will not exceed \$400 for 2014 and is expected to be lower.

Samples for E. coli testing were collected at six locations along Bay Shore Drive in 2014. E. coli can be harmful to humans. The presence of E. coli can be caused by fecal matter from animals or humans coming in contact with water. When E. coli test results for public beaches generate standardized test readings above 235 a caution advisory is issued, above 1000 and the beach is closed. Twenty-one E. coli testing samples were collected over three months (June, July and August) from the waters of Green Bay. Of these samples one was above 235 and one was above 1000. The Culvert on Bay Shore Drive near 5777 (a.k.a. Schaefer Creek) was also tested and also presented one reading above 235 and one reading above 1000. The test data for BSPOA is combined with the publically available Frank Murphy Park data for purposes of comparison.



This chart shows BSPOA E. coli test result value (bubble size) by date (bottom axis) vs. Bay Shore Drive Address (left axis)

Comments from Dr. Kleinheinz regarding the E. coli tests results:

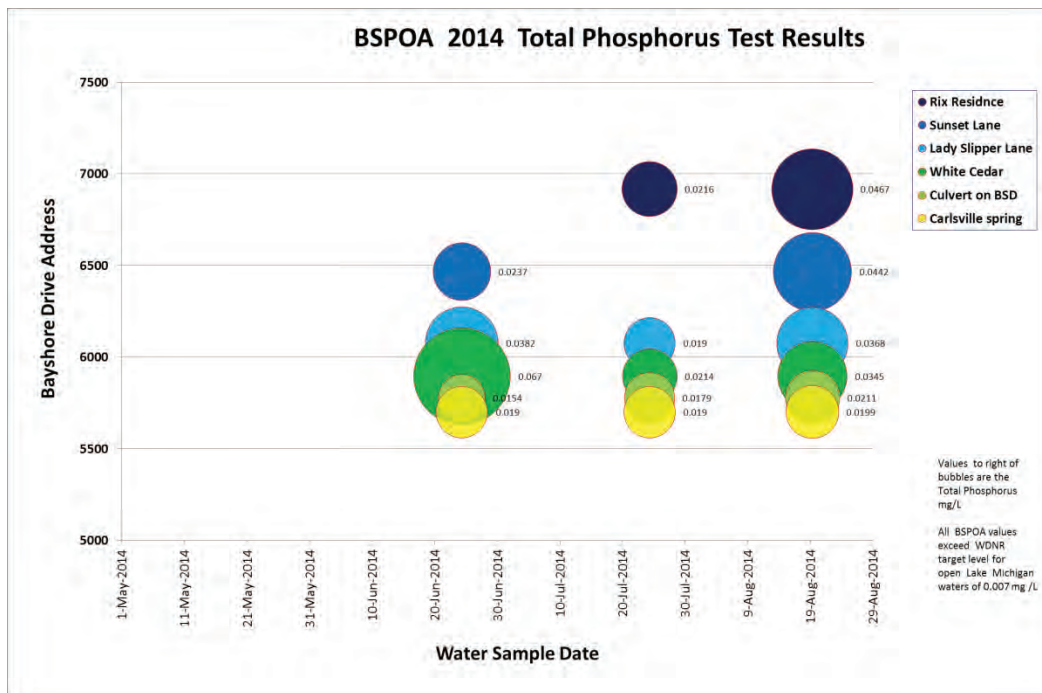
“the (BSPOA) E.coli numbers are variable with some very high readings suggesting there is some contribution nearby...pet waste, etc. or possibly an issue with sampling. This may want to be investigated. It is rare to see those very high numbers that often in Door County.”

Comments from Dr. Kleinheinz regarding the repeatedly high reading at the culvert under Bay Shore Drive:

“This is fairly common as wetlands and inputs from animals, etc. can cause elevated E.coli. We see this in many places. I would have to look at the site a bit more to better understand things. However, with the history I would suspect that there are a few input prior to the culvert. “

The BSPOA has tested for E. coli at various times and locations going back to 2004. Historic data is helpful in establishing trends and spotting any changes that might impact beach safety for BSPOA members. The summary historic data is combined with the data collected for 2014 seen in Table 1 at the end of the report.

Samples for Phosphorus were collected at six locations along Bay Shore Drive in 2014. Phosphorus can be a cause of several problems with beach usability including; noxious Cladophora and hypoxia an ecological functional collapse due to lack of oxygen. A condition of hypoxia is known to form in Green Bay waters between Sturgeon Bay and Dyckesville. The WDNR reports that 45% of the total Phosphorus in Green Bay is from agricultural activities. Sixteen samples were collected over three months from the waters of Green Bay for total Phosphorus testing. Of these samples all were above the WDNR’s recommended level for Phosphorus of 0.007 mg/L (2) for open water measurements. Frank Murphy Park does not test for Phosphorus.



This chart shows Phosphorus test result value (bubble size) by date (bottom axis) vs. Bay Shore Drive Address (left axis)

Comments from Dr. Kleinheinz regarding the Phosphorus tests results:

“P (Phosphorus) levels are actually pretty high compared to open water in Lake Michigan...see:

<http://www.epa.gov/qrtlakes/monitoring/limnology/index.html#phosphorus>

I suspect the higher levels in the mouth of the Fox River are being diluted as they enter the bay and then move to the lake. I will see if we can find some details on the open bay.”

Notes:

(1)The total phosphorus test measures all the forms of phosphorus in the sample (orthophosphate, condensed phosphate, and organic phosphate).

(2)Data provided by the state Department of Natural Resources show that phosphorus levels in parts of Green Bay have been, in most years, far beyond what is considered healthy. The target level for the open waters of Lake Michigan is 0.007 milligrams per liter. In recent years, levels 30 times that amount have been detected in the bay.

Summary / Comparison BSPOA E. coli Testing

	2004			2005			2006			2014			
	Total Tests	Schaefer Creek	Bay Only	Total Tests	Schaefer Creek	Bay Only	Total Tests	Schaefer Creek	Bay Only	Total Tests	Schaefer Creek	Bay Only	Murphy Park
# tests	96	12	72	175	19	156	112	16	96	21	3	15	54
#>235	5	2	3	14	9	5	4	2	2	2	1	1	2
%	5.2%	16.7%	4.2%	8.0%	47.4%	3.2%	3.6%	12.5%	2.1%	9.5%	33.3%	6.7%	3.7%
#>1000	1	1	0	5	4	1	0	0	0	2	1	1	1
%	1.0%	8.3%	0.0%	2.9%	21.1%	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	9.5%	33.3%	6.7%	1.9%

Table 1

Values in standard test MPN (Most Probable Number) of cells in test tray to show positive result.
 Murphy Park test not included in 2014 Total tests



BSPOA water sampler Nancy Aten in action

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0.0 Background and Overview

This survey spans twelve sites throughout the southwestern portion of Door County in order to:

- 1) Outline common taxa found throughout the Door County Land Trust
- 2) Compare taxa with those found at 8 sites during a 1999 DNR survey
- 3) Apply an index of biological integrity as an indicator of overall water quality
- 4) Identify any rare, threatened, endangered, or invasive species

Regional dolomitic karst geology creates a unique hydrologic system in which water quality is governed by dolomitic bedding plane and vertical joint transport which may carry agricultural or municipally sourced nutrients and bacteria. This high porosity and often open channel transport lends little or no filtration of contaminants and allows rapid groundwater velocity over long distances and often multiple unpredictable flow paths. Water table levels fluctuate drastically throughout the summer season with dissipation of spring snow melt and groundwater pumping. With a typical bedrock depth of a few feet throughout the area of interest, wetlands and the Niagara dolomite upper aquifer system are intricately connected in both a physiochemical and biological nature.

These waterbodies include primarily cool water ephemeral pools which are spring fed and often further interconnected via surface flow pathways. As a result, macroinvertebrate habitats are extremely dependent on groundwater derived water quality and a consistent influx from groundwater springs for pools to remain cool and well oxygenated. These oligotrophic to mesotrophic wetlands are extremely sensitive to nutrient input, with invertebrate habitat drastically altered with the introduction of algae and excessive macrophyte growth.

These karstic wetlands are of unique value to the state of Wisconsin and represent pristine aquatic habitat for macroinvertebrates as well as frogs, salamanders, and occasionally fish. Additionally, these wetlands harbor macroinvertebrate genera exclusively endemic to ephemeral habitats (e.g. caddisfly family Limnephelidae, with eggs modified for drying periods). Waterfowl and other terrestrial organisms likewise depend on these systems throughout the spring to early fall as a crucial food and water resource. As such, both terrestrial and aquatic ecosystems throughout Door County and along the escarpment depend upon these exceptionally sensitive and pristine wetland complexes.

Genera listed in tables here include adult and larvae forms, number, lack or presence during a 1999 DNR survey, and common name. Additional information is available in Excel spreadsheets provided to the Land Trust, including feeding guilds, relative abundance, etc.

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1.0 Methods

Ponds and wetlands were surveyed following a Minnesota Pollution Control Agency Protocol: “*Macroinvertebrate Community Sampling Protocol for Depressional Wetland Monitoring Sites*,” and a corresponding index of biological integrity (Uzarski et. al., 2004) was applied defining all wetlands as “Wet Meadow Zone.” This index of biological integrity incorporates various factors including relative abundance, richness, evenness, Shannon diversity index, and Simpson index to culminate in an overall generic score.

Dip net surveys are completed in two efforts, with each effort consisting of five dip net samples. Each dip net sample covers approximately ten feet of substrate. Dip net samples were taken amongst various microhabitats at each site in a proportional representation. Dip net samples were placed on a 1/2 inch wire frame, and vegetation was picked for approximately 10 minutes while invertebrates were allowed to fall into a tray below. Resulting samples were collected and stored in 70% isopropyl alcohol and glycerin.

Following dip net surveys, five bottle traps per site were placed over two nights in order to accommodate one complete diel cycle, targeting nocturnal and drifting species. Bottle traps in this case were especially useful in capturing adult coleoptera which are strong swimmers and may avoid dip net surveys, and as indicators for the presence of zooplankton, tadpoles and salamanders. During the July survey, bottle traps were not used, but rather a second dip net sample (two repetitions with ten samples each) was applied at each site in order to sample microhabitats more widely.

Invertebrates were keyed against invertebrate key “An Introduction to the Aquatic Insects of North America, Fourth Edition” (Merritt et. al., 2008), and Thorp and Covich (1991).

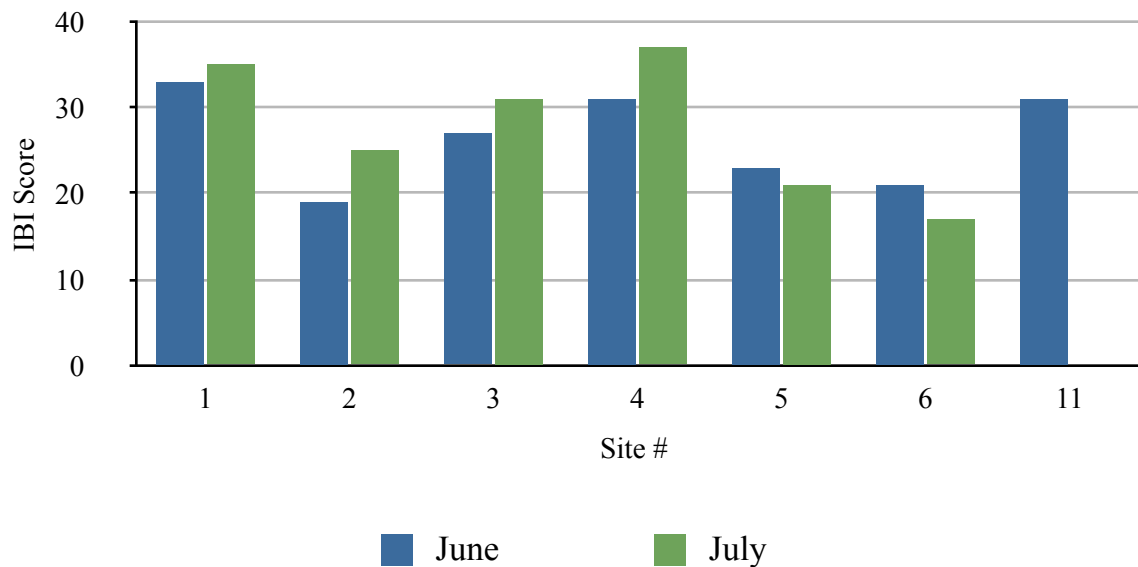
Chemistry samples were taken at each site with an Oakton Water Quality probe provided by the Land Trust. Parameters taken by this probe include temperature, pH, TDS (reported as TSS as filters were not available), and salinity. Salinity values given by the probe were extremely inconsistent and disregarded despite previous calibration (levels consistently greater than 300 parts per thousand). Throughout July sampling, samples were taken for total orthophosphate which was analyzed by absorbic acid method. All wetlands are slightly basic in pH which may be attributed to bicarbonate buffering capacity provided by groundwater inflow.

Due to drying, 7 sites were sampled in June, and 6 were sampled in July (pool at Bayshore Blufflands Natural Area had dried).

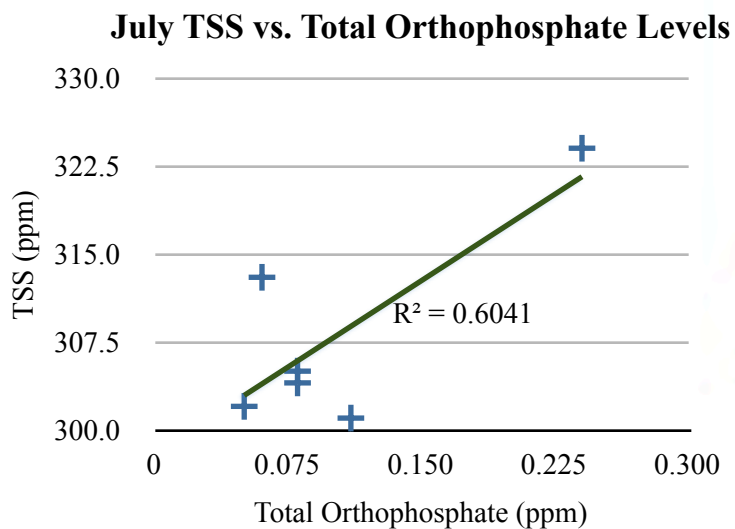
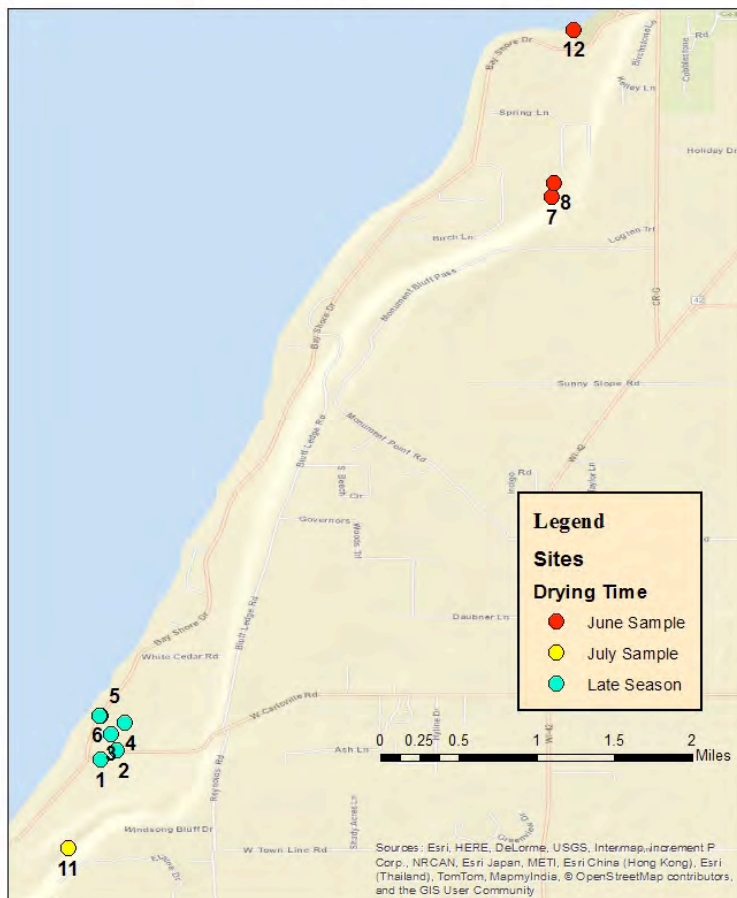
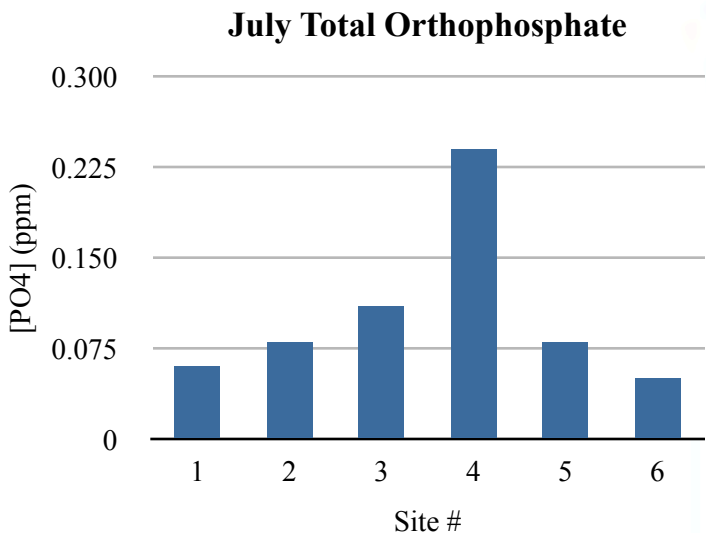
2.0 Site Overview

Site #	Description	Sample Date	Coordinates	°C	pH	TSS (ppm)	IBI Score	Genera Richness
1	Hutter Tract Vernal Pond	6/23/2014	N 44° 56.726' W 087° 22.718'	13.8	7.6 8.02	N/A 313	33	11
		7/12/2014		25.2			35	15
2	Small Spring Pond North of Carlsville Road -Marquadt Property	6/22/2014	N 44° 56.777' W 087° 22.628'	10.4	7.65 8.01	N/A 304	19	5
		7/13/2014		10.3			25	7
3	Large Spring Pond - Marquadt Property	6/22/2014	N 44° 56.871' W 087° 22.661'	19.4	7.68 8.23	N/A 301	27	14
		7/13/2014		19.4			31	13
4	Ephemeral Pond - Marquadt Property	6/22/2014	N 44° 56.934' W 087° 22.584'	18	7.88 8.68	N/A 324	31	15
		7/13/2014		23.6			37	10
5	Wetland Near Outlet - Marquadt Property	6/23/2014	N 44° 56.975' W 087° 22.718'	14	7.72 7.91	N/A 305	23	10
		7/12/2014		17.2			21	9
6	Outlet Stream - Marquadt Property	6/23/2014	N 44° 56.975' W 087° 22.727'	13.5	7.74 8.14	N/A 302	21	6
		7/12/2014		17.1			17	7
7	Seep to Woodland Pool - Spring Lane	5/22/2014	N 44° 59.869' W 087° 20.201'	9	N/A	-	23	5
8	Woodland Pool - Spring Lane	5/22/2014	N 44° 59.952' W 087° 20.187'	11.1	N/A	-	31	10
9	Sturtzl Property	No Sample	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	Carlyle Property	No Sample	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Bayshore Blufflands Natural Area	6/23/2014	N 44° 56.232' W 087° 22.903'	20	7.46	-	31	4
12	Outlet to Green Bay at Park	Dry - No Sample	N 45° 00.805' W 087° 20.078'	-	-	-	-	-

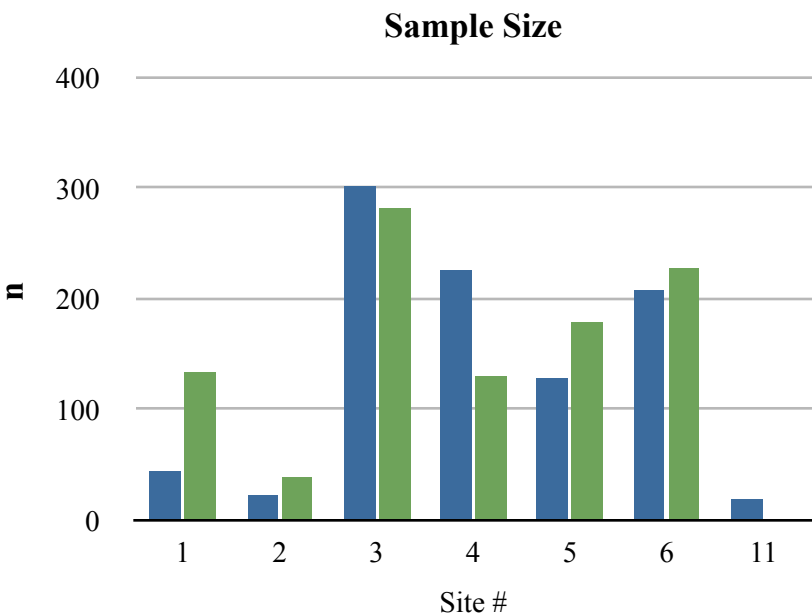
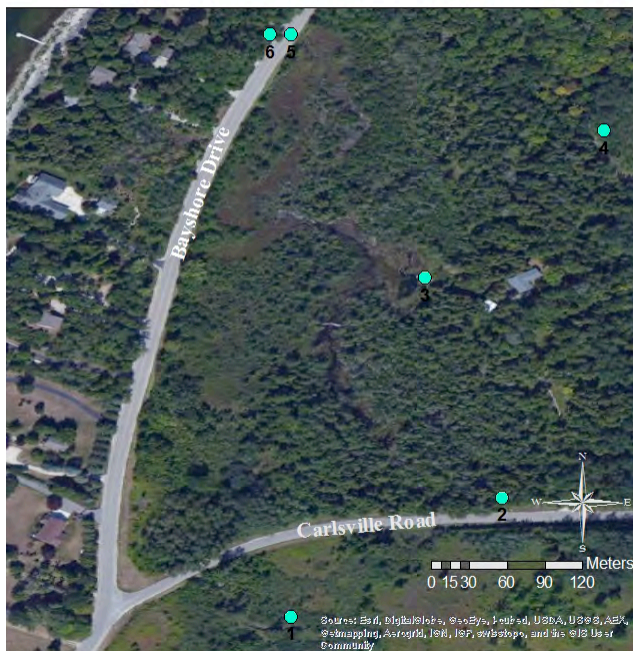
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Aquatic Invertebrate Survey Sites



Sites 1-6



■ June ■ July

Due to the karst hydrology of these systems, a number of sampling sites dried at various times throughout the summer months. Sites #7 and 8, a part of the same wetland complex south of Spring Lane, were sampled in late May and it was decided that sampling would be delayed for one month as the samples showed little diversity and lacked ephemeroptera larvae and anisoptera nymphs, among others. This wetland complex, the largest of any sampled throughout the area of interest, quickly dried between the May and June survey dates. This drying time is much earlier than expected (late summer to early fall), and rapidly drained a surface area of several thousand square meters with a maximum depth greater than four feet. It is likely that this ephemeral wetland is being impacted by nearby groundwater pumping which may have reversed flow from the spring at the southeast corner (Site #7). Other sites drying prior to the June sampling date include Site #10 (Carlyle Property), a privately owned wetland west of Bayshore Drive bordering Green Bay, and Site #12, an outlet to Green Bay at Murphy County Park just southwest of the beach area and parking lot. This outflow is highly seasonal and dependent upon spring runoff.

Names used to describe these pools and property owners were borrowed from the 1999 survey carried out by Dr. Kurt Schmude as to provide a simple means for comparison. Land owners in many cases have changed since this survey and may no longer be current.

2.1 Hutter Tract Vernal Pond

This is a relatively small pond located just south of Carlsville Road and east of Bayshore Drive. The fetch runs from east to northwest and deepens westwardly toward Bayshore Drive. The pool is relatively narrow in width (approximately 7 to 20 feet). Given the relatively small surface area of this pool, the macroinvertebrate community is robust and extremely diverse. This pool holds an exceptional number of predatory macroinvertebrates including anisoptera, zygoptera, and diving beetles, which as predators depend upon a well developed prey community as a food source. This pool in particular is a key resource for anisoptera nymph development and should be considered of utmost importance to the Land Trust.

Habitat throughout this vernal pond includes light algal growth, emergent and submerged vegetation, and leaf litter. The substrate is primarily vegetative. Surrounding plant growth includes short brush and alders, with some overhanging branches providing shaded cover. In July, this was the warmest of all water bodies sampled (25.2°C). Water here is rather stagnant and likely warms throughout the summer months due to lack of flow. The pool retained significant volumes of water throughout all sampling dates.



2.1.1 Taxonomy

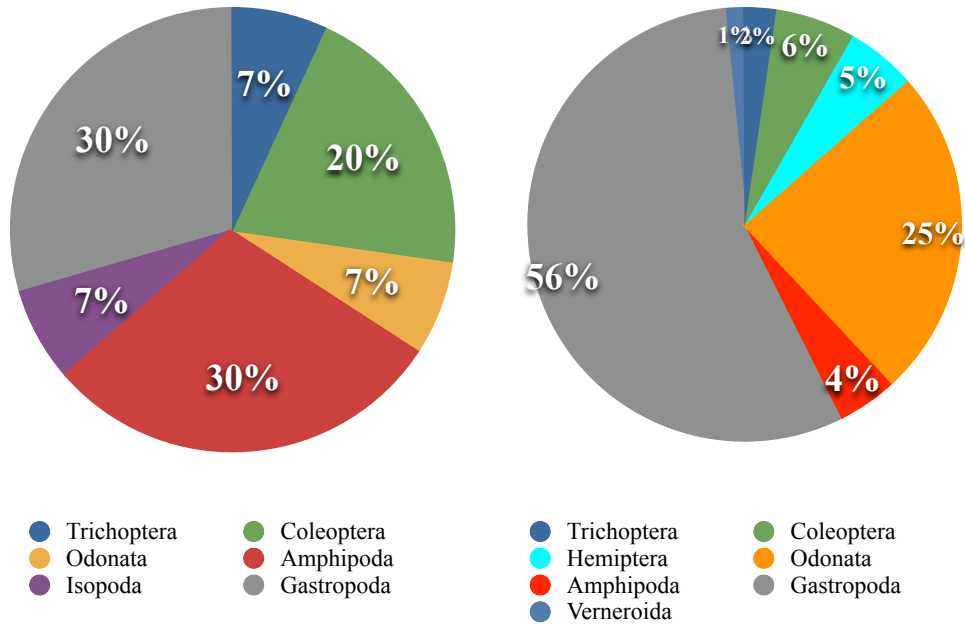
June Sample

Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Larvae/ Adult	#	Present 1999	Common Name
Trichoptera		Limnephelidae	Limnephilus	L	3	F:Y G:Y	Caddisfly
Coleoptera		Dytiscidae	Dytiscus	L	5	F:Y G:Y	Pred. Diving Beetle
Coleoptera		Dytiscidae	Agabus	L	1	F:Y G:N	Pred. Diving Beetle
Coleoptera		Dytiscidae	Copelatus	A	1	F:Y G:N	Pred. Diving Beetle
Coleoptera		Dytiscidae	Eretes	A	2	F:Y G:N	Pred. Diving Beetle
Odonata	Anisoptera	Libellulidae	Sympetrum	L	1	F:N G:N	Dragonfly
Odonata	Zygoptera	Coenagrionidae	Enallagma	L	2	F:N G:N	Narrow Winged Damselfly
Amphipoda	Gammaridae	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx	A	13	F:Y G:Y	Cave Amphipod
Isopoda	Asellota	Asellidae	Caecidotea	A	3	F:Y G:Y	Freshwater Sow Bug
Basommatophora		Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola	A	12	F:Y G:Y	Snail
		Physidae	Physa	A	1	F:N G:N	Snail

July Sample

Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Larvae/ Adult	#	Present 1999	Common Name
Trichoptera		Limnephelidae	Limnephilus	L	3	F:Y G:Y	Caddisfly
Coleoptera		Dytiscidae	Dytiscus	L	1	F:Y G:Y	Pred. Diving Beetle
Coleoptera		Dytiscidae	Laccodytes	A	3	F:Y G:N	Pred. Diving Beetle
Coleoptera		Dytiscidae	Copelatus	A	1	F:Y G:N	Pred. Diving Beetle
Coleoptera		Dytiscidae	Cybister	A	1	F:Y G:N	Pred. Diving Beetle
Coleoptera		Dytiscidae	Laccophilus	A	2	F:Y G:Y	Pred. Diving Beetle
Hemiptera		Gerridae	Trepobates	A	3	F:Y G:N	Water Strider
Hemiptera		Pleidae	Neoplea	A	4	F:N G:N	Pygmy Backswimmer
Odonata	Anisoptera	Libellulidae	Sympetrum	L	32	F:N G:N	Dragonfly
Odonata	Zygoptera	Lestidae	Lestes	L	1	F:Y G:Y	Damselfly
Amphipoda	Gammaridae	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx	A	6	F:Y G:Y	Cave Amphipod
Basommatophora		Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola	A	53	F:Y G:Y	Snail
		Physidae	Physa	A	9	F:N G:N	Snail
Basommatophora		Planorbidae	Gyraulus	A	13	F:Y G:Y	Snail
Veneroida	Sphaeriacea	Sphaeriidae		A	2	F:Y	Fingernail Clam

Site #1: June Relative Abundance Site #1: July Relative Abundance



The presence of anisoptera nymphs in this vernal pond increased drastically from June to July (from 1 to 32 individuals). The ecosystem is heavily centered upon predaceous genera of anisoptera, zygoptera, and aquatic coleoptera. The largest adult predaceous coleoptera of all sampling sites were found within Site #1. Crangonyx likely serve as an important food source for these predatory macroinvertebrates, along with various hemiptera. Correspondingly, amphipod, trichoptera, and isopod relative abundance declined throughout summer months as predatory odonata and hemiptera increase. Ephemeroptera (mayflies) were not present at this site despite being rather ubiquitous among other sites, which may be attributed to heavy predation along with the loss of isopods in the July sample.

2.2 Small Spring Pond - Marquadt Property

This is a small spring pond just North of Carlsville Road and east of Bayshore Drive. The pond lies just northeast (across Carlsville Road) of the Hutter Tract Vernal Pond. Sandy groundwater springs feed this pond which connects at the northwest corner to a stream running through the Marquadt property. Water clarity is exceptional, and the pond is not highly productive. The macroinvertebrate community is dominated by crustacea (amphipoda and isopoda). Bottle traps showed no indication of zooplankton, tadpoles or salamanders. Although index of biological integrity scores are fairly low for this pool, this likely reflects lack of habitat diversity and little vegetation rather than poor water quality. No predatory genera were found here, and as such the community composition remained fairly constant throughout sampling dates.

2.2.1 Taxonomy

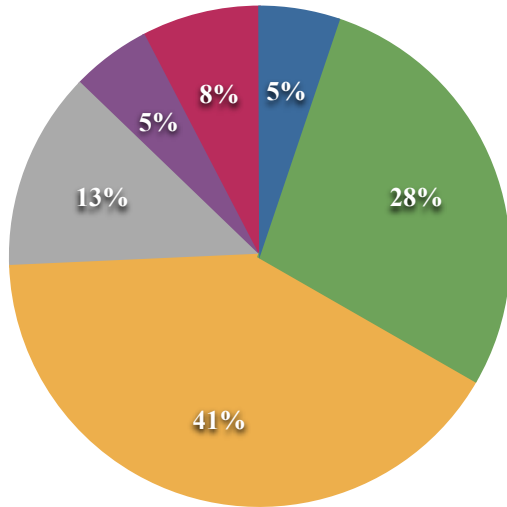
June

Order	Family	Genus	Larvae/ Adult	#	Present 1999	Common Name
Trichoptera	Limnephelidae	Limnephilus	L	2	F:Y G:Y	Caddisfly
Amphipoda	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx	A	11	F:Y G:Y	Cave Amphipod
Isopoda	Asellidae	Caecidotea	A	6	F:Y G:Y	Freshwater Sow Bug
Basommatophora	Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola	A	1	F:N G:N	Snail
Basommatophora	Planorbidae	Gyraulus	A	2	F:N G:N	Snail

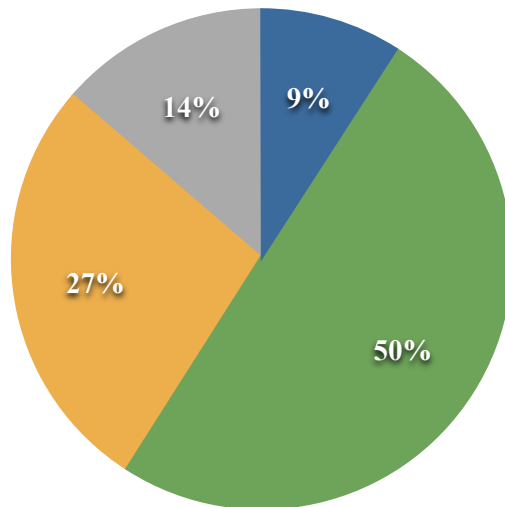
July

Order	Family	Genus	Larvae/ Adult	#	Present 1999	Common Name
Trichoptera	Limnephelidae	Limnephilus	L	2	F:Y G:Y	Caddisfly
Hemiptera	Gerridae	Trepobates	L	3	F:Y G:N	Water Strider
Amphipoda	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx	A	11	F:Y G:Y	Cave Amphipod
Isopoda	Asellidae	Caecidotea	A	16	F:Y G:Y	Freshwater Sow Bug
Basommatophora	Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola	A	3	F:N G:N	Snail
Basommatophora	Planorbidae	Gyraulus	A	2	F:N G:N	Snail
Veneroida	Sphaeriidae	Pisidium	A	2	F:N G:N	Fingernail Clam

Site #2: July Relative Abundance



Site #2: June Relative Abundance



2.3 Large Spring Pond - Marquadt Property

This is the largest and deepest permanent water body sampled. A number of springs arise and feed the pond directly. At the northwestern corner, the pond is connected to a shallow wetland system (Site #5), as well as a small low flow creek at the southeastern edge. This pond is most drastically influenced by nutrients and has become extremely eutrophic. Nuisance algae growth has largely overtaken endemic macrophytes. Substrate samples indicate that the pond is transitioning from a primarily sand substrate toward an organic rich silt from excess deposition of organic carbon. Although this pond is highly productive due to significant primary production, gastropods have become exceptionally abundant (see relative abundance) scraping upon filamentous algae. This condition is common for vernal pools suffering from eutrophication (Colburn, 2004). This site held county records for *Microvelia bunoi*, *Gerris insperatus*, *Enochrus cinctus*, and *Enochrus horni* during the 1999 survey. Most unfortunately, no members of these genera were found in 2014, which may be due to the shift in community structure following algae colonization and substrate transformation.

Site #3



2.3.1 Taxonomy

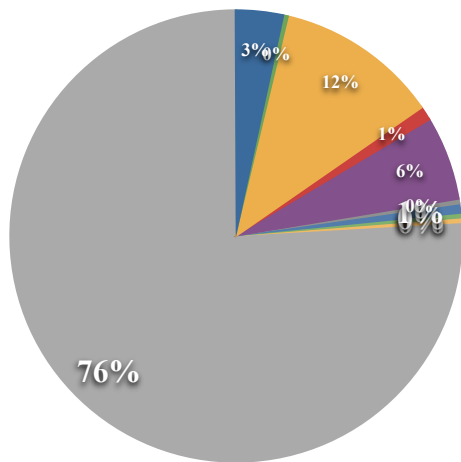
June

Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Larvae/ Adult	#	Present 1999	Common Name
Coleoptera		Dytiscidae	Hygrotus	A	1	F:Y G:Y	Pred. Diving Beetle
Odonata	Anisoptera	Libellulidae	Plathemis	L	1	F:Y G:N	White Tail Skimmer D
Odonata	Anisoptera	Aeshnidae	Anax	L	1	F:Y G:Y	Darner Dragonfly
Hemiptera	Heteroptera	Notonectidae	Notonecta	A	1	F:N G:N	Pred. Diving Beetle
Trichoptera		Polycentropodidae	Polycentropus	L	1	F:N G:N	Caddisfly
Trichoptera		Limnephelidae	Limnephilus	L	9	F:Y G:Y	Caddisfly
Ephemeroptera		Leptophlebiidae	Leptophlebia	L	18	F:Y G:Y	Mayfly
Diptera		Chironomidae		L	2	F:N G:N	Chironomid / Midges
Amphipoda	Gammaridae	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx	A	35	F:Y G:Y	Cave Amphipod
Isopoda		Asellidae	Caecidotea	A	3	F:Y G:Y	Freshwater Sow Bug
		Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola	A	121	F:N G:N	Snail
		Physidae	Physa	A	107	F:N G:N	Snail
Veneroida	Sphaeriacea	Sphaeriidae	Pisidium	A	1	F:N G:N	Fingernail Clam
Trombidifori	Prostigmata			A	1	N	True Water Mite

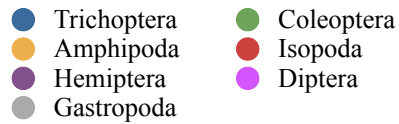
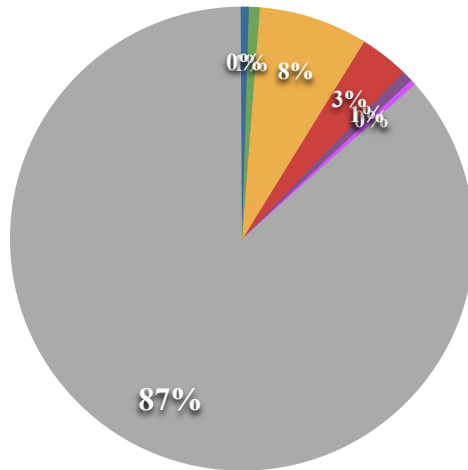
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Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Larvae/ Adult	#	Present 1999	Common Name
Coleoptera		Dytiscidae	Derovatellus	A	1	F:Y G:N	Pred. Diving Beetle
Coleoptera		Dytiscidae		A	1	F:Y G:N	Pred. Diving Beetle
Odonata	Anisoptera	Libellulidae	Sympetrum	L	3	F:Y G:N	White Tail Skimmer D
Odonata	Zygoptera	Lestidae	Lestes	L	16	F:N G:N	Darner Dragonfly
Hemiptera	Heteroptera	Notonectidae	Notonecta	A	1	F:N G:N	Pred. Diving Beetle
Hemiptera	Heteroptera	Corixidae		A	1	F:Y	Pred. Diving Beetle
Trichoptera		Limnephelidae	Anabolia	L	1	F:Y G:Y	Caddisfly
Diptera		Chironomidae	Chironomus	L	1	F:N G:N	Chironomid / Midge
Amphipoda	Gammaridae	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx	A	20	F:Y G:Y	Cave Amphipod
Isopoda		Asellidae	Caecidotea	A	9	F:Y G:Y	Freshwater Sow Bug
		Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola	A	128	F:N G:N	Snail
		Physidae	Physa	A	76	F:N G:N	Snail
Basommatophora		Planorbidae	Gyraulus	A	24	F:Y G:Y	Ram's Horn Snail

Site #3: June Relative Abundance



Site #3: July Relative Abundance



2.4 Ephemeral Pond: Marquadt Property

The Marquadt Ephemeral Pond is a wooded wetland which shows exceptional genera richness (10 and 15 in June and July, respectively). Habitat is rich in leaf litter, submerged and emergent vegetation, floating logs and detritus, with good water clarity and little algae growth. Trichoptera production here outweighs all other sampling sites, with trichoptera being very abundant adjacent to shorelines throughout both wooded and vegetative areas, but declining in the July sample likely due to both predation and hatching. Trichoptera collected here in July were nearly all preparing for hatch (strongly encased and developing wing pads). Site #4 was also the only found to host Megaloptera (fishfly larvae) in 2014.

Site #4



2.4.1 Taxonomy

June

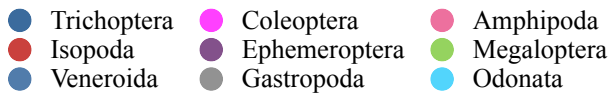
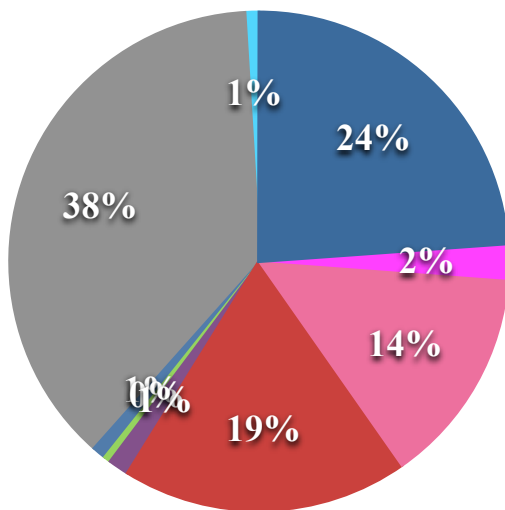
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Coleoptera	Dytiscidae	Dytiscus		L	3	F:Y G:Y	Pred. Diving Beetle
Coleoptera	Dytiscidae	Hydrotrupinae	hydrotupes	A	1	F:Y G:N	Pred. Diving Beetle
Coleoptera	Dytiscidae	Hydroporinae		A	1	F:Y G:N	Pred. Diving Beetle
Megaloptera	Corydalidae	Chauliodes	latreille	L	1	F:N G:N	Fishfly
Odonata	Libellulidae	Erythemis		L	1	F:N G:N	Pondhawk Dragonfly
Odonata	Lestidae	Lestes		L	1	F:Y G:Y	Spread Winged Damselfly
Trichoptera	Limnephelidae	Limnephilus		L	53	F:Y G:Y	Caddisfly
Trichoptera	Phyrganeidae	Hagenella	cana	L	1	F:N G:N	Caddisfly
Ephemeroptera	Leptophlebiidae	Leptophlebia		L	3	F:Y G:Y	Mayfly
Amphipoda	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx		A	32	F:Y G:Y	Cave Amphipod
Isopoda	Asellidae	Caecidotea		A	42	F:Y G:Y	Freshwater Sow Bug
	Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola		A	49	F:N G:N	Snail
	Physidae	Physa		A	4	F:N G:N	Snail
Basommatophora	Planorbidae	Gyraulus		A	32	F:Y G:Y	Snail
Veneroida	Sphaeriidae	Pisidium		A	2	F:Y G:Y	Fingernail Clam

July

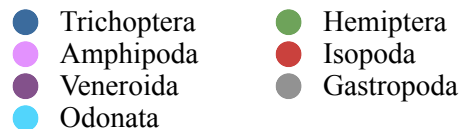
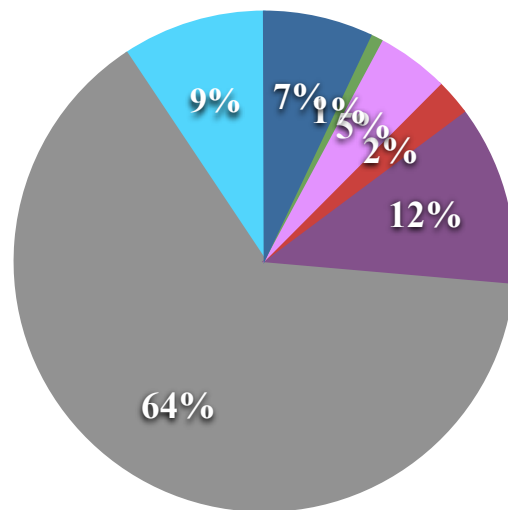
Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Larvae/Adult	#	Present 1999	Common Name
Hemiptera		Corixidae	Micronecta	L	1	F:N G:N	Pred. Diving Beetle
Odonata	Anisoptera	Libellulidae	Pseudoleun	L	6	F:N G:N	Pondhawk Dragonfly

Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Larvae/ Adult	#	Present 1999	Common Name
Odonata	Zygoptera	Lestidae	Lestes	L	6	F:Y G:Y	Spread Winged Damselfly
Trichoptera	Integripalpia	Limnephelidae	Limnephilus	L	9	F:Y G:Y	Caddisfly
Diptera		Chironomidae		L	1	F:N G:N	Bloodworm
Amphipoda	Gammaridae	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx	A	6	F:Y G:Y	Cave Amphipod; Scud/Sic
Isopoda		Asellidae	Caecidotea	A	3	F:Y G:Y	Freshwater Sow Bug
		Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola	A	56	F:N G:N	Snail
Basommatophora		Planorbidae	Gyraulus	A	27	F:Y G:Y	Snail
Veneroida	Sphaeriacea	Sphaeriidae		A	15	F:Y G:N	Fingernail Clam

Site #4: June Relative Abundance



Site #4: July Relative Abundance



2.5 Wetland Near Outlet: Marquadt Property

Flowing from east to west to an outflow culvert beneath Bayshore Drive toward Green Bay, this wetland holds habitat consisting primarily of stalked emergent marsh grasses, along with moderate amounts of submerged vegetation. Substrate was primarily gravel near Bayshore Drive, organic matter, and stalked emergent vegetation. Bottle traps set in this sampling site showed no signs of tadpoles, minnows, nor zooplankton. Water levels are fairly shallow here, with the greatest bottle trap depth being 16 inches. The site is indirectly connected at the eastern end to Site #3, likely holding many invertebrates originating there.

2.5.1 Taxonomy

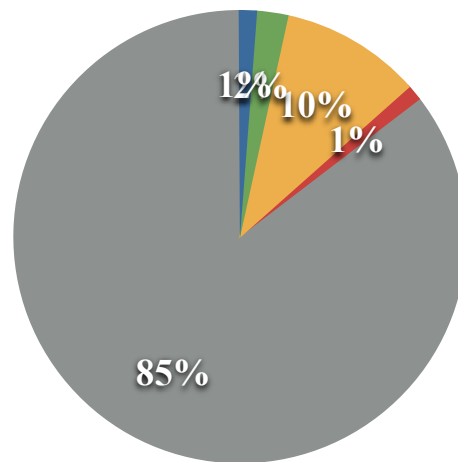
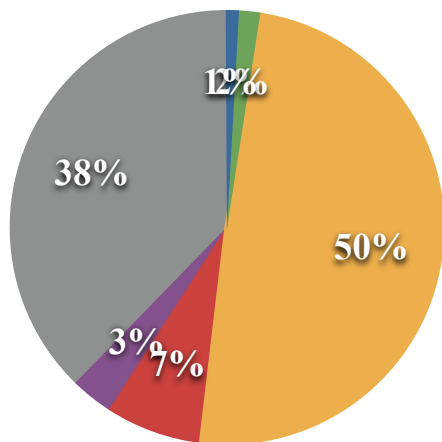
June

Order	Family	Genus	Larvae/ Adult	#	Present 1999	Common Name
Diptera	Stratiomyidae	Stratiomysis	L	1	F:N G:N	Soldierfly
Coleoptera	Dytiscidae		L	1	F:Y	Pred. Diving Beetle
Coleoptera	Lampyridae		L	1	F:N G:N	Firefly
Trichoptera	Limnephelidae	Limnephilus	L	1	F:Y G:Y	Caddisfly
Ephemeroptera	Leptophlebiidae	Leptophlebia	L	4	F:Y G:Y	Mayfly
Amphipoda	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx	A	63	F:Y G:Y	Cave Amphipod
Isopoda	Asellidae	Caecidotea	A	9	F:Y G:Y	Freshwater Sow Bug
	Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola	A	26	F:Y G:Y	Snail
	Physidae	Physa	A	3	F:N G:N	Snail
Basomattophora	Planorbidae	Gyraulus	A	19	F:N G:N	Snail

July

Order	Family	Genus	Larvae/ Adult	#	Present 1999?	Common Name
Diptera	Stratiomyidae	Stratiomysis	L	2	F:N G:N	Soldierfly
Coleoptera	Dytiscidae	Dytiscus	L	1	F:Y G:N	Pred. Diving Beetle
Coleoptera	Dytiscidae	Hydaticus	L	1	F:Y G:N	Pred. Diving Beetle
Coleoptera	Dytiscidae	no id (molting)	L	2	F:Y	Pred. Diving Beetle
Amphipoda	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx	A	18	F:Y G:Y	Cave Amphipod
Isopoda	Asellidae	Caecidotea	A	2	F:Y G:Y	Freshwater Sow Bug
	Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola	A	127	F:Y G:Y	Snail
	Physidae	Physa	A	13	F:N G:N	Snail
Basomattoph	Planorbidae	Gyraulus	A	13	F:N G:N	Snail

Site #5: June Relative Abundance Site #5: July Relative Abundance



● Trichoptera ● Coleoptera
● Amphipoda ● Isopoda
● Ephemeroptera ● Gastropoda

● Diptera ● Coleoptera
● Amphipoda ● Isopoda
● Gastropoda

2.6 Outlet Stream from Marquadt Property

Site #6 is the outflow of site #5 at the western side of Bayshore Drive. Flow is fairly rapid in this outlet stream in the early summer months, and provides consistent flow of clear water from the Marquadt wetland. Flow had declined significantly from June to July sampling times, and submerged vegetation became much more prominent. The substrate transitions from gravel near the culvert to rich organic farther downstream, including root structures, emergent vegetation, and submerged timber. Water depths were consistently less than one foot in depth in June and declined in July (4.5" max depth at culvert). Richness and diversity increased for this site as compared to 1999.

2.6.1 Taxonomy

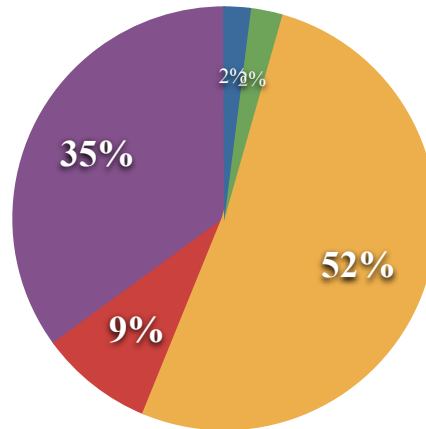
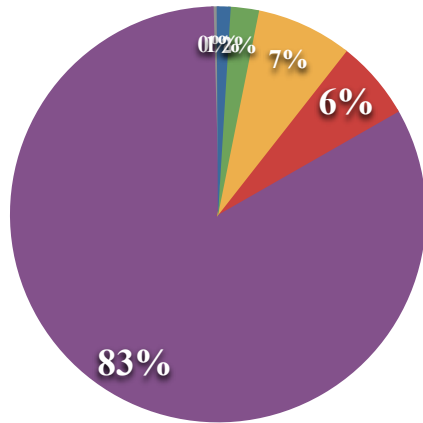
June

Order	Family	Genus	Larvae/ Adult	#	Present 1999	Common Name
Trichoptera	Limpnephelidae	Ironoquia	L	4	F:Y G:N	Caddisfly
Ephemeroptera	Leptophlebiidae	Leptophlebia	L	5	F:Y G:N	Mayfly
Amphipoda	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx	A	108	N	Cave Dwell. Amph
Isopoda	Asellidae	Caecidotea	A	18	N	Sow Bug
Basomattophora	Lymnaeidae	Lymnaea	A	61	N	Snail
Basomattophora	Planorbidae	Gyraulus	A	12	N	Snail

July

Order	Family	Genus	Larvae/ Adult	#	Present 1999	Common Name
Trichoptera	Limpnephelidae	Limnephilus	L	2	F:Y G:Y	Caddisfly
Ephemeroptera	Leptophlebiidae	Leptophlebia	L	5	F:Y G:Y	Mayfly
Coleoptera	Dytiscidae	Dytiscus	L	1	F:N G:N	Pred. Diving Beetle
Amphipoda	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx	A	17	N	Cave Amphipod
Isopoda	Asellidae	Caecidotea	A	14	N	Freshwater Sow Bug
Basomattophor	Lymnaeidae	Lymnaea	A	179	N	Snail
Basomattophor	Planorbidae	Gyraulus	A	10	N	Snail

Site #6: July Relative Abundance Site #6: June Relative Abundance



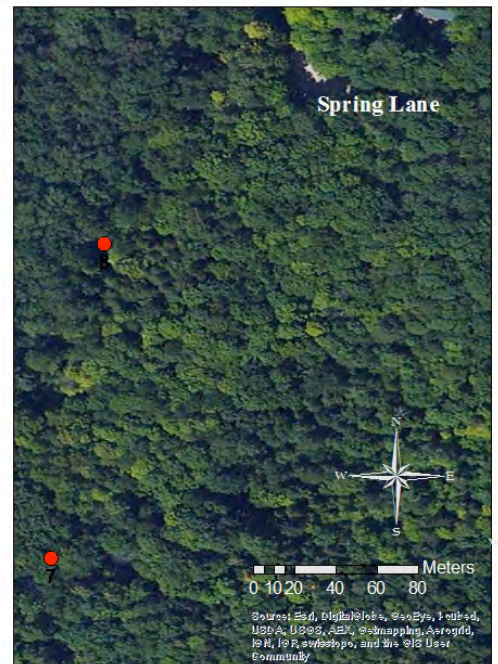
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| Amphipoda | Isopoda | Amphipoda | Isopoda |
| Gastropoda | | Gastropoda | Coleoptera |

2.7 Spring Seep Site to Woodland Pool - Spring Lane

This site is at the inflow from a natural groundwater spring at the southeast corner of the Spring Lane wetland complex. This spring is crucial for maintaining water levels within this woodland pool, which holds several thousand cubic meters of water. Cladophorous algae growth was significant during May sampling events, and indicative of spring sourced nutrient loads, as algae growth quickly declined with distance from the spring site (see Photo Log Site #7). Secondary production was low here despite drastic primary production, and diversity was noticeably low. Both sites seven and eight were surveyed in May and it was decided that sampling would be postponed for one month as these samples lacked diversity.

The impact of groundwater pumping and contamination of this site is perhaps the most urgent issue to be considered by the Door County Land Trust in the conservation master plan. This wetland complex (including both sites 7 and 8) quickly dried from a significantly large woodland pool to nearly no water in a matter of one month (See Photo Log Site #8).

Spring Lane Sites 7-8

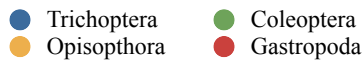
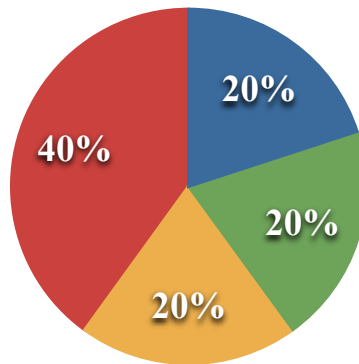


2.7.1 Taxonomy

May

Order	Family	Genus	Larvae/ Adult	#	Present 1999	Feeding Guild	Common Name
Trichoptera	Limnephilidae	Ironoquia	L	2	F:Y G:Y	Shredder	Caddisfly
Coleoptera	Dytiscidae	Copelatus	L	1	F:Y G:N	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle
Coleoptera	Dytiscidae	Hybius	L	1	F:Y G:N	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle
Opisophora	Lumbriculidae	Lumbriculus	A	2	N	Gatherer	Earthworm
	Physidae	Aplexa	A	4	N	Scraper/Grazer	Snail

Site #7 : May Relative Abundance



2.8 Woodland Pool - Spring Lane

North of the spring (Site #7) lies the majority of the wetland complex, with a maximum depth of more than four feet during May. This woodland pool is amongst standing hardwoods with a heavy canopy - floating logs and leaves providing shaded cover for macroinvertebrates. Benthic substrate is woodland soils and root structures overlain with a thick layer of leaf litter. This large wetland remarkably dried along with its spring site (#7) in less than one month (see Photo Log).

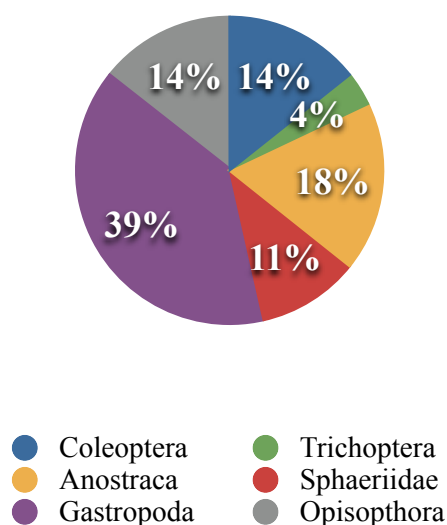
Both sites seven and eight are unique in that their crustacean population consists of anostraca (ferry shrimp) rather than isopoda and the cave Amphipod Crangonyx. These sites were the only sites in the area of interest found to harbor anostraca. Cladoceran zooplankton were most abundant here among all sites, with ample detritus and suspended organics.

2.8.1 Taxonomy

Order	Family	Genus	Larvae/ Adult	#	Present 1999	Feeding Guild	Common Name
Coleoptera	Dytiscidae	Eretes	A	1	F:Y G:N	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle

Order	Family	Genus	Larvae/ Adult	#	Present 1999	Feeding Guild	Common Name
Coleoptera	Dytiscidae	Matus	A	1	F:Y G:N	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle
Coleoptera	Dytiscidae	Hybius	L	1	F:Y G:N	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle
Coleoptera	Dytiscidae	Dytiscus	L	1	F:Y G:N	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle
Trichoptera	Limnephilidae	Limnephilus	L	1	F:Y G:Y	Shredder	Caddisfly
Anostraca			A	5	N	Collector	Ferry Shrimp
	Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola	A	8	N	Scraper / Grazer	Snail
	Physidae	Aplexa	A	3	N	Scraper / Grazer	Snail
Veneroida	Sphaeriidae		A	3	N	Filter-Feeder	Fingernail Clam
Opisophora	Lumbriculidae	Lumbriculus	A	4	N	Gatherer	Earthworm

Site #8: May Relative Abundance



2.11 Bayshore Blufflands State Natural Area

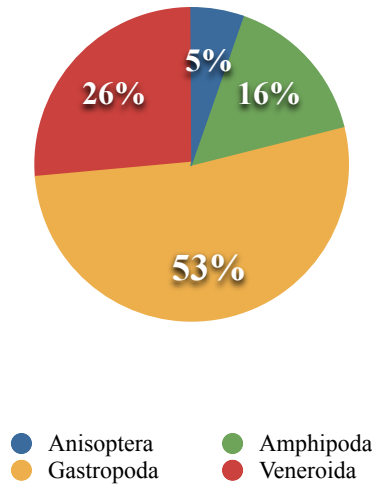
This site is a very small pool, lying in the valley below the wooden walking bridge passing through the Natural Area. Substrate was a heavy mud laden with root structure and leaf litter overlay. Only dip net samples were taken here in June as the water was too shallow for bottle traps. Although this pool is small, shallow, and dried prior to July sampling, some invertebrates develop here. This includes a small number of anisoptera, crangonyx, snails and fingernail clams. Site #11 was not sampled in 1999.

2.11.1 Taxonomy

June

Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Larvae/ Adult	#	Feeding Guild	Common Name
Anisoptera		Libellulidae	Sympetrum	L	1	Predaceous	Dragonfly
Amphipoda	Gammaridae	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx	A	3	Detritivore	Cave Amphipod
Basommatophora		Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola	A	10	Scraper / Grazer	Snail
Veneroida	Sphaeriacea	Sphaeriidae		A	5	Filter-Feeder	Fingernail Clam

Site #11: June Relative Abundance



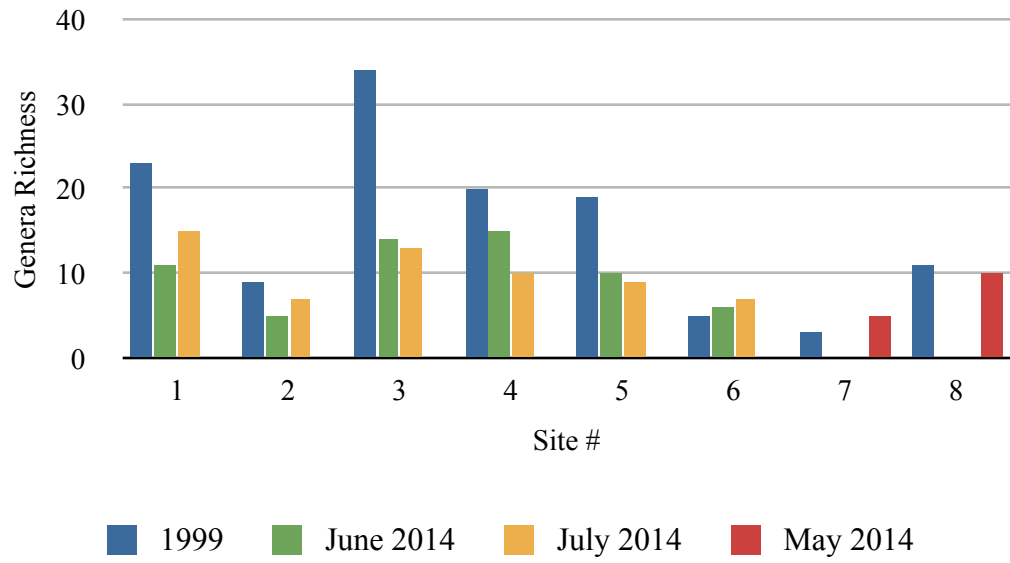
3.0 Taxonomic Overview

Although index of biological integrity scores from the MPCA method suggest degradation for many of these sites, these vernal pools are unique in their structure, and IBI scores should rather be considered as a relative comparison amongst these wetlands. Water and habitat quality throughout the area of interest is generally quite outstanding with the exception of nutrient loading at Site #3, 7, and 8. The incredibly unique community structure involving cladoceran zooplankton, groundwater sourced amphipods, a number of ephemeroptera and trichoptera larvae, with strong and diverse predatory populations shows that these vernal pools provide outstanding habitat for macroinvertebrate development and adult stages. As mentioned, maintaining these macroinvertebrate populations through nutrient management is crucial for not only the invertebrate community but higher trophic levels of both aquatic and terrestrial domains along the escarpment.

Genera richness was generally shown to decline as compared to the 1999 survey, although this may be attributed in part to sampling methodology. Between June and July samples, sites 1, 2, and 6 increased in genera richness, while sites 3, 4, and 5 declined in richness. Ephemeroptera larvae appear to have hatched between June and July sampling dates, with the *Leptophlebia* family being found only at site #6 during the July sample. Trichoptera populations likewise declined as expected throughout summer months indicative of hatching and predation.

While species identified here are not found on the Wisconsin DNR National Heritage Inventory working list, a number of members of encountered genera can be found on the list. This includes species of the following genera: *Matus* (1), *Enallagma* (3), *Agabus* (8), *Copelatus* (1), *Aeshna* (3), *Laccophilus* (1), *Hygrotus* (5), *Notonecta* (1). These rare species are primarily of the predaceous diving beetle (*Dytiscidae*) family.

Genera Richness



4.0 Land Management Recommendations

Given my understanding of the invertebrate communities throughout the area of interest, water chemistry and habitat quality, I recommend the following precautions in prioritized order:

- 1) Identify nearby pumping wells at the Spring Lane wetland complex (Sites #7 and 8), which may have contributed to rapid drawdown throughout the month of June.
- 2) Consider nutrient sources for Site #3, and develop a nutrient management plan for this waterbody. Such a plan may restore sediment and vegetative habitat in this pond, restore community evenness, and further strengthen the invertebrate community at Site #5.
- 3) Identify likely sources of nutrients contaminating Sites #7 and 8 via groundwater spring.
- 4) Work with local agriculture to develop nutrient management plans and continue to communicate the incredibly strong connection between shallow groundwater tables, nutrient / bacterial transport, and surrounding wetland habitats.
- 5) Maintain buffer strips along sites 1 and 2 (Carlsville Road) to encourage good water quality and development of odonata nymphs.
- 6) Consider continued water quality, invertebrate and herpetology surveys in these wetlands to understand community dynamics of vernal pools following initiation of land management plans.
- 7) Continue to examine seasonality of the outflow to Green Bay, to identify any fish that may use this creek as spawning, and to identify any macroinvertebrates which may enter Green Bay from the escarpment.
- 8) Communicate to land owners (especially along Green Bay at Bayshore Drive) the importance of these wetland complexes, sensitivity to groundwater withdrawals, nutrient inputs, and buffer strips from roads and yard space.
- 9) Continued habitat management at Site #4 which harbors a number of indicator species, strong diversity and richness.

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Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Amphipoda	Gammaridae	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx		A	13
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca			Isopoda	Asellota	Asellidae	Caecidotea		A	3
Mollusca		Gastropoda			Basommatophora		Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola		A	12
Mollusca		Gastropoda					Physidae	Physa		A	1

R.A. (%)	Method	Present 1999	Feeding Guild	Common Name	Other Notes	pi ²	Simpson's Index	Simpson Score	(pi)(ln pi)	Shannon Index
6.82	DN	F:Y G:Y	Shredder	Caddisfly		0.005	0.190	3	-0.183107546267056	1.95
11.36	DN/BT	F:Y G:Y	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle		0.013			-0.247130877441382	
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2.27	DN	F:Y G:N	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle		0.001			-0.0860043098617787	
4.55	DN	F:Y G:N	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle		0.002			-0.140501929698105	
2.27	DN	F:N G:N	Predaceous	Dragonfly		0.001			-0.0860043098617787	
4.55	DN	F:N G:N	Predaceous	Narrow Winged Damselfly		0.002			-0.140501929698105	
29.55	DN	F:Y G:Y	Detritivore	Cave Dwelling Amphipod		0.087			-0.360230081680396	
6.82	DN	F:Y G:Y	Herbivore	Freshwater Sow Bug		0.005			-0.183107546267056	
27.27	DN/BT	F:Y G:Y	Scraper / Grazer	Snail		0.074			-0.354349904762798	
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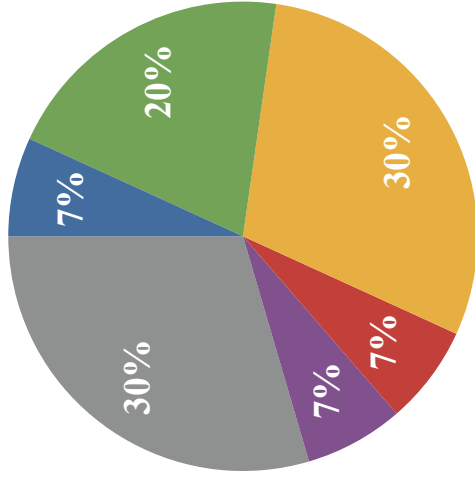
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5.00	0.85	5.00	1.00	5.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	5.00	33.00	Moderately Impacted - "Wetland shows few, but obvious, signs of anthropogenic disturbance"	6.82	44
Trichoptera	Coleoptera	Amphipoda	Odonata	Isopoda	Gastropoda							
3	9	13	3	3	13							

Phylum	Subphylum	Class	Subclass	Superorder	Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Species	Larvae/ Adult	#	R.A. (%)
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Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Coleoptera		Dytiscidae	Cybister		A	1	0.75
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Coleoptera		Dytiscidae	Laccophilus		A	2	1.49
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Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Amphipoda	Gammaridae	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx		A	6	4.48
Mollusca		Gastropoda			Basommatophora		Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola		A	53	39.55
Mollusca		Gastropoda					Physidae	Physa		A	9	6.72
Mollusca		Gastropoda			Basommatophora		Planorbidae	Gyraulus		A	13	9.70
Mollusca		Pelecypoda	Heterodonta		Veneroida	Sphaeriacea	Sphaeriidae			A	2	1.49

Method	Present 1999	Feeding Guild	Common Name	Other Notes	pi ²	Simpson's Index	Simpson's Score	(pi)(ln pi)	Shannon Index	Shannon Score	Evenness
DN	F:Y G:Y	Shredder	Caddisfly		0.001	0.232	3	-0.0850573323421523	1.89	5.00	0.82
DN	F:Y G:Y	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle		0.000			-0.0365510432832157			
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DN	F:Y G:Y	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle		0.000			-0.0627566062595667			3
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DN	F:N G:N	Predaceous	Dragonfly		0.057			-0.341994960513716			
DN	F:Y G:Y	Predaceous	Damselfly		0.000			-0.0365510432832157			
DN	F:Y G:Y	Detritivore	Cave Dwelling Amphipod		0.002			-0.13907822376371			
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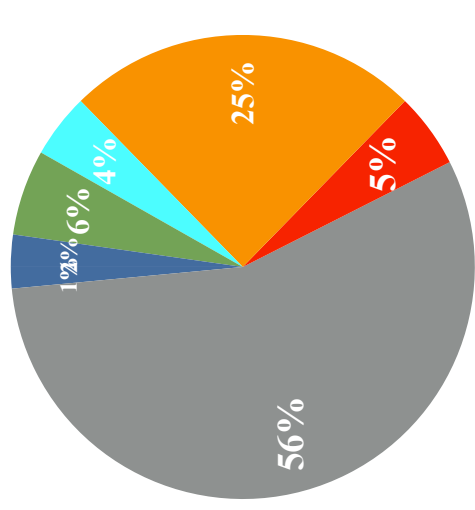
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5.00	3.00	5.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	5.00	35.00	Mildly Impacted - "Wetland beginning to show signs indicative of anthropogenic disturbance"	2.24	134
Coleoptera	Amphipoda	Odonata	Hemiptera	Gastropoda	Vemeroida					
8	6	33	7	75	2					

Site #1: June Relative Abundance



- Trichoptera
- Amphipoda
- Isopoda
- Coleoptera
- Odonata
- Gastropoda

Site #1: July Relative Abundance



- Trichoptera
- Amphipoda
- Hemiptera
- Coleoptera
- Odonata
- Gastropoda

Phylum	Subphylum	Class	Subclass	Superorder	Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Species	Larvae /Adult	R.A. # (%)	Tolerance Val
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Amphipoda	Gammaridae	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx		A	9	100

Method	Present 1999	Notes	Feeding Guild	Common Name	Other Notes
BT	Y	-Creamy / White in Color; Shorter antenna >1/2 Length of Longer Antenna; Telson distinctly divided into two parts; Urosome 1 and 2 smooth w/o setae; Approximately 5-7 mm In Length.	Detritivore	Scuds / Sideswimmers	-This is solely a bottle trap sample - non representative. Interestingly, amphipods are abundant here while absent from the woodland spring sites.

Phylum	Subphylum	Class	Subclass	Superorder	Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Species	Larvae/ Adult	#	R.A. (%)
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Trichoptera		Limnephelidae	Limnephilus		L	2	9.09
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Amphipoda	Gammaridae	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx		A	11	50.00
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Isopoda		Asellidae	Caecidotea		A	6	27.27
Mollusca		Gastropoda			Basommatophora		Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola		A	1	4.55
Mollusca		Gastropoda			Basommatophora		Planorbidae	Gyraulus		A	2	9.09

Method	Present 1999	Feeding Guild	Common Name	Other Notes	pi ²	Simpson's Index	Simpson's Score	(pi)(ln pi)	Shannon Index	Shannon Score	Evenness
DN	F:Y G:Y	Shredder	Caddisfly		0.008	0.343	1	-0.217990479345306	1.28	5.00	0.55
DN/BT	F:Y G:Y	Detritivore	Cave Dwelling Amphipod		0.250			-0.346573590279973			
DN	F:Y G:Y	Herbivore	Freshwater Sow Bug		0.074			-0.354349904762798			
DN	F:N G:N	Scraper / Grazer	Snail		0.002			-0.140501929698105			
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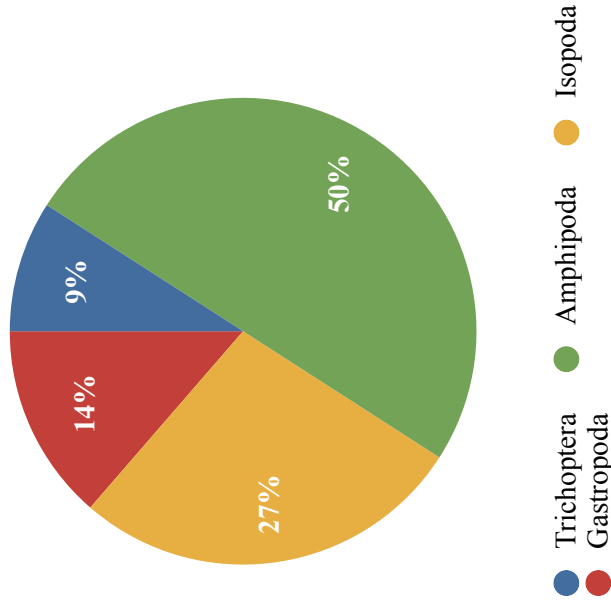
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3.00	1.00	3.00	1.00	3.00	1.00	1.00	19.00	Degraded - "wetland shows obvious signs of anthropogenic disturbance"	9.09	22
Trichoptera	Amphipoda	Isopoda	Gastropoda							
2	11	6	3							

Phylum	Subphylum	Class	Subclass	Superorder	Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Species	Larvae /Adult	#	R.A. (%)
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Trichoptera		Limnephelidae	Limnephilus		L	2	5.13
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Hemiptera	Heteroptera	Gerridae	Trepobates		L	3	7.69
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Amphipoda	Gammaridae	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx		A	11	28.21
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Isopoda		Asellidae	Caecidotea		A	16	41.03
Mollusca		Gastropoda			Basommatophora		Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola		A	3	7.69
Mollusca		Gastropoda			Basommatophora		Planorbidae	Gyraulus		A	2	5.13
Mollusca		Pelecypoda	Heterodonta		Veneroidea	Sphaeriacea	Sphaeriidae	Pisidium		A	2	5.13

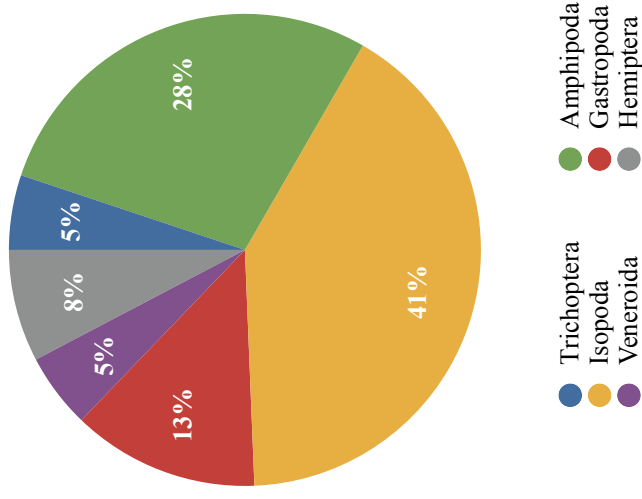
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DN	F:Y G:Y F:Y G:Y	F:Y G:Y	Shredder	Caddisfly		0.003	0.268	3	-0.152328946952292	1.57	5.00
DN	F:Y G:N F:N G:N	F:N G:N	Predator	Water Strider		0.006			-0.197303796727811		
DN	F:Y G:Y F:Y G:Y	F:Y G:Y	Detritivore	Cave Dwelling Amphipod		0.080			-0.356982823247283		
DN	F:Y G:Y F:Y G:Y	F:Y G:Y	Herbivore	Freshwater Sow Bug		0.168			-0.365527353390714		
DN	F:N G:N F:Y G:Y	F:Y G:Y	Scraper / Grazer	Snail		0.006			-0.197303796727811		
DN	F:N G:N F:Y G:Y	F:Y G:Y	Scraper / Grazer	Snail		0.003			-0.152328946952292		
DN	F:N G:N N		Filter Feeder	Fingernail Clam		0.003			-0.152328946952292		

Evenness	Evenness Score	Sph. Score	Gastropoda Score	Richness Score	Crustacea / Mollusca Score	Odonata Richness Score	Odonata RA Score	IBI Score	MPCA "Wet Meadow Disturbance"	%EPT	n
	0.68	3.00	5.00	3.00	1.00	3.00	1.00	1.00	Degraded - "wetland shows obvious signs of anthropogenic disturbance"	5.13	39
	Trichoptera	2	Amphipoda	Isopoda	Gastropoda	Veneroida	Hemiptera				
		11		16	5	2	3				

Site #2: June Relative Abundance



Site #2: July Relative Abundance



Phylum	Subphylum	Class	Subclass	Superorder	Order	Suborder	Superfamily	Family	Genus	Species
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Coleoptera			Dytiscidae	Hygrotus	
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Odonata	Anisoptera		Libellulidae	Plathemis	
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Odonata	Anisoptera		Aeshnidae	Anax	
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Hemiptera	Heteroptera		Notonectidae	Notonecta	Linnaeus
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Trichoptera			Polycentropodidae	Polycentropus	
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Trichoptera			Limnephelidae	Limnephilus	
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Ephemeroptera			Leptophlebiidae	Leptophlebia	
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Diptera			Chironomidae		
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Amphipoda	Gammaridae		Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx	
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Isopoda			Asellidae	Caecidotea	
Mollusca		Gastropoda						Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola	
Mollusca		Gastropoda						Physidae	Physa	
Mollusca		Pelecypoda	Heterodonta		Veneroida	Sphaeriacea		Sphaeriidae	Pisidium	
Arthropoda	Chelicerata	Arachnida	Acari	Acariformes	Trombidiformes	Prostigmata	Hydrachnoidea			

Larvae /Adult	#	R.A. (%)	Method	Present 1999	Feeding Guild	Common Name	Other Notes	pi^2	Simpson's Index	Simpson Score	(pi)(ln pi)
A	1	0.33	DN/BT	F:Y G:Y	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle		0.000	0.304	1	-0.0189086987330294
L	1	0.33	DN	F:Y G:N	Predaceous	White Tail Skimmer Dragonfly		0.000			-0.0189086987330294
L	1	0.33	DN	F:Y G:Y	Predaceous	Darner Dragonfly		0.000			-0.0189086987330294
A	1	0.33	BT	F:N G:N	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle		0.000			-0.0189086987330294
L	1	0.33	BT	F:N G:N	Shredder	Caddisfly		0.000			-0.0189086987330294
L	9	2.98	BT	F:Y G:Y	Shredder	Caddisfly		0.001			-0.104698085961417
L	18	5.96	DN	F:Y G:Y	Shredder / Scraper	Mayfly		0.004			-0.168082763809989
L	2	0.66	DN	F:N G:N		Chironomid / Midges		0.000			-0.0332270187868538
A	35	11.59	DN/BT	F:Y G:Y	Detritivore	Cave Dwelling Amphipod		0.013			-0.249760806145665
A	3	0.99	DN	F:Y G:Y	Herbivore	Freshwater Sow Bug		0.000			-0.0458127290931135
A	121	40.07	DN/BT	F:N G:N	Scraper / Grazer	Snail		0.161			-0.366460308228985
A	107	35.43	DN/BT	F:N G:N	Scraper / Grazer	Snail		0.126			-0.367625846263865
A	1	0.33	DN	F:N G:N		Fingernail Clam		0.000			-0.0189086987330294
A	1	0.33	DN	N	Pred/Parasite	True Water Mite		0.000			-0.0189086987330294

Shannon Index	Shannon Score	Evenness	Evenness Score	Sph. Score	Gastropoda Score	Richness Score	Crustacea / Mollusca Score	Odonata Richness Score	Odonata RA Score	IBI Score
1.47	5.00	0.64	3.00	3.00	5.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	1.00	27.00
	Trichoptera	Coleoptera	Amphipoda	Isopoda	Ephemeroptera	Hemiptera	Diptera	Veneroidea	Hydrachnoidea	Gastropoda
	10	1	35	3	18	1	2	1	1	228

MPCA "Wet Meadow Disturbance"	%EPT	Coleoptera	Trichoptera	Gastropoda	Opisophora	n
Moderately Impacted - "Wetland shows few, but obvious, signs of anthropogenic disturbance"	9.27	1.32	0.33	75.50	0.33	302

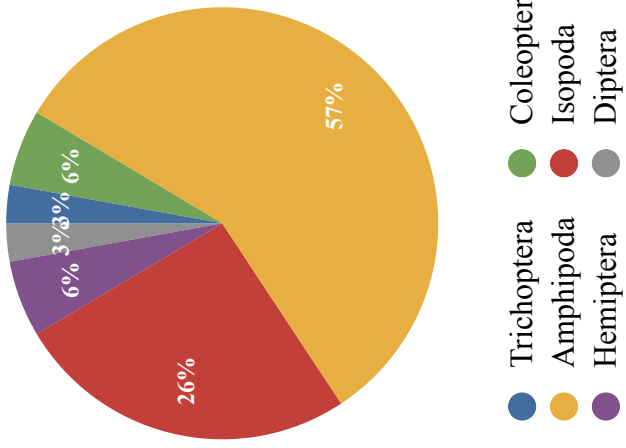
Phylum	Subphylum	Class	Subclass	Superorder	Order	Suborder	Superfamily	Family	Genus	Species	Larvae /Adult
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Coleoptera			Dytiscidae	Derovatellus		A
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Coleoptera			Dytiscidae			A
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Odonata	Anisoptera		Libellulidae	Sympetrum		L
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Odonata	Zygoptera		Lestidae	Lestes		L
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Hemiptera	Heteroptera		Notonectidae	Notonecta		A
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Hemiptera	Heteroptera		Corixidae			A
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Trichoptera			Limnephelidae	Anabolia		L
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Diptera			Chironomidae	Chironomus		L
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Amphipoda	Gammaridae		Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx		A
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Isopoda			Asellidae	Caecidotea		A
Mollusca		Gastropoda						Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola		A
Mollusca		Gastropoda						Physidae	Physa		A
Mollusca		Gastropoda	Pulmonata		Basommatophora			Planorbidae	Gyraulus		A

#	R.A. (%)	Method	Present 1999	Feeding Guild	Common Name	Other Notes	pi ²	Simpson's Index	Simpson Score	(pi)(ln pi)	Shannon Index	Shannon Score
1	0.35	DN	F:Y G:N	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle		0.000	0.295	3	-0.0200067626629011	1.55	5.00
1	0.35	DN	F:Y G:N	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle		0.000			-0.0200067626629011		
3	1.06	DN	F:Y G:N	Predaceous	White Tail Skimmer Dragonfly		0.000			-0.0483329232156383		
16	5.67	DN	F:N G:N	Predaceous	Darner Dragonfly		0.003			-0.162798204181466		
1	0.35	DN	F:N G:N	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle		0.000			-0.0200067626629011		
1	0.35	DN	F:Y	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle		0.000			-0.0200067626629011		
1	0.35	DN	F:Y G:Y	Shredder	Caddisfly		0.000			-0.0200067626629011		
1	0.35	DN	F:N G:N		Chironomid / Midges		0.000			-0.0200067626629011		
20	7.09	DN	F:Y G:Y	Detritore	Cave Dwelling Amphipod		0.005			-0.187671971445682		
9	3.19	DN	F:Y G:Y	Herbivore	Freshwater Sow Bug		0.001			-0.10993667532772		
128	45.39	DN	F:N G:N	Scraper / Grazer	Snail		0.206			-0.358525642902013		
76	26.95	DN	F:N G:N	Scraper / Grazer	Snail		0.073			-0.353365969962892		
24	8.51	DN	F:Y G:Y	Scraper / Grazer	Ram's Horn Snail		0.007			-0.209689637497036		

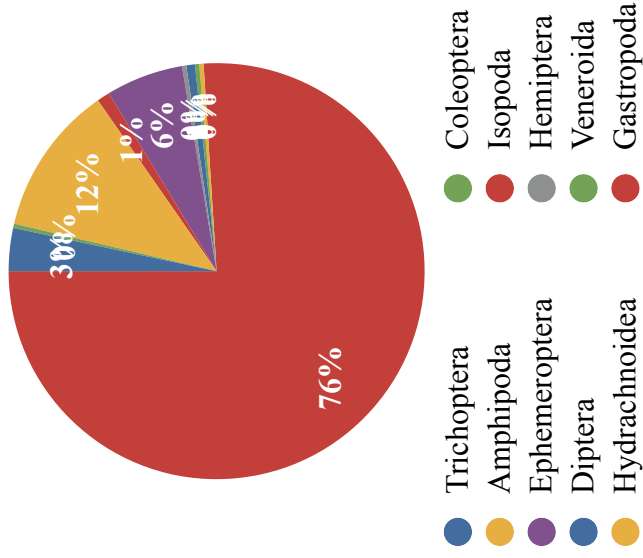
Evenness	Evenness Score	Sph. Score	Gastropoda Score	Richness Score	Crustacea / Mollusca Score	Odonata Richness Score	Odonata RA Score	IBI Score	MPCA "Wet Meadow Disturbance"
0.67	3.00	1.00	5.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	5.00	31.00	Moderately Impacted - "Wetland shows few, but obvious, signs of anthropogenic disturbance."
Trichoptera	Coleoptera	Amphipoda	Isopoda	Ephemeroptera	Hemiptera	Diptera	Veneroidea		Gastropoda
1	2	20	9		2	1			228

%EPT	Sphaeriidae	Odonata	Gastropoda	Opisophora	n
0.35	0	6.74	80.85	8.51	282

Site #3: July Relative Abundance



Site #3: June Relative Abundance



Phylum	Subphylum	Class	Subclass	Superorder	Order	Suborder	Superfamily	Family	Genus
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Coleoptera			Dytiscidae	Dytiscus
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Coleoptera			Dytiscidae	Hydrotrupinae
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Coleoptera			Dytiscidae	Hydroporinae
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Megaloptera			Corydalidae	Chauliodes
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Odonata	Anisoptera		Libellulidae	Erythemis
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Odonata	Zygoptera		Lestidae	Lestes
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Trichoptera	Integripalpia	Limnephiloidea	Limnephelidae	Limnephilus
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Trichoptera			Phyrganeidae	Hagenella
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Ephemeroptera			Leptophlebiidae	Leptophlebia
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Amphipoda	Gammaridae		Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Isopoda			Asellidae	Caecidotea
Mollusca		Gastropoda	Prosobranchia					Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola
Mollusca		Gastropoda	Prosobranchia					Physidae	Physa
Mollusca		Gastropoda	Pulmonata		Basommatophora			Planorbidae	Gyraulus
Mollusca		Pelecypoda	Heterodonta		Veneroidea	Sphaeriacea		Sphaeriidae	Pisidium

Species	Larvae /Adult	#	R.A. (%)	Method	Present 1999	Feeding Guild	Common Name	Other Notes	pi^2	Simpson's Index	Simpson Score	(pi)(ln pi)
	L	3	1.3	DN/BT	F:Y G:Y	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle		0.000	0.178	3	-0.0573706554504979
hydrotupes	A	1	0.4	BT	F:Y G:N	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle		0.000			-0.0239846681383729
	A	1	0.4	DN	F:Y G:N	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle		0.000			-0.0239846681383729
latreille	L	1	0.4	BT	F:N G:N		Fishfly		0.000			-0.0239846681383729
	L	1	0.4	DN	F:N G:N	Predaceous	Pondhawk Dragonfly		0.000			-0.0239846681383729
	L	1	0.4	DN	F:Y G:Y	Predaceous	Spread Winged Damselfly		0.000			-0.0239846681383729
	L	53	23.5	DN	F:Y G:Y	Shredder	Caddisfly		0.055			-0.340101254615791
cana	L	1	0.4	DN	F:N G:N	Shredder	Caddisfly		0.000			-0.0239846681383729
	L	3	1.3	DN	F:Y G:Y	Shredder	Mayfly		0.000			-0.0573706554504979
	A	32	14.2	DN	F:Y G:Y	Detritivore	Cave Amphipod, Scud/Side Swimmer		0.020			-0.276785712774876
	A	42	18.6	DN	F:Y G:Y	Herbivore	Freshwater Sow Bug		0.035			-0.3127448938121
	A	49	21.7	DN/BT	F:N G:N	Scraper / Grazer	Snail		0.047			-0.33144699272974
	A	4	1.8	DN/BT	F:N G:N	Scraper / Grazer	Snail		0.000			-0.0714024891708389
	A	32	14.2	DN	F:Y G:Y	Scraper / Grazer	Snail		0.020			-0.276785712774876
	A	2	0.9	DN	F:Y G:Y	Filter-Feeder	Fingernail Clam		0.000			-0.0418352904310827

Shannon Index	Shannon Score	Evenness	Evenness Score	Sph. Score	Gastropoda Score	Richness Score	Crustacea / Mollusca Score	Odonata Richness Score	Odonata RA Score	IBI Score	MPCA "Wet Meadow Disturbance"
1.91	5.00	0.83	5.00	3.00	5.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	1.00	31.00	Moderately Impacted - "Wetland shows few, but obvious, signs of anthropogenic disturbance"
	Trichoptera	Coleoptera	Amphipoda	Isopoda	Ephemeroptera	Megaloptera	Veneroidea	Gastropoda	Odonata		
	54	5	32	42	3	1	2	85	2		

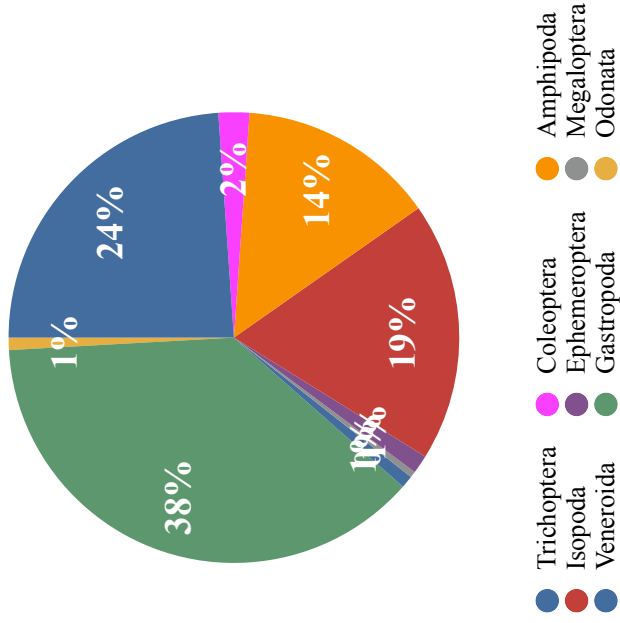
%EPT	Coleoptera	Trichoptera	Ephemeroptera	Sphaeriidae	Gastropoda	Odonata	Megaloptera	Amphipoda	Isopoda	n
25.2	2.2	23.9	1.3	0.9	37.6	0.9	0.44	14.2	18.6	226

Phylum	Subphylum	Class	Subclass	Superorder	Order	Suborder	Superfamily	Family	Genus	Species
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Hemiptera			Corixidae	Micronecta	
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Odonata	Anisoptera		Libellulidae	Pseudoleun	
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Odonata	Zygoptera		Lestidae	Lestes	
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Trichoptera	Integripalpia	Limnephiloidea	Limnephelidae	Limnephilus	
					Diptera			Chironomidae		
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Amphipoda	Gammaridae		Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx	
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Isopoda			Asellidae	Caecidotea	
Mollusca		Gastropoda	Prosobranchia					Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola	
Mollusca		Gastropoda	Pulmonata		Basommatophora			Planorbidae	Gyraulus	
Mollusca		Pelecypoda	Heterodonta		Veneroidea	Sphaeriacea		Sphaeriidae		

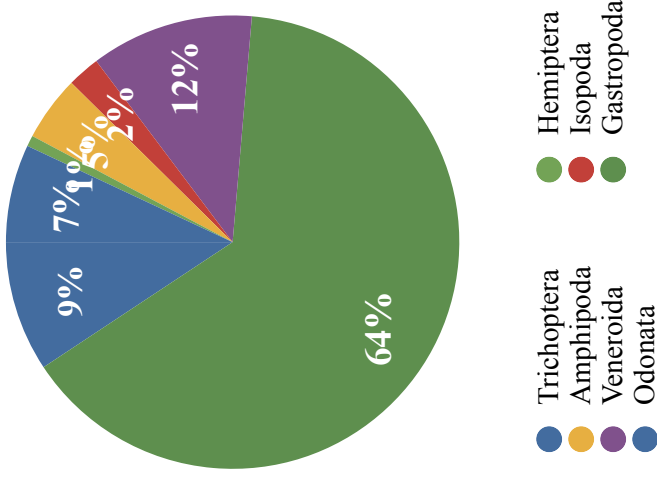
Larvae /Adult	#	R.A. (%)	Method	Present 1999	Feeding Guild	Common Name	Other Notes	pi ²	Simpson's Index	Simpson Score	(pi)(ln(pi))	Shannon Index
L	1	0.8	DN	F:N G:N	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle		0.000	0.254	3	-0.0374425726958122	1.71
L	6	4.6	DN	F:N G:N	Predaceous	Pondhawk Dragonfly		0.002			-0.141958845287424	
L	6	4.6	DN	F:Y G:Y	Predaceous	Spread Winged Damselfly		0.002			-0.141958845287424	
L	9	6.9	DN	F:Y G:Y	Shredder	Caddisfly		0.005			-0.184867606600571	
L	1	0.8	DN	F:N G:N		Bloodworm		0.000			-0.0374425726958122	
A	6	4.6	DN	F:Y G:Y	Detritivore	Cave Amphipod; Scud/Side Swimmer		0.002			-0.141958845287424	
A	3	2.3	DN	F:Y G:Y	Herbivore	Freshwater Sow Bug		0.001			-0.0869751268104801	
A	56	43.1	DN	F:N G:N	Scraper / Grazer	Snail		0.186			-0.362786419571879	
A	27	20.8	DN	F:Y G:Y	Scraper / Grazer	Snail		0.043			-0.326429498309106	
A	15	11.5	DN	F:Y G:N	Filter-Feeder	Fingernail Clam		0.013			-0.249171259540774	

Shannon Score	Evenness	Evenness Score	Sph. Score	Gastropoda Score	Richness Score	Crustacea / Mollusca Score	Odonata Richness Score	Odonata RA Score	IBI Score	MPCA "Wet Meadow Disturbance"	%EPT	n
5.00	0.74	5.00	5.00	5.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	5.00	37.00	Mildly Impacted - wetland is beginning to show signs indicative of anthropogenic disturbance"	6.9	130.0
Trichoptera:	Hemiptera	Amphipoda	Isopoda	Ephemeroptera	Diptera	Veneroidea	Gastropoda	Odonata				
9	1	6	3		1	15	83	12				

Site #4: June Relative Abundance



Site #4: July Relative Abundance



Phylum	Subphylum	Class	Subclass	Superorder	Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Species	Larvae /Adult	R.A. (%)
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Diptera		Stratiomyidae	Stratiomyis		L	1 0.78
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Coleoptera		Dytiscidae			L	1 0.78
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Coleoptera		Lampyridae			L	1 0.78
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Trichoptera		Limnephelidae	Limnephilus		L	1 0.78
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Ephemeroptera		Leptophlebiidae	Leptophlebia		L	4 3.13
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Amphipoda	Gammaridae	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx		A	63 49.22
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Isopoda		Asellidae	Caecidotea		A	9 7.03
Mollusca		Gastropoda					Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola		A	26 20.31
Mollusca		Gastropoda					Physidae	Physa		A	3 2.34
Mollusca		Gastropoda	Pulmonata		Basommatophora		Planorbidae	Gyraulus		A	19 14.84

Method	Present 1999	Feeding Guild	Common Name	pi ²	Simpson's Index	Simpson Score	(pi)(ln pi)	Shannon Index	Shannon Score	Evenness
DN	F:N G:N	Shredder / Grazer	Soldierfly	0.000	0.312	1	-0.037906486436872	1.49	5.00	0.65
DN	F:Y	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle	0.000			-0.037906486436872			
DN	F:N G:N	Predaceous Larvae	Firefly	0.000			-0.037906486436872			
DN	F:Y G:Y	Shredder	Caddisfly	0.000			-0.037906486436872		Trichopter:	Coleoptera
DN/BT	F:Y G:Y	Shredder	Mayfly	0.001			-0.108304246962491		1	2
DN/BT	F:Y G:Y	Detritivore	Cave Dwelling Amphipod	0.242			-0.348909522377104			
DN	F:Y G:Y	Herbivore	Freshwater Sow Bug	0.005			-0.186666024837895			
DN	F:Y G:Y	Scraper / Grazer	Snail	0.041			-0.323767788073059			
DN	F:N G:N	Scraper / Grazer	Snail	0.001			-0.0879707337949572			
DN	F:N G:N	Scraper / Grazer	Snail	0.022			-0.28315808133055			

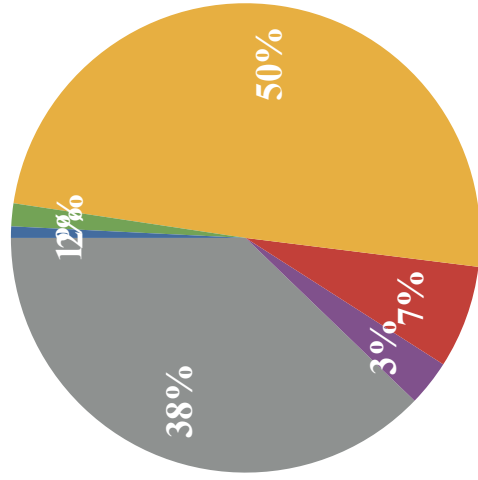
Evenness Score	Sph. Score	Gastropoda Score	Richness Score	Crustacea / Mollusca Score	Odonata Richness Score	Odonata RA Score	IBI Score	MPCA "Wet Meadow Disturbance"	%EPT	n
3.00	1.00	5.00	3.00	3.00	1.00	1.00	23.00	"Moderately Degraded - shows many obvious signs of anthropogenic disturbance."	3.91	128
Amphipoda	Isopoda	Ephemeroptera	Gastropoda							
63	9	4	48							

Phylum	Subphylum	Class	Subclass	Superorder	Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Species	Larvae /Adult	#	R.A. (%)
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Diptera		Stratiomyidae	Stratiomysis		L	2	1.12
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Coleoptera		Dytiscidae	Dytiscus		L	1	0.56
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Coleoptera		Dytiscidae	Hydaticus		L	1	0.56
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Coleoptera		Dytiscidae			L	2	1.12
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Amphipoda	Gammaridae	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx		A	18	10.06
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Isopoda		Asellidae	Caecidotea		A	2	1.12
Mollusca		Gastropoda					Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola		A	127	70.95
Mollusca		Gastropoda					Physidae	Physa		A	13	7.26
Mollusca		Gastropoda	Pulmonata		Basommatophora		Planorbidae	Gyraulus		A	13	7.26

Method	Present 1999?	Present June?	Feeding Guild	Common Name	pi ²	Simpson's Index	Simpson Score	(pi)(ln pi)	Shannon Index	Shannon Score	Evenness
DN	F:N G:N	F:Y G:Y	Shredder / Grazer	Soldierfly	0.000	0.524	1	-0.0502149567070481	1.06	5.00	0.46
DN	F:Y G:N	F:Y G:Y	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle	0.000			-0.0289798089711774			
DN	F:Y G:N	F:Y G:N	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle	0.000			-0.0289798089711774			
DN	F:Y	F:Y	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle	0.000			-0.0502149567070481			
DN	F:Y G:Y	F:Y G:Y	Detritivore	Cave Dwelling Amphipod	0.010			-0.230984652865936		Diptera	Coleoptera
DN	F:Y G:Y	F:Y G:Y	Herbivore	Freshwater Sow Bug	0.000			-0.0502149567070481		2	4
DN	F:Y G:Y	F:Y G:Y	Scraper / Grazer	Snail	0.503			-0.243498532746004			
DN	F:N G:N	F:Y G:Y	Scraper / Grazer	Snail	0.005			-0.19045627837391			
DN	F:N G:N	F:Y G:Y	Scraper / Grazer	Snail	0.005			-0.19045627837391			

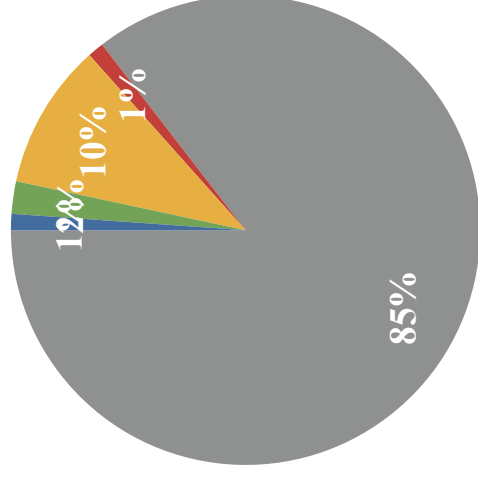
Evenness Score	Sph. Score	Gastropoda Score	Richness Score	Crustacea / Mollusca Score	Odonata Richness Score	Odonata RA Score	IBI Score	MPCA "Wet Meadow Disturbance"	%EPT	n
3.00	1.00	5.00	1.00	3.00	1.00	1.00	21.00	"Moderately Degraded - shows many obvious signs of anthropogenic disturbance"	0	179
Amphipoda	Isopoda	Gastropoda								
18	2	153								

Site #5: June Relative Abundance



- Trichoptera
- Amphipoda
- Ephemeroptera
- Coleoptera
- Isopoda
- Gastropoda

Site #5: July Relative Abundance



- Diptera
- Amphipoda
- Gastropoda
- Coleoptera
- Isopoda

Phylum	Subphylum	Class	Subclass	Superorder	Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Species	Larvae /Adult	#	R.A. (%)
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Trichoptera		Limnephelidae	Ironoquia		L	4	1.92
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Ephemeroptera Amphipoda	Gammaridae	Leptophlebiidae Crangonyctidae	Leptophlebia Crangonyx		L A	5 108	2.40 51.92
Mollusca		Gastropoda			Isopoda		Asellidae	Caecidotea		A	18	8.65
		Gastropoda			Basommatophora		Lymnaeidae	Lymnaea		A	61	29.33
		Gastropoda			Basommatophora		Planorbidae	Gyraulus		A	12	5.77

Method	Present 1999	Feeding Guild	Common Name	Other Notes	pi ²	Simpson's Index	Simpson Score	(pi)(ln pi)	Shannon Index	Shannon Score	Evenness
DN	F:Y G:N	Shredder	Caddisfly		0.000	0.367	1	-0.0759854561265659	1.24	5.00	0.54
DN/BT	F:Y G:N	Shredder / Scraper	Mayfly		0.001			-0.0896177924823851			
DN/BT	N	Detritivore	Cave Dwelling Amphipod		0.270			-0.340307404222724			
DN	N	Herbivore	Freshwater Sow Bug		0.007			-0.211774008617754		Trichoptera	Ephemeroptera
DN/BT	N	Scraper / Grazer	Snail		0.086			-0.35974287090004		4	5
DN/BT	N	Scraper / Grazer	Snail		0.003			-0.164574890187307			

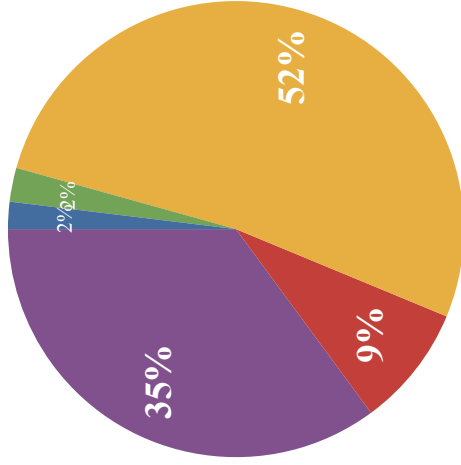
Evenness Score	Sph. Score	Gastropoda Score	Richness Score	Crustacea / Mollusca Score	Odonata Richness Score	Odonata RA Score	IBI Score	MPCA "Wet Meadow Disturbance"	%EPT	n
3.00	1.00	5.00	1.00	3.00	1.00	1.00	21.00	Moderately Degraded- "wetland shows many obvious signs indicative of anthropogenic disturbance"	4.33	208
Amphipoda	Isopoda	Gastropoda								
108	18	73								

Phylum	Subphylum	Class	Subclass	Superorder	Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Species	Larvae /Adult	#	R.A. (%)
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Trichoptera		Limpnephelidae	Limpnephilus		L	2	0.88
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Ephemeroptera		Leptophlebiidae	Leptophlebia		L	5	2.19
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Coleoptera		Dytiscidae	Dytiscus		L	1	0.44
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Amphipoda	Gammaridae	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx		A	17	7.46
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca			Isopoda		Asellidae	Caecidotea		A	14	6.14
Mollusca		Gastropoda			Basommatophora		Lymnaeidae	Lymnaea		A	179	78.51
Mollusca		Gastropoda			Basommatophora		Planorbidae	Gyraulus		A	10	4.39

Method	Present 1999	Feeding Guild	Common Name	Other Notes	pi ²	Simpson's Index	Simpson Score	(pi)(ln pi)	Shannon Index	Shannon Score	Evenness
DN	F:Y G:Y	Shredder	Caddisfly		0.000	0.628	1	-0.0415456004245131	0.84	3.00	0.37
DN/BT	F:Y G:Y	Shredder / Scraper	Mayfly		0.000			-0.0837699060640426			
	F:N G:N	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle		0.000			-0.0238129194252388			
DN/BT	N	Detritore	Cave Dwelling Amphipod		0.006			-0.193571266856447			
DN	N	Herbivore	Freshwater Sow Bug		0.004			-0.171333492064687			Trichoptera
DN/BT	N	Scraper / Grazer	Snail		0.616			-0.18995968569013			2
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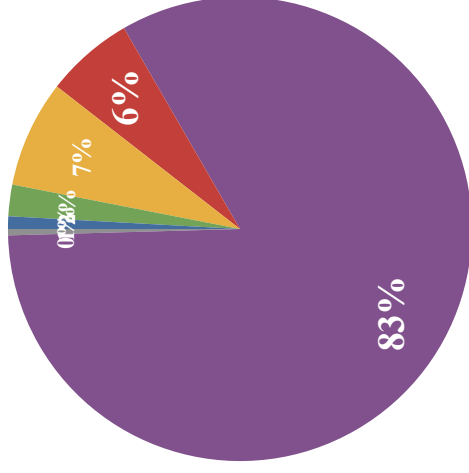
Evenness Score	Sph. Score	Gastropoda Score	Richness Score	Crustacea / Mollusca Score	Odonata Richness Score	Odonata RA Score	IBI Score	MPCA "Wet Meadow Disturbance"	% EPT	n
1.00	1.00	5.00	1.00	3.00	1.00	1.00	17.00	Degraded- "wetland shows obvious signs of anthropogenic disturbance"	3.07	228.00
Ephemeroptera	Amphipoda	Isopoda	Gastropoda	Coleoptera						
5	17	14	189	1						

Site #6: June Relative Abundance



- Trichoptera
- Amphipoda
- Gastropoda
- Ephemeroptera
- Isopoda

Site #6: July Relative Abundance



- Trichoptera
- Amphipoda
- Gastropoda
- Ephemeroptera
- Isopoda
- Coleoptera

Phylum	Subphylum	Class	Subclass	Superorder	Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Species	Larvae/ Adult	#	R.A. (%)	Method
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Trichoptera		Limnephilidae	Ironoquia		L	2	20	Dip Net
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Coleoptera		Dytiscidae	Copelatus		L	1	10	Dip Net
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Coleoptera		Dytiscidae	Hybius		L	1	10	Dip Net
Annelida		Clitellata	Oligochaeta		Opisophora		Lumbriculidae	Lumbriculus		A	2	20	Dip Net
Mollusca		Gastropoda					Physidae	Aplexa	elongata	A	4	40	Dip Net

Present 1999	Notes	Feeding Guild	Common Name	Other Notes	%EPT	pi^2	Simpson's Index
Y	Bark Case - Found Near Spring; Metanotum w/ Multiple Sclerites and scattered setae; Mesonotum mostly covered w/ Sclerotized Plates; Metathoracic leg and claw structures similar to mesothoracic; Mesonotum w/o sclerotized bars; Antennae very short and inconspicuous; Pronotum w/ shallow furrow; setae and sclerites at SA1 of metanotum; Tubercles present at metanotum; Anterolateral Margins of Pronotum Rounded; Antenna mid way between eye and mandible; Anterior of mesonotum w/o mesal emargination; Head Ovoid. Gills in clusters >3, Most gills on basal segments in clusters of 6 or more; Meso and Meta Femur w/ About 5 Long Setae at Ventral Edge; Bark Case.	Shredder	Caddisfly	-No Macroinvertebrates / Zooplankton in Bottle Traps.	20	0.04	0.26
F:Y G:N	Each Tarsus w/ 2 Claws; No Lateral Filaments, No Hooks on Last Abd. Segment; Urogomphi > Last Abdominal Segment; Segments 7 and 8 lacking natatory setae; Pro and Meso Thoracic Legs Non-Chelate; Urogomphi lacking secondary setae; Antennomere 4 Double; Mandible w/ Inner Serrations.	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle			0.01	
F:Y G:N	Each Tarsus w/ 2 Claws; No Lateral Filaments or Conspicuous hooks on last segment; Urogomphi longer than last abdominal segment; Segments 7 and 8 w/o Natatory Setae; Legs not Chelate; Only Primary Setae on Urogomphus in 2 Whorls; Antennomere 4 Single; Non-Serrated Mandibles; Dorsal seta of basal urogomphal whorl not posterior to other two setae; last abdominal segment w/o long thing setae. NOTE: Urogomphus missing - possibility that genus = Agabus	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle			0.01	
N		Gatherer	Earthworm			0.04	
N	Synistral coiling; 12mm; fusiform; narrowly conic; No Siphonal Canal; 5 Spines;	Scraper/Grazer	Snail			0.16	

Simpson Score	$[(\pi) * (\ln(\pi))]$	Shannon Index	Shannon Score	Evenness	Evenness Score	Sph. Score	Gastropoda Score	Richness Score	Crustacea / Mollusca Score	Odonata Richness Score	Odonata RA Score	IBI Score
3	-0.32188758248682	1.47	5.00	0.91	5.00	1.00	5.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	23.00
	-0.230258509299405											
	-0.230258509299405											
	-0.32188758248682											
	-0.366516292749662											

MPCA "Wet Meadow Disturbance"	Trichoptera	Coleoptera	Opisophthora	Gastropoda
Moderately Degraded - "Wetland shows obvious signs indicative of anthropogenic disturbance."	20	20	20	40

Phylum	Subphylum	Class	Subclass	Superorder	Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Species	Larvae /Adult	Larvae #	R.A. (%)
Arthropoda	Hexapoda	Insecta			Coleoptera	Polyphaga	Dytiscidae	Eretes		A	1	3.57
					Coleoptera	Polyphaga	Dytiscidae	Matus		A	1	3.57
					Coleoptera	Polyphaga	Dytiscidae	Hybius		L	1	3.57
					Coleoptera	Polyphaga	Dytiscidae	Dytiscus		L	1	3.57
					Trichoptera		Limnephilidae	Limnephilus		L	1	3.57
					Anostraca					A	5	17.86
Mollusca	Crustacea	Branchiopoda	Sarsostraca				Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola	stagnalis	A	8	28.57
Mollusca		Gastropoda					Physidae	Aplexa	elongata	A	3	10.71
Mollusca		Gastropoda					Sphaeriidae			A	3	10.71
Mollusca		Pelecypoda	Heterodonta		Veneroidea	Sphaeriacea				A	3	10.71
Annelida		Clitellata	Oligochaeta		Opisophora		Lumbriculidae	Lumbriculus		A	4	14.29

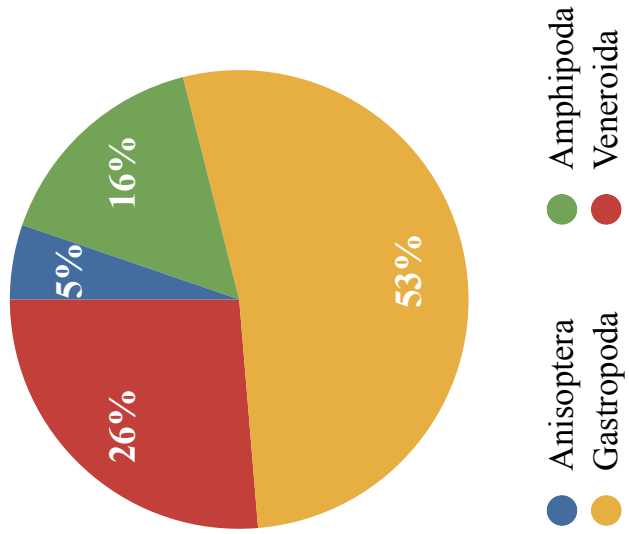
Method	Present 1999	Notes	Feeding Guild	Common Name
BT	F:Y G:N	1 pair eyes; Posterior legs modified for swimming; scutellum visible; 14.5mm; Metatarsus w/ 2 claws; 5 segmented pro and mesotarsi - 4th segment as long as 3rd; pointed prosternal process; >4 mm long; metatarsus w/ 2 claws; eye not emerginate above antenna; acute outer spur at apex of metatibia.	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle
BT	F:Y G:N	Undivided eyes;; Undivided Eyes; 5 segmented mesotarsi - 4 as long as 3; Postcoxal process, meso and metasternum in same plane from lateral view; Spear-shaped prosternal process; Protibia w/o large curved apical spur; >4mm; Metatarsus w/ 2 claws; Scutellum Visible; Anterior portion of eye slightly emarginate; Prosternum w/ longitudinal furrow; 9mm length; Elytra w/o Striae; Metatarsal claws approximately equal in length; Elytra lacking aciculations; Elongate maxillary palp; Elytra dark.	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle
DN	F:Y G:N	Tarsus w/ 2 claws; Abdomen lacking lateral filaments; Urogomphi longer than last abdominal segment; Non-Chelate pro and mesothoracic legs; Only primary setae on urogomphus; Antennomere 4 Single; Dorsal seta of basal urogomphal whorl not posterior to ventral seta; anteroventral spines on metatarsus paired w/ posteroventral spines; last abdominal segment lacking long setae	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle
BT	F:Y G:N	Tarus w/ 2 claws; w/o lateral filaments; w/o hooks on last segment; urogomphi slightly shorter than last abdominal segment; elongated legs w/ natatory setae; pointed piercing mandibles; no lateral filaments; head w/o frontal projection; abdominal segments seven and eight w/ long natatory setae laterally; elongate maxillary stipe; urogomphi w/ lateral natatory setae; labium w/o projecting lobes.	Predaceous	Pred. Diving Beetle
DN	F:Y G:Y	Equally sized tarsal claws; Dorsal hump; Prosternal Horn; Rounded Head; Un-notched at anterior of mesonotum. Gills occur in clusters of no more than three; Non-Annulate legs; Uniformly colored dorsum of head; Lacking Setae at ventral portion of prolegs; Hump at first abdominal tergite	Shredder	Caddisfly
DN	N	11 Thoracic somites; 3 gravid females (60%)	Collector	Ferry Shrimp
DN / BT	N	Dextral Coiling; Lacking Periostracal Threads; 15-20mm	Scraper / Grazer	Snail
DN	N	Sinistral Coiling; Raised Spire; Elongate Glossy Shell;	Scraper / Grazer	Snail
DN	N		Filter-Feeder	Fingernail Clam
DN	N		Gatherer	Earthworm

Other Notes	pi^2	Simpson's Index	Simpson Score	(pi)(ln pi)	Shannon Index	Shannon Score	Evenness	Evenness Score	Sph. Score	Gastropoda Score	Richness Score	Crustacea / Mollusca Score
	0.001	0.163	3	-0.119007303934829	2.02	5.00	0.88	5.00	5.00	5.00	3.00	3.00
	0.001			-0.119007303934829						%EPT	Coleoptera	Trichoptera
	0.001			-0.119007303934829						3.57	14.29	3.57
	0.001			-0.119007303934829								
	0.001			-0.119007303934829								
	0.032			-0.307636892453769								
	0.082			-0.357932276712962								
	0.011			-0.239313452304332								
	0.011			-0.239313452304332								
	0.020			-0.277987164150759								

Odonata Richness Score	Odonata RA Score	IBI Score	MPCA "Wet Meadow Disturbance"
1.00	1.00	31.00	Moderately Impacted - "Wetland shows few, but obvious, signs of anthropogenic disturbance"
Anostraca			Opisophora
	Sphaeriidae	Gastropoda	
17.86	10.71	39.29	
		14.29	

Phylum	Subphylum	Class	Subclass	Superorder	Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Species	Larvae /Adult	#	R.A. (%)
Arthropoda				Odonata	Anisoptera		Libellulidae	Sympetrum		L	1	5.26
Arthropoda	Crustacea	Malacostraca		Peracarida	Amphipoda	Gammaridae	Crangonyctidae	Crangonyx		A	3	15.79
Mollusca		Gastropoda			Basommatophora		Lymnaeidae	Stagnicola		A	10	52.63
Mollusca		Pelecypoda	Heterodonta		Veneroidea	Sphaeriacea	Sphaeriidae			A	5	26.32

Site #11: June Relative Abundance



Method	Present 1999	Feeding Guild	Common Name	Other Notes	pi ²	Simpson's Index	Simpson Score	(pi)/(ln(pi))	Shannon Index	Shannon Score	Evenness
DN/BT	N/A	Predaceous	Dragonfly		0.003	0.307	1	-0.154970472587707	1.14	5.00	0.49
DN/BT	N/A	Detritivore	Cave Dwelling Amphipod		0.003			-0.291446319552368			
DN/BT	N/A	Scraper / Grazer	Snail		0.025			-0.337817834827576		Anisoptera	Amphipoda
DN	N/A	Filter-Feeder	Fingernail Clam		0.277			-0.351316070192721		1	3

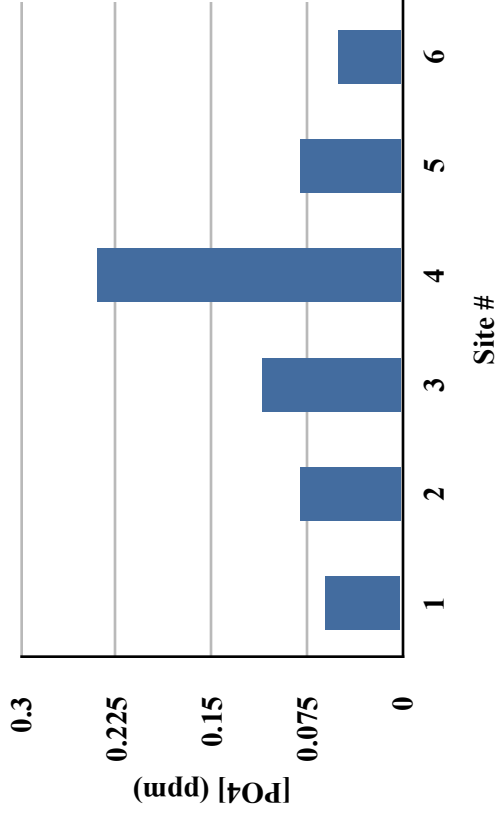
Evenness Score	Sph. Score	Gastropoda Score	Richness Score	Crustacea / Mollusca Score	Odonata Richness Score	Odonata RA Score	IBI Score	MPCA "Wet Meadow Disturbance"	%EPT	n
3.00	5.00	5.00	1.00	3.00	3.00	5.00	31.00	Moderately Impacted - "Wetland shows few, but obvious, signs of anthropogenic disturbance"	0	19
Gastropoda	Veneroidea									
10	5									

Site	Total PO4	June n	July n	July IBI	July Genera Richness	TSS
1	0.06	44	134	35	15	313
2	0.08	22	39	25	7	304
3	0.11	302	282	31	13	301
4	0.24	226	130	37	10	324
5	0.08	128	179	21	9	305
6	0.05	208	228	17	7	302
11		19				

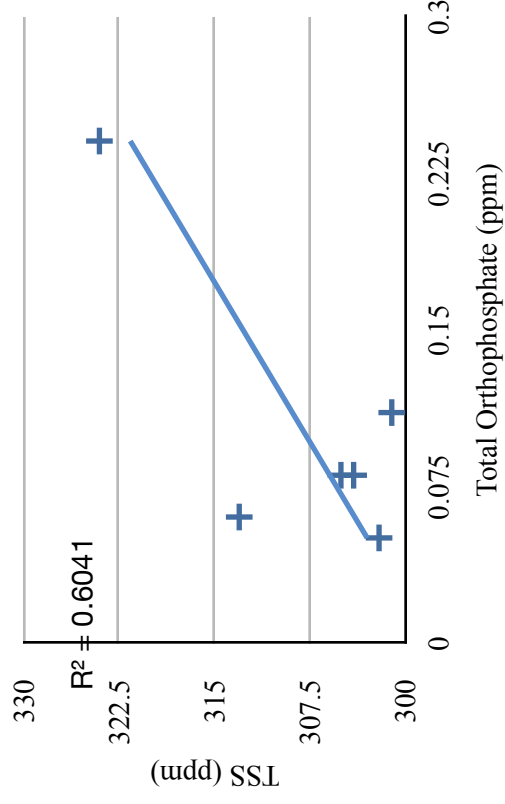
Site #	June	July	
1	33	35	
2	19	25	
3	27	31	
4	31	37	
5	23	21	
6	21	17	
11	31		

SITE #	1999 GR	JUNE GR	JULY GR	MAY GR
1	23	11	15	
2	9	5	7	
3	34	14	13	
4	20	15	10	
5	19	10	9	
6	5	6	7	
7	3			5
8	11			10

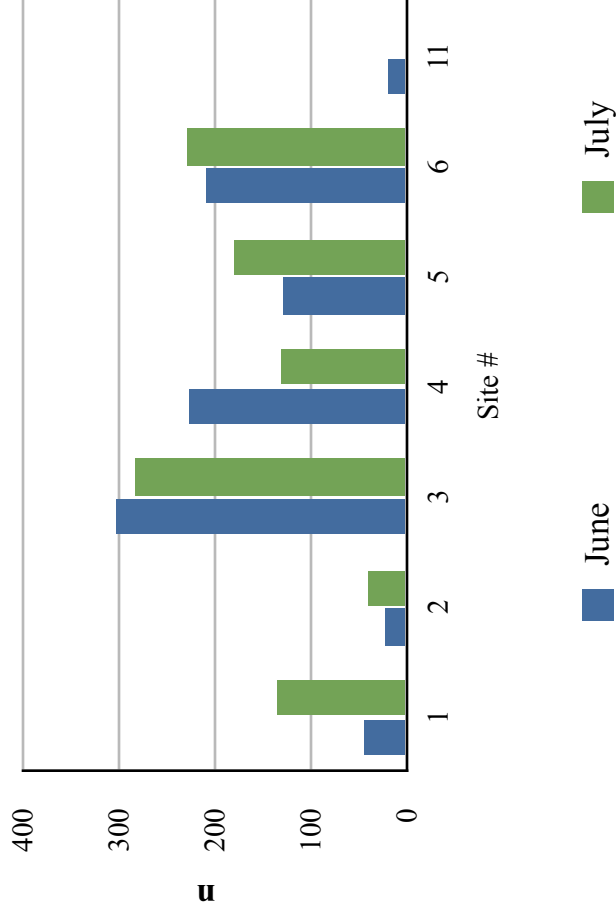
July Total Orthophosphate



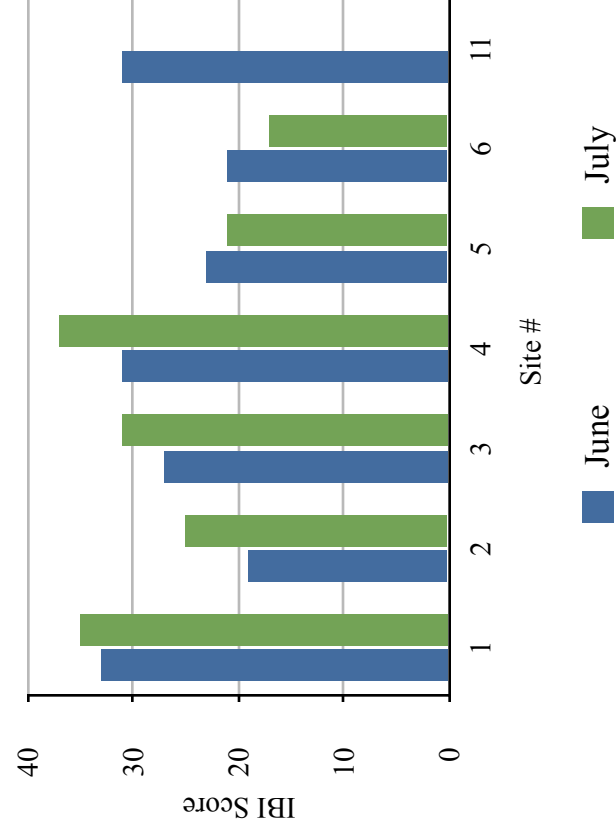
July TSS vs. Total Orthophosphate Levels

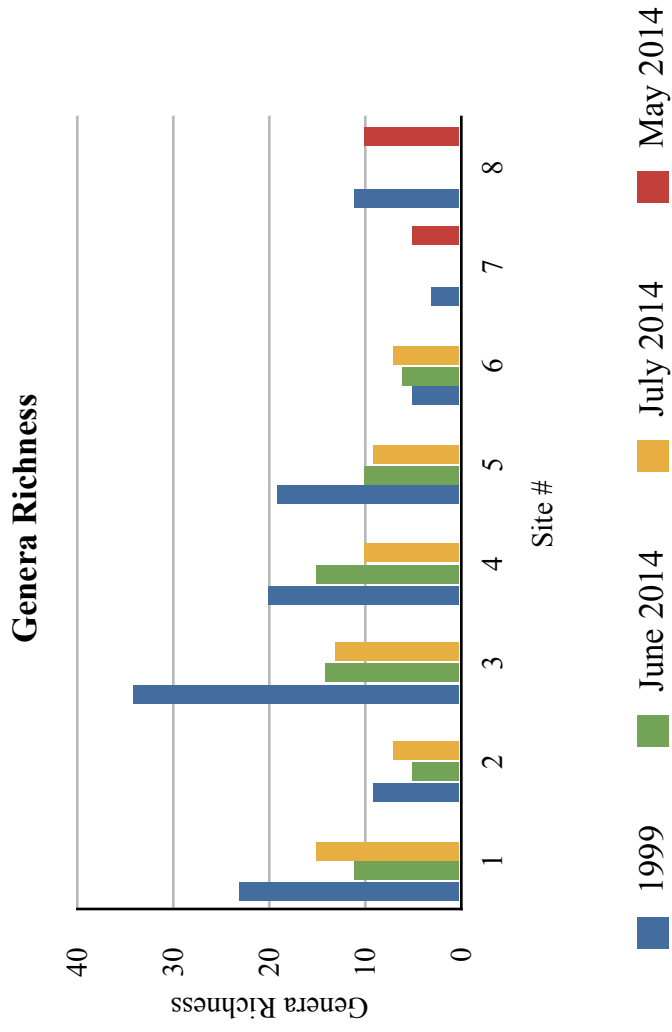


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Odonate survey

Mary Standish

2014 — Door County

Lat 44.94788

Long -87.37761

Spring pond North of Carlsville Road East of County B

Common	Name	How seen	Notes	Lat	Long	Date
Black Saddlebags	(<i>Tramea lacerata</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	6/16/2014
Crimson-Ringed Whiteface	(<i>Leucorrhinia glacialis</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	6/16/2014
Dot-Tailed Whiteface	(<i>Leucorrhinia intacta</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	6/16/2014
Twelve-Spotted Skimmer	(<i>Libellula pulchella</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	6/16/2014
Dot-Tailed Whiteface	(<i>Leucorrhinia intacta</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	7/23/2014
Four-Spotted Skimmer	(<i>Libellula quadrimaculata</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	7/23/2014
White-Faced Meadowhawk	(<i>Sympetrum obtrusum</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	7/23/2014
Widow Skimmer	(<i>Libellula luctuosa</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	7/23/2014
Williamson's Emerald	(<i>Somatochlora williamsoni</i>)	Photographed	with P. Burton	44.94788	-87.37761	7/23/2014
Twelve-Spotted Skimmer	(<i>Libellula pulchella</i>)	Observed		44.94788	-87.37761	7/26/2014
White-Faced Meadowhawk	(<i>Sympetrum obtrusum</i>)	Observed		44.94788	-87.37761	7/26/2014
Widow Skimmer	(<i>Libellula luctuosa</i>)	Observed		44.94788	-87.37761	7/26/2014
Common Whitetail	(<i>Libellula (Plathemis)lydia</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	7/28/2014
Eastern Pondhawk	(<i>Erythemis simplicicollis</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	7/28/2014
Twelve-Spotted Skimmer	(<i>Libellula pulchella</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	7/28/2014
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Black Saddlebags	(<i>Tramea lacerata</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	7/30/2014
Cherry-Faced Meadowhawk	(<i>Sympetrum internum</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	7/30/2014
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White-Faced Meadowhawk	(<i>Sympetrum obtrusum</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	7/30/2014
Widow Skimmer	(<i>Libellula luctuosa</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	7/30/2014
Canada Darner	(<i>Aeshna canadensis</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	8/2/2014
Eastern Pondhawk	(<i>Erythemis simplicicollis</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	8/2/2014

Lance-Tipped Darner	(<i>Aeshna constricta</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	8/2/2014
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Brush-Tipped Emerald	(<i>Somatochlora walshii</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	9/3/2014
Brush-Tipped Emerald	(<i>Somatochlora walshii</i>)	Netted and released	with M. Grimm	44.94788	-87.37761	9/3/2014
Canada Darner	(<i>Aeshna canadensis</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	9/3/2014
Canada Darner	(<i>Aeshna canadensis</i>)	Netted and released	with M. Grimm	44.94788	-87.37761	9/3/2014
Eastern Forktail	(<i>Ischnura verticalis</i>)	Netted and released	with M. Grimm	44.94788	-87.37761	9/3/2014
Eastern Pondhawk	(<i>Erythemis simplicicollis</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	9/3/2014
Eastern Pondhawk	(<i>Erythemis simplicicollis</i>)	Netted and released	with M. Grimm	44.94788	-87.37761	9/3/2014
Northern Spreadwing	(<i>Lestes disjunctus disjunctus</i>)	Netted and released	with M. Grimm	44.94788	-87.37761	9/3/2014
Ruby Meadowhawk	(<i>Sympetrum rubicundulum</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	9/3/2014
Ruby Meadowhawk	(<i>Sympetrum rubicundulum</i>)	Netted and released	with M. Grimm	44.94788	-87.37761	9/3/2014
Shadow Darner	(<i>Aeshna umbrosa</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	9/3/2014
Shadow Darner	(<i>Aeshna umbrosa</i>)	Netted and released	with M. Grimm	44.94788	-87.37761	9/3/2014
Twelve-Spotted Skimmer	(<i>Libellula pulchella</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	9/3/2014
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White-Faced Meadowhawk	(<i>Sympetrum obtrusum</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	9/3/2014
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Brush-Tipped Emerald	(<i>Somatochlora walshii</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	9/25/2014
Canada Darner	(<i>Aeshna canadensis</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	9/25/2014
Cherry-Faced Meadowhawk	(<i>Sympetrum internum</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	9/25/2014
Lance-Tipped Darner	(<i>Aeshna constricta</i>)	Netted and released		44.94788	-87.37761	9/25/2014
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Summary

We performed preliminary field surveys and reviewed all historical data for a 5-mile buffer of the Bay Shore Blufflands State Natural Area (SNA) (Figure 1). Our field surveys detected six frog (Eastern American Toad, Eastern Gray Treefrog, Green Frog, Northern Leopard Frog, Wood Frog, Spring Peeper), four salamander (Blue-spotted Salamander, Spotted Salamander, Four-toed Salamander, Eastern Red-backed Salamander), six snake (Eastern Milksnake, Western Foxsnake, Dekay's Brownsnake, Northern Red-bellied Snake, Common Gartersnake), and two turtle (Snapping Turtle, Painted Turtle) species in the SNA. Another two salamander, one turtle, and four snake species may occur in or near the SNA (Central Newt, Common Mudpuppy, Blanding's Turtle, Northern Ring-necked Snake, Northern Watersnake, Smooth Greensnake, Northern Ribbonsnake). This preliminary study identified seven herptile Species of Local Conservation Interest for the SNA, and an additional three species of high conservation priority for county-wide planning.

Introduction

The Door County Land Trust, through the Wisconsin Coastal Management Grant Program, is completing a Conservation Master Plan for the Bay Shore Blufflands State Natural Area (SNA) located in Door County, Town of Egg Harbor, T29N R26E, within parts of sections 10, 16, 20, 21, 29, 31, 32, and Door County, Town of Sevastepol, T28N R26E, Section 6 (Figure 1). A brief description of the SNA follows (from Wisconsin DNR website):

Located along more than three miles of the Niagara Escarpment, Bayshore Blufflands is an ecologically complex site with a diversity of plant communities both above and below the escarpment and a series of seeps and springs at the base of the bluff's talus slopes. Rising 150-200 feet above the low terrace of Green Bay, the steep carbonate cliffs and outcrops support numerous rare land snails including the Cherrystone Drop Snail (*Hendersonia occulta*), a state-threatened species. Aspen, Sugar Maple, Red Oak, Hemlock, and White Cedar grow out of the talus affording complete shade to the escarpment maintaining the cool and damp conditions, which support a lush growth of mosses. The unique site conditions also support such uncommon species as Climbing Fumitory, Mountain Maple, Bulbet Fern, Common Polypody, and Fragile Fern. Above the escarpment is a dry-mesic forest of Red and White Pine with Red Oak. The ground layer is dense dominated by Round-Leaved Dogwood with Northern Bush Honeysuckle, Zig-Zag Goldenrod, Big-Leaved Aster, and Bracken Fern. The site slowly grades into a richer, more mesic forest containing Sugar Maple, Beech, and Red Oak with Hemlock, and White Pine. Also present is a wet-mesic forest of White Cedar, Big-Tooth Aspen, and Black Ash. Several White Cedars reach impressive sizes here.

Below the escarpment are seasonally flooded forests dominated by Silver Maple, and Green Ash with Swamp White Oak, American Bladdernut, and Great Water-Leaf. The site contains many rare plants including the federally threatened Dwarf Lake Iris (*Iris lacustris*). Other species are Variegated Horsetail (*Equisetum variegatum*), Hooker's Orchid (*Platanthera hookeri*), Long-Spurred Violet (*Viola rostrata*), and Large-Flowered Ground-Cherry (*Leucophysalis grandiflora*). Rare animals include Red-Shouldered Hawk (*Buteo linneatus*), Midwest Pleistocene Vertigo (*Vertigo hubrichti*), and Iowa Pleistocene Vertigo (*V. iowaensis*). Bayshore Blufflands is owned by the Door County Land Trust and The Nature Conservancy and was designated a State Natural Area in 2002.

The objective of this study was to identify the amphibian and reptile (herptile) species likely to be present and their approximate location and habitat within the project area, with recommendations for conservation planning, additional inventory, and long-term monitoring.

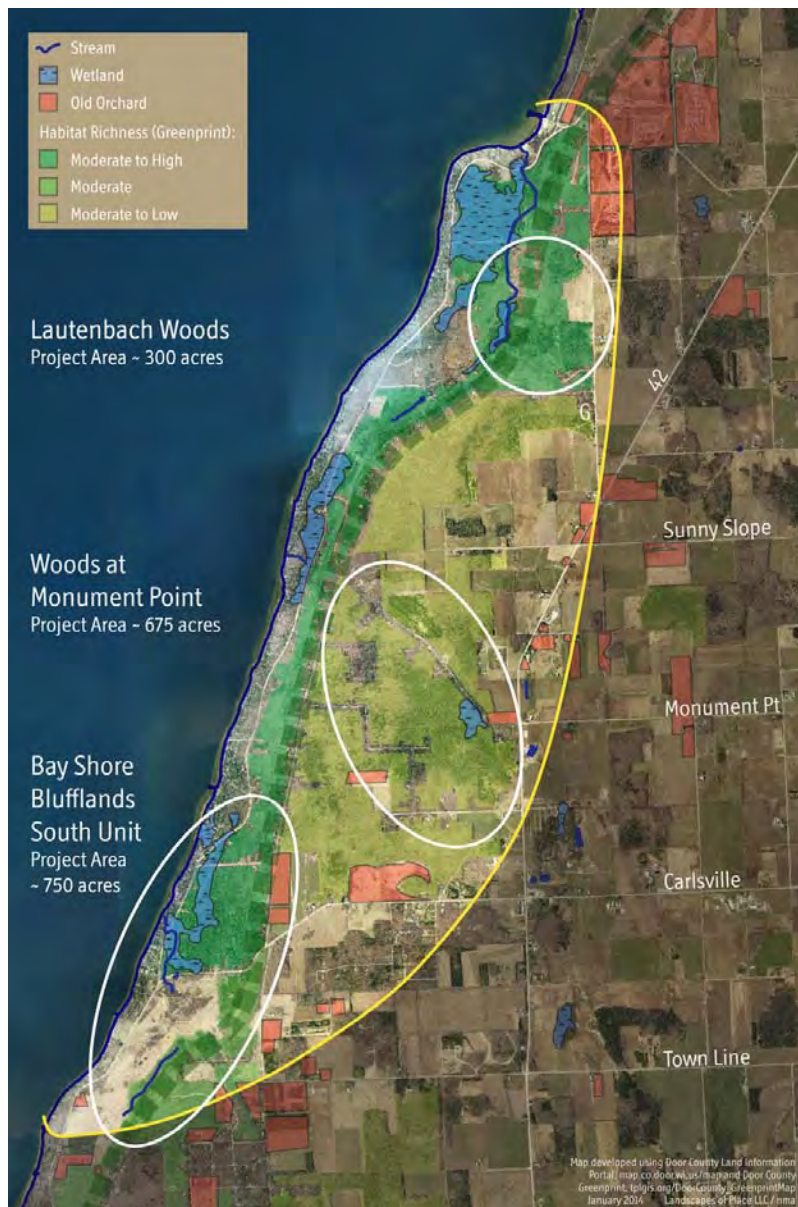


Figure 1: Bay Shore Blufflands SNA

Methods

We reviewed all available data for the whole of Door County from unpublished field notes (Nancy Aten, Gary Casper, Dan Collins, Ryne and Jenny Rutherford), the Wisconsin Natural Heritage Inventory (DNR), and the Wisconsin Herp Atlas (UWM Field Station) to construct a database of known occurrence records, and produce a Checklist of species status in the SNA. Records were georeferenced for mapping in GIS by assigning coordinates with precision error estimates. Records were also ranked for reliability following methodology developed for the Milwaukee River Basin by the senior author (Appendix A), and species occurring in the SNA were assigned a conservation ranking of Species of Local Conservation Interest (SLCI) if they were at least one of the following: a) listed as either state or federally Endangered, Threatened, or Special Concern; b) listed as Species of Greatest Conservation Need in the State Wildlife Action Plan; c) considered to be locally rare or declining; or d) were thought to be important as indicator species for long-term monitoring in the project area. These rankings drew upon the historical data, the results of our surveys, our extensive experience in herptile status in Wisconsin, and species' life history and ecological traits. Potential county-wide assessment rankings are also discussed.

We also conducted limited field work in April, May and June (Appendix A), intended to assist with assessing inventory and monitoring needs, rather than as comprehensive surveys. We conducted calling frog surveys, aquatic funnel trap surveys, snake board surveys, and visual searches. We assisted Nancy Aten and Dan Collins with deploying an automated recording device (Song Meter, Wildlife Acoustics Inc.) at one wetland as well, and reviewed the collected data.

Results

We reviewed 593 herptile occurrence records from 21 sources for the whole of Door County (Wisconsin Herp Atlas), and the 179 records from within the study area confirmed 17 species present in the SNA, with another 5 species possibly occurring. Two reported species, Blanchard's Cricket Frog and Boreal Chorus Frog, were rejected as erroneous (see below). Our field surveys completed calling frog surveys at four sites on 4 May, aquatic funnel trap surveys at two sites on 27-29 June, snake board surveys at six sites on 3 May and seven sites on 27-29 June, and visual searches on multiple sites on 28 April, 3-5 May, and 28-30 June. The Checklist of species presence in the project area with SLCI ranks is provided as Appendix B. Detailed records are provided in Appendix C with an ESRI Arcmap layer.

Species Accounts

Salamanders (4-5 species for SNA, 6 total for county)

Blue-spotted Salamander (*Ambystoma laterale*):

County-wide records for this species are limited to areas north of Sturgeon Bay, and in this SNA to the South Unit and Monument Point (Appendix C). However, this seemingly spotty distribution probably reflects poor sampling effort, as this is the most common salamander in the state and is likely found throughout the county in suitable habitat. It is associated with hardwood and mixed forests with embedded ephemeral wetlands for breeding, and sensitive to landscape integrity (Scott et. al. 2013). Egg searches are an efficient and reliable survey method useful for inventory and long-term monitoring studies.

Spotted Salamander (*Ambystoma maculatum*):

County-wide records for this species are limited to areas north of Sturgeon Bay, and in this SNA to the South Unit and Monument Point (Appendix C). Like the Blue-spotted Salamander, with which it is commonly sympatric, this seemingly spotty distribution probably reflects poor sampling effort, as this is a common salamander in the northern half of the state. It is likely found throughout the county in suitable habitat of higher quality hardwood and mixed forests with embedded ephemeral wetlands for breeding. Coarse downed woody debris and duff are additional habitat quality factors, and it is sensitive to landscape integrity (Scott et. al. 2013). Egg searches are an efficient and reliable survey method useful for inventory and long-term monitoring studies. This species is recommended as an SLCI due to its association with higher quality mature forest and ease of monitoring.

Four-toed Salamander (*Hemidactylium scutatum*):

County-wide records for this species are limited to Monument Point in this SNA (Appendix C), Chambers Island, and Toft Point. However, it is likely more widely distributed, which can be determined by additional surveys. It is a locally common salamander in the northern half of the state, found in higher quality hardwood and mixed forests with embedded ephemeral wetlands for breeding, coarse downed woody debris and a duff layer. Nesting habitat is very particular, requiring moist moss or similar vegetation suspended over pools of stagnant water. Nest/egg searches are an efficient and reliable survey method useful for inventory and long-term monitoring studies, but require special training and care to avoid damaging the sensitive nesting microhabitat. This species is recommended as a SLCI due to its association with higher quality mature forest and its sensitive nesting requirements, which make it vulnerable to ongoing climate change.

Common Mudpuppy (*Necturus maculosus*):

County-wide records for this completely aquatic species indicate it is found all along the Green Bay coast. However, there are no records for the Lake Michigan coast, or for this SNA (albeit we did not survey the very limited coastline currently preserved in this SNA). It is known from Lake Michigan further south (e.g. Sheboygan, Port Washington, Milwaukee and Chicago harbors; Wisconsin Herp Atlas), however, so its seeming absence from the Door County east coast may be an artifact of poor reporting and search effort. It is a locally common salamander in permanent waters of the state, where it is associated with high oxygen environments with suitable cover such as log jams and, especially, flat rocks (under which it nests). Survey methods are poorly developed so little is known about status, but it is believed to have substantially declined due to water pollution and sensitivity to lampricide treatments. Substantial changes in the benthic community it inhabits, with much of the zooplankton now displaced by non-native mussels and consequent cascading trophic effects, undoubtedly has effected this benthic predator which relies on this food base. This species is not recommended as a SLCI in this SNA at this time, unless significant shoreline areas are preserved with suitable habitat in the Green Bay littoral zone. It should, however, be evaluated county-wide as a sensitive species and potential SLCI, as it may be a good indicator for water quality, ecosystem health, and climate change. Promising survey methods include baited trapping and, where feasible, dipnet searches, but these methods require further research to develop detection probability based protocols.

Central Newt (*Notophthalmus viridescens louisianensis*):

County-wide records are limited to Chambers Island and the adjacent mainland, although this may be an artifact of insufficient sampling effort. Detecting this species requires labor intensive trapping of semi-permanent to permanent ponds, and it is therefore frequently overlooked. Like most other pond breeding amphibians, the terrestrial component of its habitat requirements makes it a good indicator of landscape level habitat quality and connectivity. More surveys are recommended to determine its status

in Door County. This species is not recommended as a SLCI in this SNA at this time, but could be added if determined to occupy the SNA at a later date (additional pond sampling is recommended). It is recommended as a county-wide SLCI due to its apparent rarity.

Eastern Red-backed Salamander (*Plethodon cinereus*):

This is a common and wide-spread salamander throughout the county and the SNA (although records are currently clustered at the north and south ends; Appendix C). This completely terrestrial salamander is associated with higher quality hardwood and mixed forests with abundant coarse downed woody debris in various stages of decomposition, and an intact duff layer which provides insulation from freezing winter temperatures as well as abundant invertebrate prey. Moisture levels are also important as the small body size increases vulnerability to desiccation. It can be reliably and efficiently monitored by visual searches in an occupancy study design, but monitoring population levels or trend is much more difficult due to its mostly fossorial habits. It appears abundant within the Niagara Escarpment where the fractured rock provides many moist retreats. While currently common, this species is recommended as a SLCI due to its association with higher quality mature forest, ease of monitoring, and potential for being impacted by climate change, making it a good indicator species.

Frogs and Toads (6 species for SNA and county)

Eastern American Toad (*Anaxyrus americanus americanus*):

Found throughout the county, including many islands, and the SNA (although currently we only have records for the extreme southern portion; Appendix C). This is a widespread and common amphibian often found in urban and disturbed environments. It colonizes new habitats readily and has high reproductive potential. This species is not recommended as a SLCI due to its generalized habitat requirements and widespread abundance, but its ease of monitoring through call surveys makes it a candidate for tracking occupancy trends from data collected by call surveys targeting other more sensitive species.

Eastern Gray Treefrog (*Hyla versicolor*):

Found throughout the county but records sparse, undoubtedly due to poor sampling effort. We located them only in the extreme southern portion of the SNA, but they likely occur throughout (Appendix C). This is a widespread and common amphibian regionally, but can disappear from urban and disturbed environments where its dual terrestrial/aquatic habitat linkages become compromised. Wetland habitat that is fish free, or provides tadpoles refuges from fish, is required, with connectivity to the preferred terrestrial forested or shrub habitat. It has high reproductive potential but terrestrial movements can be limited by desiccation and barriers. This species is not recommended as a SLCI due to its fairly general habitat requirements and widespread abundance, but its ease of monitoring through call surveys makes it a good candidate for tracking occupancy trends from data collected by call surveys.

Spring Peeper (*Pseudacris crucifer*):

Common and widespread throughout the county including the SNA, although records are currently missing from the middle portion (Appendix C). This is a widespread and common amphibian regionally, but can disappear from urban and disturbed environments where its dual terrestrial/aquatic habitat linkages become compromised. Wetland habitat that is fish free, or provides tadpoles refuges from fish, is required, with connectivity to the preferred terrestrial forested or shrub habitat. It has high

reproductive potential but terrestrial movements can be limited by desiccation and barriers. This species is not recommended as a SLCI due to its fairly general habitat requirements and widespread abundance, but its ease of monitoring through call surveys makes it a good candidate for tracking occupancy trends from data collected by call surveys.

Green Frog (*Lithobates clamitans*):

Probably common and widespread throughout the county but records are sparse, undoubtedly due to poor sampling effort. We located them only in the extreme southern portion of the SNA, but they likely occur throughout in most aquatic habitats (Appendix C). This is a widespread and common amphibian regionally, even in urban and disturbed environments where shoreline habitat is intact and competing American Bullfrogs (*Lithobates catesbeianus*) are absent. This is an aquatic frog which occupies shorelines of almost all wetland types, especially lakes and streams. It has high reproductive potential and an extended breeding period. This species is not recommended as a SLCI due to its fairly general habitat requirements and general abundance, but its ease of monitoring through call surveys makes it a good candidate for tracking occupancy trends from data collected by call surveys.

Northern Leopard Frog (*Lithobates pipiens*):

Probably common and widespread throughout the county. We located them only in the extreme southern portion of the SNA, but they likely occur throughout (Appendix C). This is a widespread and common amphibian regionally, even in urban and disturbed environments, but appears to have declined in many areas, possibly due to disease outbreaks. This is a frog with a complex life history, typically hibernating in well oxygenated permanent waters, breeding in ephemeral wetlands and marshes, and foraging in summer in terrestrial grasslands and meadows. It often occupies shorelines year-round. It has high reproductive potential. Urban and mixed agricultural environments can provide all of these habitat types, albeit often in a fragmented manner. This species is recommended as a SLCI due to its complex habitat requirements and widespread concern over declines. It can be monitored through call surveys but due to low detection probabilities a program based on automated recording systems is recommended for adequately tracking occupancy trends. Alternatively, shoreline searches yield good detection probabilities but a specific protocol for this should be further developed and address covariate effects.

Wood Frog (*Lithobates sylvaticus*):

Common and widespread throughout the county, including in the SNA (Appendix C). This is an ephemeral wetland obligate, preferring forested habitats. It is often absent from urban and agricultural settings. This species is recommended as a SLCI due to habitat requirements and sensitivity to landscape level habitat fragmentation (Rittenhouse and Semlitsch 2007, Harper et. al. 2008). It can be monitoring most effectively through a properly designed program utilizing visual egg surveys. Call surveys have low detection probabilities but automated recording systems can sample sufficiently to overcome this for tracking occupancy trends.

Suppressed Species

Blanchard's Cricket Frog (*Acris blanchardi*):

There are two unverified observational records from a single observer in 1983 from near Sturgeon Bay and near Whitefish Bay (Wisconsin Natural Heritage Inventory). These are well out of the normal range and are not included in the Checklist. Since these questionable records have persisted for some time, they are mentioned here to encourage avoiding future reference to them.

Boreal Chorus Frog (*Pseudacris maculata*):

There are two observational records from separate observers from the south end of the SNA (2014) and near Fish Creek (1991; Appendix C). These are here rejected as they would represent new county records but are unverified. This species is generally considered absent from northeastern Wisconsin (Vogt 1981, Casper 1996), hence we do not include it in the Checklist. Should this species be discovered in the future voucher specimens should be collected for verification, and status assessed at that time.

Turtles (2 species for SNA, 3 for county)

Snapping Turtle (*Chelydra serpentina*):

Locally common and widespread throughout the county, including in the SNA (Appendix C). We currently only have records for the extreme southern SNA, but they are expected to occur throughout where open canopy permanent and semi-permanent wetlands exist. A generalist aquatic species utilizing a wide variety of wetland types, preferring warmer waters with abundant aquatic macrophytes. Tolerant of degradation and pollution, occupying many urban and agricultural environments, and effectively detected or monitored by trapping. Greatest threats are road mortality from vehicles, and nest predation by subsidized mammals such as raccoons, which in some cases can devour most eggs at nesting sites every year. This species is not recommended as a SLCI due to its tolerance of habitat disturbance and degradation.

Painted Turtle (*Chrysemys picta*):

Locally common and probably widespread throughout the county, but available records all cluster in the central part of the peninsula. We recorded this species in the extreme southern SNA (Appendix C), but they are expected to occur throughout where open canopy permanent and semi-permanent wetlands exist. A generalist aquatic species utilizing a wide variety of wetland types, preferring warmer waters with abundant aquatic macrophytes. Tolerant of degradation and pollution, occupying many urban and agricultural environments, and effectively detected or monitored by trapping or visual surveys for basking turtles. Greatest threats are road mortality from vehicles, and nest predation by subsidized mammals such as raccoons. This species is not recommended as a SLCI due to its tolerance of habitat disturbance and degradation. However, we do recommend a year or two of visual basking surveys to obtain more realistic baseline distribution data throughout the county (including islands).

Blanding's Turtle (*Emydoidea blandingii*):

Only one verified record from the county from 1990 near the Gardner Swamp State Wildlife Area (Wisconsin Herp Atlas). Prefers large marshes or marsh-pond complexes, habitats not supported in this SNA. This species is not recommended as a SLCI in planning for this SNA due to its habitat requirements not being supported. However, any county-wide planning should include this species as a high priority SLCI due to its rarity.

Snakes (5 species)

Northern Ring-necked Snake (*Diadophis punctatus edwardsii*):

Currently, available records are restricted to the northern tip of the peninsula, including Washington Island. This seemingly limited distribution, however, may be an artifact of inadequate sampling, as habitat for the species exists all along the Niagara Escarpment and other areas with forest edge and bedrock exposures. Ring-necked Snakes occupy forest edge and forest openings, especially near bedrock outcrops, gravel pits, or meadows with coarse downed woody debris. They should be present in this SNA and are recommended as a SLCI in planning, with a first step being an adequate survey to assess status. Visual searches and cover object surveys are feasible for this species.

Eastern Milksnake (*Lampropeltis triangulum triangulum*):

Locally common and found throughout the county, recorded on 2014 surveys within the SNA (Appendix C). Milksnakes utilize a wide variety of terrestrial habitats, but avoid forest interior. They are often found in urban and agricultural environments, and can be effectively detected or monitored by cover object surveys. This species is not recommended as a SLCI due to its widespread abundance and tolerance of habitat disturbance.

Northern Watersnake (*Nerodia sipedon sipedon*):

Found throughout the county but currently records are limited to north of Sturgeon Bay (Wisconsin Herp Atlas). We have no records for this SNA, where habitat suitability is probably restricted to the Green Bay coastline. A semi-aquatic species, occupying shorelines of lakes and streams, where natural vegetation and rocky substrates provide retreats and cover from predators, and habitat for the small fishes and amphibians which make up the bulk of its diet. Not currently recommended as a SLCI for this SNA, unless future surveys determine that they occupy shoreline areas. County-wide, this species is recommended as a SLCI for conservation planning, being sensitive to shoreline disturbance and often persecuted by fishermen, who mistakenly believe they may impact game fish populations, or who simply dislike sharing shorelines with snakes. With proper education the latter can be overcome, and in some instances fishermen learn to feed the snakes for amusement, a practice which the snakes seem to equally enjoy. Watersnakes can be detected and monitored through visual shoreline searches.

Smooth Greensnake (*Opheodrys vernalis*):

The first and only county record is from Chambers Island in 1993, although the observer has seen them subsequently (Wisconsin Herp Atlas). Its status elsewhere in the county is unknown, and it is rare or absent from Brown, Kewaunee and Manitowoc counties (Wisconsin Herp Atlas). Generally associated with drier soils (especially sandy soils) and meadows (Vogt 1981) where their insect prey resides. Greensnakes are thought to have declined as a result of insecticide applications targeting caterpillar populations, a major food source (e.g. Gypsy Moth and Spruce Budworm control). Comprehensive snake surveys throughout the county are recommended for status assessment, and if additional populations are found they might warrant SLCI ranking for conservation planning and monitoring. Greensnakes are easily inventoried and monitored by appropriately designed cover object surveys.

Western Foxsnake (*Pantherophis vulpinus*):

Locally common and widespread throughout the county, Dan Collins confirmed this species in the extreme southern SNA in 2014 (Appendix C), but they are expected to occur throughout. Foxsnakes utilize a variety of open and semi-forested habitats, including forest edge, urban and agricultural areas, rocky outcrops, meadows, and larger marshes. Door County is one of the most reliable places in the state to find them, where they appear to take advantage of abundant underground retreats associated with the Niagara Escarpment for winter denning. This species is recommended as a SLCI due to its large

size and the regional importance of this healthy population. Door County is an important habitat area for this species and may support populations of statewide significance. Monitoring can be accomplished by properly designed cover object surveys.

Dekay's Brownsnake (*Storeria dekayi*):

Found throughout the county including Chambers and Washington islands (Wisconsin Herp Atlas). Confirmed at several places within the SNA in 2014 as well (Appendix C), and are expected to occur throughout. This species utilizes a variety of open and semi-forested habitats, including forest edge, urban and agricultural areas, grassy right of ways, old fields and meadows. Door County is near the northern limit of its range. This species is not recommended as a SLCI due to its general abundance, but long term monitoring is recommended for tracking changes in biodiversity and ecosystem health. Monitoring can be accomplished by properly designed cover object surveys.

Northern Red-bellied Snake (*Storeria occipitomaculata occipitomaculata*):

Found throughout the county including Chambers and Washington islands (Wisconsin Herp Atlas). Confirmed only at the extreme southern end of the SNA in 2014 but expected to occur throughout (Appendix C). Red-bellied Snakes utilize a variety of open and semi-forested habitats, including forest edge, urban and agricultural areas, grassy right of ways, old fields and meadows. This species is not recommended as a SLCI due to its general abundance, but long term monitoring is recommended for tracking changes in biodiversity and ecosystem health. Monitoring can be accomplished by properly designed cover object surveys.

Northern Ribbonsnake (*Thamnophis sauritus septentrionalis*):

Reported and recently confirmed only from Peninsula State Park, this Endangered Species is known from only a few populations statewide in widely scattered locations (e.g. Door, Dane, Sheboygan counties; Wisconsin Herp Atlas). Considered to be a "glacial relict", where a formerly wide range has receded to a few widely scattered populations as a result of post-Pleistocene climate change. It is currently found only in shrubby bog habitats, typically with floating vegetative mats supporting sphagnum and tamarack, and either a central ponded area or a ponded moat, where it is semi-arboreal and feeds mainly on amphibians. It will likely be found in more locations if adequate surveys are conducted. Suitable habitat to support this species does not appear to be present within this SNA, hence SLCI status is not recommended. However, county-wide this should be a high priority SLCI due to its rarity. The greatest initial conservation need is adequate surveys to determine its real distribution and status.

Common Gartersnake (*Thamnophis sirtalis*):

Found throughout the county including Chambers and Washington islands (Wisconsin Herp Atlas). Confirmed within the SNA and expected to occur throughout (Appendix C). Utilizes a variety of open and semi-open wetland and terrestrial habitats, but avoids forest interior. Often found in urban and agricultural areas, grassy right of ways, old fields and meadows. This species is not recommended as a SLCI, but long term monitoring is recommended for tracking changes in biodiversity and ecosystem health. Monitoring can be accomplished by properly designed cover object surveys.

Discussion

Door County is a special place, surrounded on all sides by the waters of Lake Michigan and Green Bay, and with the Niagara Escarpment exposed along much of its length. These features make for unusual herptile habitat, with the lake effect ameliorating climate extremes, and the escarpment providing convenient denning sites. Hence some species like Common Mudpuppies and Western Foxsnakes appear to reach high abundances, and herptile diversity is relatively high overall. Indeed, the region may qualify as an Important Herptile Habitat Area, a Partners in Amphibian and Reptile Conservation (www.parcplace.org) initiative modeled after the Important Bird Area initiative (www.wisconsinbirds.org/IBA/). Identifying Important Herptile Habitat Areas in Wisconsin is currently being considered by Wisconsin PARC (www.wiparc.org). The concepts are presented in Sutherland and deMaynadier (2012).

We recommend that herptile inventory and monitoring programs be considered to collect better data on species present, and to begin monitoring for future change, both county-wide and for this SNA. The main inventory questions for the SNA are whether or not Northern Ring-necked Snake or Central Newt are present. Surveys for them may utilize visual searches and cover object surveys (Northern Ring-necked Snake), and aquatic funnel traps (Central Newt). Smooth Greensnake presence is doubtful, but could also be determined by cover object surveys. The presence of Common Mudpuppy and Northern Watersnake are also of interest, but the current land preservation configuration of the SNA does not appear to include good survey sites for these species (aquatic and shoreline habitats). Should more shoreline acquisition occur, surveys for these species may be warranted.

Six species are currently recommended as a focus for monitoring, owing to their usefulness as indicators of change, a philosophy of keeping common species common, and ease of monitoring: Northern Leopard Frog, Wood Frog, Spotted Salamander, Four-toed Salamander, Eastern Red-backed Salamander, and Western Foxsnake. We recommend the following programs be developed, possibly in cooperation with other partners for cost sharing and wider coverage. The program development should address partnerships, a study design, site selection, training, and data analysis and reporting.

Auditory surveys: A key part of long term monitoring, including for climate change, is tracking trends in amphibians. This can be accomplished by setting up a network of automated recording devices (e.g. Song Meters) modeled after the National Park Service program. These devices can be programmed to record 5-minute digital samples equivalent to the Wisconsin DNR frog and toad survey protocol, and can efficiently over-sample to either avoid false absences, or allow for statistically significant occupancy modeling. Ideally, a network of 10 sites would be selected throughout the county as permanent sampling sites that could be folded into the Park Service's long term monitoring program for the western Great Lakes, with shared data analyses. This program makes use of semi-automated data processing and is significantly more robust than any other program currently in place, allowing for discovery of declines in a timely manner. As an added incentive, the units can also be programmed to simultaneously monitor breeding birds utilizing the same protocol.

Visual surveys: Visual search protocols for shorelines, terrestrial habitat, and eggs are available for monitoring four recommended SLCI: Wood Frog, Spotted Salamander, Four-toed Salamander, and Eastern Red-backed Salamander. The egg search protocol also adequately monitors Blue-spotted Salamanders.

Cover object surveys: The cover object methods used on this study are effective for monitoring several snakes, including Northern Ring-necked Snake, Eastern Milksnake, Smooth Greensnake, Western Foxsnake, Dekay's Brownsnake, Northern Red-bellied Snake, and Common Gartersnake.

If a county-wide coalition can be achieved to advance herptile inventory and monitoring, priority should be given to distribution and status assessments for species that are currently data deficient, which are most species (see species accounts above). In general, most species have records clustered north of Sturgeon Bay, and in popular natural areas. A comprehensive assessment would utilize maps based on existing knowledge to perform gap surveys to better assess distribution and status, including on islands, and prioritize SLCI on a regional basis for better conservation planning and partnerships. Currently, the highest inventory priorities are the State Endangered Northern Ribbonsnake, Blanding's Turtle, and Smooth Greensnake, all of which are known from only one site each in the county (Wisconsin Herp Atlas).

Incidental Observations

We captured one Northern Pike in an aquatic funnel trap in the stream just north of the junction of Bay Shore Dr. and W. Carlsville Rd (44.947310, -87.377946, WGS84) on 29 June 2014, and numerous others while dipnetting.

Attachments:

Appendix A: Ranking system

Appendix B: Checklist with SLCI ranks (Excel file)

Appendix C: Detailed records for SNA (Excel file) with ESRI Arcmap layer (shapefile)

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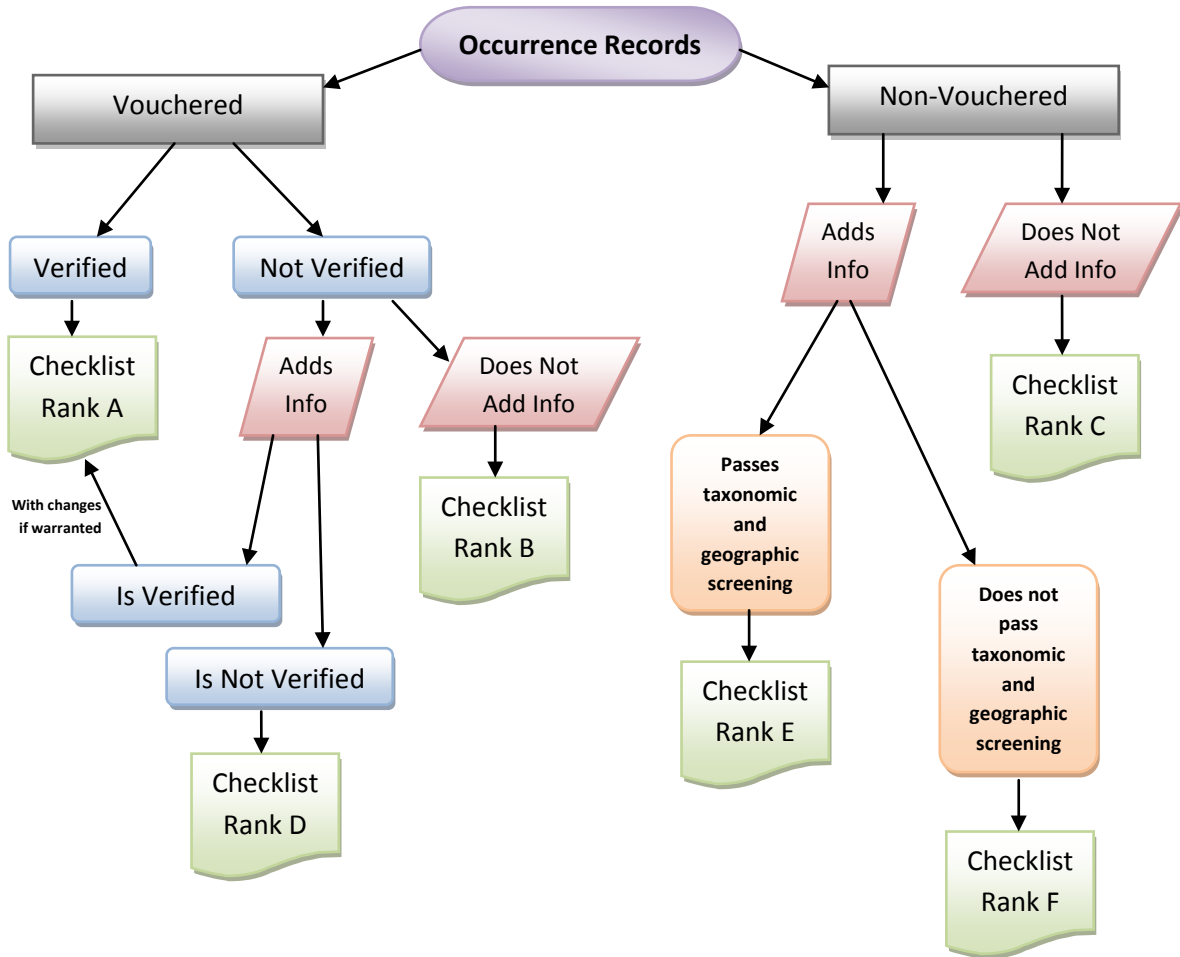
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Milksnake eating a Brownsnake, Bay Shore Blufflands 2014 (photo by R. Rutherford)

Appendix A: Species Occurrence Data Vetting



Definitions and Checklist Ranks:

Vouchered = an occurrence record with physical evidence that can be independently verified (i.e., a publicly available specimen or photograph)

Non-Vouchered = an occurrence record without physical evidence that can be independently verified (i.e., observational records, or purported evidence that is lost or cannot be accessed)

A – Vouchered record that has been independently verified.

B - Vouchered record that has not been independently verified, but does not add any significant new information (i.e., falls within already verified occurrence area and/or time period selected for the project).

C – Non-Vouchered record that does not add any significant new information (as defined for B).

D - Vouchered record that has not been independently verified and does add significant new information (i.e., extends geographic range or fills substantial geographic range gap, and/or extends species occurrence time period for species thought to be extirpated) - these records should be verified if possible.

E - Non- Vouchered record that does add significant new information (as defined for D), and passes screening*.

F - Non- Vouchered record that does add significant new information (as defined for D), and does not pass screening*.

Species checklists are very informative for planning purposes, being a record of biodiversity for an area which can be used to evaluate which species are of conservation interest, and to assess species richness and habitat conservation potential. Checklist records are ranked in order of confidence from the highest Rank A (very confident record is good) to the lowest Rank F (record is questionable and cannot be verified). Historical species checklists are defined as all species that are likely to have ever occurred in a project area. They are cumulative over time and typically categorize species in various ways to inform project objectives, such as by conservation status, habitat requirements, or how recent records are. For these checklists ranks A-D are typically appropriate, with Rank D records subjected to species by species scrutiny with expert opinion weighed and uncertainty eliminated by independently verifying the specimens, and/or by new field surveys, when warranted. If records in Ranks E and F are of interest the locations may be verified for species occurrence through new field surveys, with voucher specimens (or photographs) collected and deposited at a public institution. Rank E sites are more likely to produce the species.

* - Screening for taxonomic and geographic outliers is a process whereby a putative occurrence is examined to see if it, a) falls within the species' known geographic range, b) could have been confused with other more likely taxa, and c) if suitable habitat for the species existed at the time and place of the observation. Outliers are those records that fail these tests, or are otherwise questionable (e.g. a transcription error is suspected in data), and generally should not be used for analyses. If these records are important to the project, they should be reconfirmed by new surveys.

It is important to acknowledge the presence-only nature of most records in a checklist database. Without repeated visits, credible survey protocols followed, and survey effort tracked, most records cannot be treated as survey data, and the absence of observations cannot be used as evidence of species absence. If proving absence is important, either for gaps where no records are available, or as part of a vetting process for records in Ranks D, E or F, field surveys designed to confirm presence or absence must incorporate detection probabilities in the study design and sample sufficiently to meet 95% confidence in avoiding Type II Error (false absences). However, in some instances gaps in occurrence records can be accepted as real if no suitable habitat exists (e.g. developed areas).

A final point regarding observational data - Ranks C, E and F. Past practice has often ranked observational data by observer credibility, whereby observations from known experts are considered more reliable. While this is often the case, this assumption is also frequently violated, as experts do make mistakes, taxonomy changes, and unknown persons are often just as reliable (sometimes more so). This ranking system avoids such personal judgment calls, relying instead on the scientific method with the ability to perform independent verification. Rather than accepting records on faith ("just trust me"), scientific evidence can be examined (in this case, specimens or photographs). This process, like all good science, is self-correcting as future workers continue to examine the evidence.

NOTE: This vetting system was developed by Gary S. Casper (UWM Field Station) for an Ozaukee County, Wisconsin, conservation planning project. Inquiries on use and acknowledgement should be made to Dr. Casper (gscasper@uwm.edu, 262-689-4095).

Appendix B: Bay Shore Blufflands SNA Herptile Species Checklist												
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Group	Common Name	Scientific Name	Global Rank	State Rank	Federal Status	WI Status	SGCN	NHI Tracked	SLCI	Wetland Type	Focal Species	Comments
Frog	Eastern Am. <i>Ancaxyrus an</i>		G5	S5						P, S, T		Present in SNA and generally common. Generalist habitat requirements.
Frog	Gray Treefr. <i>Hyla versicc</i>		G5	S5						S, T		Present in SNA and generally common. Prefers shrub and forested habitat with suitable breeding sites.
Frog	Green Frog <i>Lithobates c</i>		G5	S5						P		Present in SNA and generally common. Prefers aquatic shoreline habitat.
Frog	Northern Le <i>Lithobates p</i>		G5	S4?	SC/H		W		Y	P, S		Present in SNA and generally common. Complex habitat requirements. Recommended for monitoring.
Frog	Wood Frog <i>Lithobates s</i>		G5	S4					Y	S, T		Present in SNA and generally common. Landscape sensitive habitat requirements, ephemeral wetland obligate. Recommended for monitoring.
Frog	Spring Peep <i>Pseudacris c</i>		G5	S5						S, T		Present in SNA and generally common. Prefers shrub and forested habitat with suitable breeding sites.
Salamander	Blue-spotted <i>Ambystoma</i>		G5	S4/S5						S, T		Present in SNA and generally common. Occupies forest habitat with embedded ephemeral wetlands.
Salamander	Spotted Sala <i>Ambystoma</i>		G5	S4					Y	S, T		Present in SNA and locally common in higher quality forested habitat with embedded ephemeral wetlands, coarse downed woody debris, and duff. Recommended for monitoring.
Salamander	Four-toed S. <i>Hemidactyli</i>		G5	S3?	SC/H		W	Y	Y	S, T		Present in SNA and locally common in higher quality forested habitat with embedded ephemeral wetlands that provide the specialized nesting microhabitat conditions.
Salamander	Common Mi <i>Necturus ma</i>		G5	S3S4	SC/H		W	Y		P		Present in county but only suitable aquatic habitat within SNA is Green Bay littoral zone. Thought to be declining and in need of conservation research.
Salamander	Central New <i>Notophthalm</i>		G5	S4						P, S		Local and apparently rare. Not currently known from this SNA. Data deficient.
Salamander	Eastern Red <i>Plethodon c</i>		G5	S4				Y				Present in SNA and generally common. Occupies moist forest habitat with high quality duff and coarse downed woody debris. Recommended for monitoring.
Snake	Northern Rii <i>Diadophis p</i>		G5T5	S3			W	Y				Possibly present in the SNA but no records (known from Door Co.). Forest edge and forest openings, especially near bedrock outcrops. Recommended for monitoring.
Snake	Eastern Mill <i>Lampropelti</i>		G5	S4								Present in SNA and probably locally common. Occupies urban and agricultural environments, meadows, clearings, forest edge.
Snake	Common W. <i>Nerodia sipe</i>		G5	S4								Possibly present in the SNA but no records (known from Door Co.). Natural shorelines of lakes and larger streams.
Snake	Smooth Gre <i>Ophiodrys v</i>		G5	S4								Only county record is from Chambers Island in 1993. Prefers sandy soils and meadows. Status unknown.
Snake	Western Fox <i>Pantherophi</i>		G5	S4/S5				Y				Present in SNA and probably locally common. Occupies urban and agricultural environments, meadows, clearings, forest edge, dens in escarpment. Door County may support populations of statewide significance. Recommended for monitoring.

<p>Global Rank</p>	<p>G1 = Critically imperiled globally because of extreme rarity (5 or fewer occurrences or very few remaining individuals or acres) or because of some factor(s) making it especially vulnerable to extinction.</p> <p>G2 = Imperiled globally because of rarity (6 to 20 occurrences or few remaining individuals or acres) or because of some factor(s) making it very vulnerable to extinction throughout its range.</p> <p>G3 = Either very rare and local throughout its range or found locally (even abundantly at some of its locations) in a restricted range (e.g., a single state or physiographic region) or because of other factors making it vulnerable to extinction throughout its range; in terms of occurrences, in the range of 21 to 100.</p> <p>G4 = Apparently globally secure, though it may be quite rare in parts of its range, especially at the periphery.</p> <p>G5 = Demonstrably secure globally, though it may be quite rare in parts of its range, especially at the periphery.</p> <p>GH = Of historical occurrence throughout its range, i.e., formerly part of the established biota, with the expectation that it may be rediscovered.</p> <p>GNR = Not ranked. Replaced G? rank and some GU ranks</p> <p>GU = Possibly in peril range-wide, but their status is uncertain. More information is needed.</p> <p>GX = Believed to be extinct throughout its range (e.g. Passenger pigeon) with virtually no likelihood that it will be rediscovered.</p> <p>Species with a questionable taxonomic assignment are given a "Q" after the global rank.</p> <p>Subspecies and varieties are given subranks composed of the letter "T" plus a number or letter. The definition of the second character of the subrank parallels that of the full global rank. (Examples: a rare subspecies of a rare species is ranked G1T1; a rare subspecies of a common species is ranked G5T1.)</p>
<p>State Rank</p>	<p>S1 = Critically imperiled in Wisconsin because of extreme rarity (5 or fewer occurrences or very few remaining individuals or acres) or because of some factor(s) making it especially vulnerable to extirpation from the state.</p> <p>S2 = Imperiled in Wisconsin because of rarity (6 to 20 occurrences or few remaining individuals or acres) or because of some factor(s) making it very vulnerable to extirpation from the state.</p> <p>S3 = Rare or uncommon in Wisconsin (21 to 100 occurrences).</p> <p>S4 = Apparently secure in Wisconsin, with many occurrences.</p> <p>S5 = Demonstrably secure in Wisconsin and essentially ineradicable under present conditions.</p> <p>SA = Accidental (occurring only once or a few times) or casual (occurring more regularly although not every year); a few of these species (typically long-distance migrants such as some birds and butterflies) may have even bred on one or more of the occasions when they were recorded.</p> <p>SE = An exotic established in the state; may be native elsewhere in North America.</p> <p>SH = Of historical occurrence in Wisconsin, perhaps having not been verified in the past 20 years, and suspected to be still extant. Naturally, an element would become SH without such a 20-year delay if the only known occurrence were destroyed or if it had been extensively and unsuccessfully looked for.</p>

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	<p>SN = Regularly occurring, usually migratory and typically non-breeding species for which no significant or effective habitat conservation measures can be taken in Wisconsin. This category includes migratory birds and bats that pass through twice a year or, may remain in the winter (or, in a few cases, the summer) along with certain lepidoptera which regularly migrate to Wisconsin where they reproduce, but then completely die out every year with no return migration. Species in this category are so widely and unreliably distributed during migration or in winter that no small set of sites could be set aside with the hope of significantly furthering their conservation.</p> <p>SZ =Not of significant conservation concern in Wisconsin, invariably because there are no definable occurrences in the state, although the taxon is native and appears regularly in the state. An SZ rank will generally be used for long-distance migrants whose occurrence during their migrations are too irregular (in terms of repeated visitation to the same locations), transitory, and dispersed to be reliably identified, mapped, and protected. Typically, the SZ rank applies to a non-breeding population.</p> <p>SR = Reported from Wisconsin, but without persuasive documentation which would provide a basis for either accepting or rejecting the report. Some of these are very recent discoveries for which the program hasn't yet received first-hand information; others are old, obscure reports that are hard to dismiss because the habitat is now destroyed.</p> <p>SRF =Reported falsely (in error) from Wisconsin but this error is persisting in the literature.</p> <p>SU = Possibly in peril in the state, but their status is uncertain. More information is needed.</p> <p>SX = Apparently extirpated from the state.</p> <p>State Ranking of Long-Distance Migrant Animals = Ranking long distance aerial migrant animals presents special problems relating to the fact that their non-breeding status (rank) may be quite different from their breeding status, if any, in Wisconsin. In other words, the conservation needs of these taxa may vary between seasons. In order to present a less ambiguous picture of a migrant's status, it is necessary to specify whether the rank refers to the breeding (B) or non-breeding (N) status of the taxon in question. (e.g. S2B,S5N).</p>
Federal Status	Federal protection status designated by the Office of Endangered Species, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service indicating the biological status of a species in the United States. LE = listed endangered; LT = listed threatened; LE-LT = listed endangered in part of its range, threatened in another part; XN = nonessential experimental population(s) in part of its range; LT,PD = listed threatened, proposed for de-listing; C = candidate for future listing.
WI Status	Protection category designated by the Wisconsin DNR. END = endangered; THR = threatened; SC = Special Concern.
	WDNR and federal regulations regarding Special Concern species range from full protection to no protection. The current categories and their respective level of protection are SC/P = fully protected; SC/N = no laws regulating use, possession, or harvesting; SC/H = take regulated by establishment of open closed seasons; SC/FL = federally protected as endangered or threatened, but not so designated by WDNR; SC/M = fully protected by federal and state laws under the Migratory Bird Act.
	Special Concern species are those species about which some problem of abundance or distribution is suspected but not yet proved. The main purpose of this category is to focus attention on certain species before they become threatened or endangered.
SGCN	Identified as a Species of Greatest Conservation Need from Wisconsin's Wildlife Action Plan.
NHI Tracked	Indicates if species is tracked in the Wisconsin Natural Heritage Working List (version 5/31/12). W = watch list, which includes species that were formerly tracked but are no longer due to changed status ranks.

SLCI	Species of Conservation Interest are species that are at least one of the following: a) listed as either state or federally Endangered, Threatened, or Special Concern; b) listed as Species of Greatest Conservation Need in the State Wildlife Action Plan; c) considered to be locally rare or declining; or d) thought to be important as indicator species for long-term monitoring in the project area
Focal Species	This is a dynamic column, that can be used to select project specific species, such as for monitoring, as umbrella species to represent habitat restorations, etc.
Habitat Context	Brief description of status and habitat parameters associated with the species that may be relevant to conservation planning.
Wetland Type	Amphibians only. Breeding habitat type. P - permanent waters. S - Semi-permanent ponds and wetlands. T - temporary ponds and wetlands (seasonal, ephemeral).

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Amphibian - Metadata

Amphibian Data Collected at Egg Harbor Township Wetland (#1424) from the Great Lakes Coastal Wetland Monitoring Program (2014)

This file contains amphibian (frogs and toads only) point count data collected during surveys conducted in the spring/summer of 2014 at Egg Harbor Township Wetland (1424), a.k.a. Bayshore Blufflands, for the Great Lakes Coastal Wetland Monitoring Program (GLCWMP). These data were collected by UW-Green Bay students under the supervision of Dr. Robert Howe to assist the Landscapes of Place, The Nature Conservancy, and Door County Land Trust in acquiring biological information about this wetland for writing a long-term land management plan.

These data were double entered by UW-Green Bay students and subsequently compared by Erin Giese in July 2014. The final product are the contents of this file. Protocols, reference sheets, and paper data sheets were provided separately to the Landscapes of Place (Nancy Aten and Dan Collins), The Nature Conservancy (Mike Grimm), and Door County Land Trust (Jodi Milske).

Amphibian data were collected using a full circle, unlimited-distance 3-minute point count method by certified expert observers. All frogs and toads detected during this 3-minute period were recorded, regardless of distance to observer. Three counts were conducted at this wetland between the late spring and early summer and were separated by at least 15 days and minimum nighttime temperature requirements (5°C, 10°C, and 17°C).

Amphibian data were collected at sampling point count location, A1424.1 (site=1424; point_id=1) at geospatial coordinates 44.948970°, -87.376115° (WGS 84). Waypoints were collected at each of the three samples (A1424.1.R1 = round 1 amphibian survey, A1424.1.R2 = round 2 amphibian survey, and A1424.1.R3 = round 3 amphibian survey), confirming that point counts were conducted at the correct location.

Tab "A_point" contains information about the point count itself (e.g., weather, time). Tab "A_observation" contains amphibian point count data (i.e., amphibian observations). The rest of the tabs in this file are described in greater detail below from the GLCWMP online database and generally explain the different fields provided in tabs "A_point" and "A_observation".

File prepared by Erin Giese on 11 July 2014.

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Coastal Monitoring Amphibian data dumped Fri Jul 11 01:57:59 2014

This is an *export* of data from the project's online database

Data CAN NOT BE ENTERED into the project database using this spreadsheet

Great Lakes Coastal Wetland Monitoring Program (2014)

Amphibian - Metadata

Table	Fields	Records	Description
A_point		18	5932 Amphibian point count
A_observati		10	19521 Observations
A_taxa		3	13 NO COMMENT SUPPLIED
Ab_distance		2	4 NO COMMENT SUPPLIED
A_callcode		2	3 NO COMMENT SUPPLIED
G_timezone		3	2 NO COMMENT SUPPLIED
Ab_weather		2	4 NO COMMENT SUPPLIED
Ab_wind		2	6 NO COMMENT SUPPLIED
Ab_noise		2	5 NO COMMENT SUPPLIED

Table details

The following table descriptions show the fields in the project data base, which are somewhat different from the fields in this export. Descriptions of fields containing observed values are consistent.

A_point: Amphibian point count

Field	Units	Type	Description
site	N/A	link	to lookup list Site
point_id	N/A	text	Point number, 1-6
waypoint	N/A	text	Waypoint label on GPS, eg. B1234.2, NA if missing.
sample		integer	Sample number, 1-3
date	N/A	date	M/D/Y, e.g. 4/15/2011
start_time	N/A	time	HHMM, 24hr format, eg. 2343 or 0013
timezone	N/A	link	to table G_timezone
observer	N/A	text	F.Lastname, e.g. J.Doe
weather	N/A	link	to table Ab_weather
cloud_pcnt		real number	Cloud percent, 0-100
wind	N/A	link	to table Ab_wind
air_c		real number	Air temperature in C
water_c		real number	Water temperature in C
noise	N/A	link	to table Ab_noise
bearing		real number	Bearing faced on point, 0-360
comments	N/A	text	

Amphibian - Metadata

A_observation: Observations			
Field	Units	Type	Description
point	N/A	link	to table A_point
taxa	N/A	link	to table A_taxa
distance	N/A	link	to table Ab_distance
in_front	N/A	true/false	
callcode	N/A	link	to table A_callcode
individuals		integer	
A_taxa: NO COMMENT SUPPLIED			
Field	Units	Type	Description
code	N/A	text	
common	N/A	text	
Ab_distance: NO COMMENT SUPPLIED			
Field	Units	Type	Description
description	N/A	text	
A_callcode: NO COMMENT SUPPLIED			
Field	Units	Type	Description
description	N/A	text	
G_timezone: NO COMMENT SUPPLIED			
Field	Units	Type	Description
name	N/A	text	
offset		real number	
Ab_weather: NO COMMENT SUPPLIED			
Field	Units	Type	Description
description	N/A	text	
Ab_wind: NO COMMENT SUPPLIED			
Field	Units	Type	Description
description	N/A	text	
Ab_noise: NO COMMENT SUPPLIED			
Field	Units	Type	Description
description	N/A	text	

Amphibian - Points

site	point_id	date	sample	waypoint	start_time	observer	weather	cloud_pct	wind	air_c	water_c	noise	bearing	comments
1424	1	2014-04-25	1	A1424.1.R1	22:43:00	L.Bender	Dry	0	Calm; smoke rises vertically	3.5	8.6	No appreciable effect (owl calling)	170	
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	A1424.1.R2	22:07:00	T.Prestby	Dry	0	Light air movement; smoke drifts; leaves barely move	11.1		Seriously affecting sampling (continuous traffic nearby, 6-10 cars passing)	170	Deafening frogs - very hard to count/estimate
1424	1	2014-06-19	3	A1424.1.R3	22:38:00	L.Bender	Dry	100	Light air movement; smoke drifts; leaves barely move	15.9		Slightly affecting sampling (distant traffic, dog barking, car passing)	170	Water temp was not recorded because it was determined not safe from tall pier.

Amphibian - Observations

site	point_id	date	sample	taxa	distance	in_front	callcode	individuals
1424	1	2014-04-25	1	SPPE	0-50 m	False	1: Calls not simultaneous; individuals can be accurately counted	1
1424	1	2014-04-25	1	WOFR	0-50 m	False	1: Calls not simultaneous; individuals can be accurately counted	1
1424	1	2014-04-25	1	SPPE	50-100 m	False	3: Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; not reliably estimated	
1424	1	2014-04-25	1	CHFR	0-50 m	True	1: Calls not simultaneous; individuals can be accurately counted	1
1424	1	2014-04-25	1	SPPE	0-50 m	True	1: Calls not simultaneous; individuals can be accurately counted	1
1424	1	2014-04-25	1	SPPE	0-50 m	True	1: Calls not simultaneous; individuals can be accurately counted	3
1424	1	2014-04-25	1	WOFR	0-50 m	True	1: Calls not simultaneous; individuals can be accurately counted	2
1424	1	2014-04-25	1	WOFR	0-50 m	True	1: Calls not simultaneous; individuals can be accurately counted	2
1424	1	2014-04-25	1	SPPE	50-100 m	True	3: Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; not reliably estimated	
1424	1	2014-04-25	1	SPPE	50-100 m	True	3: Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; not reliably estimated	
1424	1	2014-04-25	1	SPPE	50-100 m	True	3: Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; not reliably estimated	
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	GRTR	0-50 m	False	2: Some calls simultaneous; individuals can be reliably estimated	2
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	GRTR	0-50 m	False	3: Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; not reliably estimated	
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	GRTR	0-50 m	False	3: Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; not reliably estimated	
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	GRTR	50-100 m	False	3: Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; not reliably estimated	
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	SPPE	50-100 m	False	3: Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; not reliably estimated	
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	SPPE	50-100 m	False	3: Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; not reliably estimated	
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	GRTR	0-50 m	True	2: Some calls simultaneous; individuals can be reliably estimated	1
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	GRTR	0-50 m	True	2: Some calls simultaneous; individuals can be reliably estimated	2
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	GRTR	0-50 m	True	2: Some calls simultaneous; individuals can be reliably estimated	3
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	SPPE	0-50 m	True	2: Some calls simultaneous; individuals can be reliably estimated	1
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	SPPE	0-50 m	True	2: Some calls simultaneous; individuals can be reliably estimated	1
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	SPPE	0-50 m	True	3: Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; not reliably estimated	
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	GRTR	50-100 m	True	3: Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; not reliably estimated	
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	GRTR	50-100 m	True	3: Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; not reliably estimated	
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	SPPE	50-100 m	True	3: Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; not reliably estimated	
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	SPPE	50-100 m	True	3: Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; not reliably estimated	
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	SPPE	50-100 m	True	3: Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; not reliably estimated	
1424	1	2014-05-27	2	SPPE	50-100 m	True	3: Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; not reliably estimated	
1424	1	2014-06-19	3	GRTR	0-50 m	False	1: Calls not simultaneous; individuals can be accurately counted	1
1424	1	2014-06-19	3	GRTR	50-100 m	True	1: Calls not simultaneous; individuals can be accurately counted	1

Amphibian - Codes

distance	description		callcode	description
1	0-50 m		1	Calls not simultaneous; individuals can be accurately counted
2	50-100 m		2	Some calls simultaneous; individuals can be reliably estimated
3	> 100 m		3	Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; not reliably estimated
-1	No data			
timezone	name	offset	weather	description
-6	Central	-6	1	Dry
-5	Eastern	-5	2	Damp/Haze/Fog
			3	Drizzle
			4	Rain
taxa	code	common	wind	description
1	AMTO	American Toad	0	Calm; smoke rises vertically
2	BCFR	Northern (Blanchard's) Cricket Frog	1	Light air movement; smoke drifts; leaves barely move
3	BULL	Bullfrog	2	Slight breeze; wind felt on face; small twigs move
6	CGTR	Cope's Gray Treefrog	3	Gentle breeze; leaves & small twigs in constant motion
4	CHFR	Chorus Frog (Western/Boreal)	4	Moderate breeze; small branches moving, raises dust & loose paper
7	FOTO	Fowler's Toad	5	Large branches & small trees sway
9	GRFR	Green Frog		
8	GRTR	Gray Treefrog		
10	MIFR	Mink Frog	noise	description
11	NLFR	Northern Leopard Frog	0	No appreciable effect (owl calling)
12	PIFR	Pickrel Frog	1	Slightly affecting sampling (distant traffic, dog barking, car passing)
14	SPPE	Spring Peeper	2	Moderately affecting sampling (distant traffic, 2-5 cars passing)
15	WOFR	Wood Frog	3	Seriously affecting sampling (continuous traffic nearby, 6-10 cars passing)
			4	Profoundly affecting sampling (continuous traffic passing, construction noise)

A1424.1

AMPHIBIAN MONITORING
Field Data Sheet
2014

A1424.1.R1

Point ID: ~~AB1424.1~~

Sample: Round 1

Date: 04/25/2014

Start Time: 22:43 ^{CDT} EDT

Observer: L. Bender

Waypoint: ~~AB1424.1~~

Lat: N44.94897°

Lon: W087.37611°

Weather: Dry Damp/Haze/Fog Drizzle Rain

% Cloud Cover: \emptyset Wind: \emptyset

Air Temp: 3.5 °C Water Temp: 8.6 °C

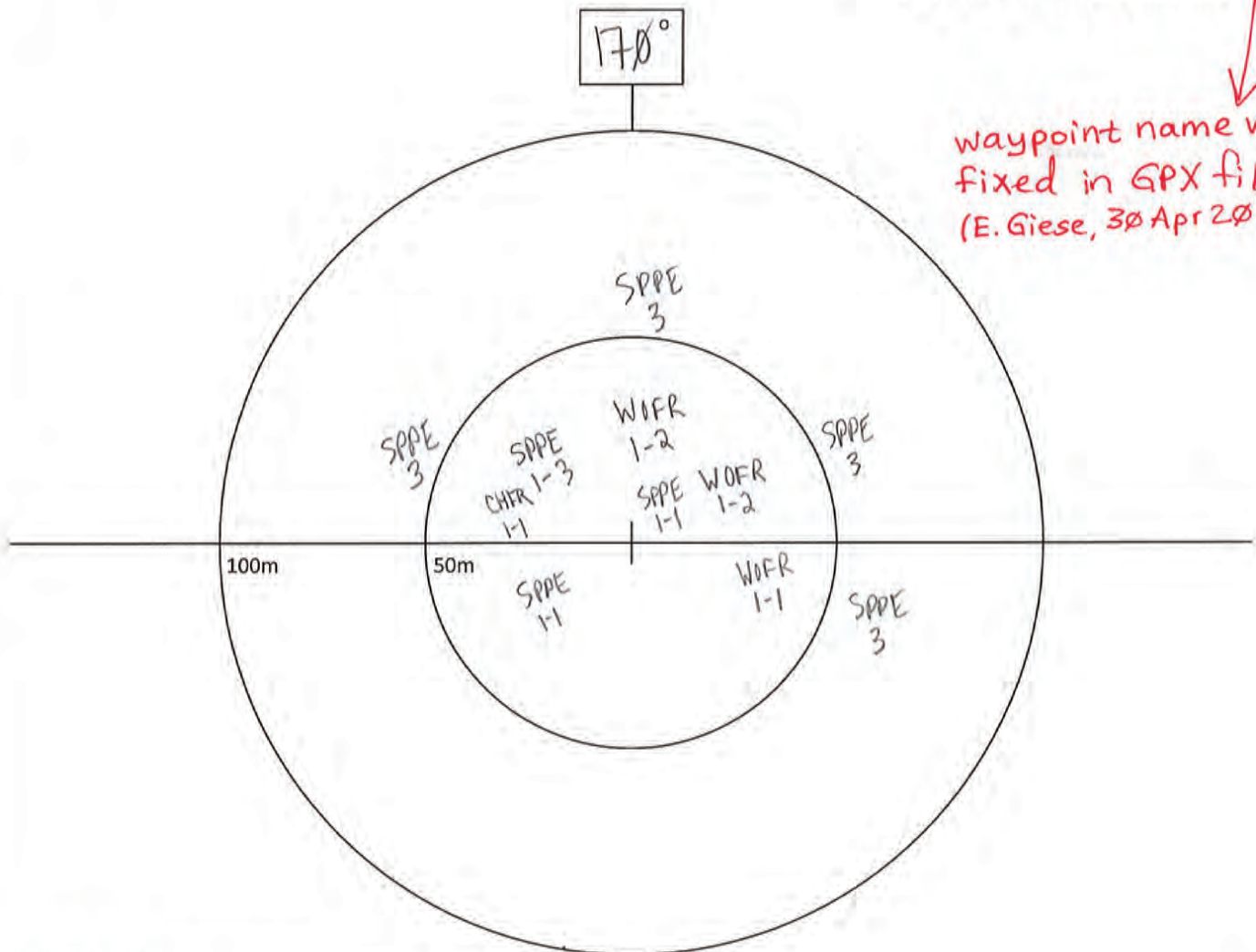
Noise: \emptyset

Rec #: 2

Observations: CHFR x-y x = calling code (1, 2 or 3)
y = number of individuals (1, or # > 1 if small group of the same species at the same location);
leave blank for calling code 3

- | Calling Code | Description |
|--------------|--|
| 1 | Calls not simultaneous; individuals can be <u>accurately counted</u> |
| 2 | Some calls simultaneous; individuals can be <u>reliably estimated</u> |
| 3 | Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; <u>not reliably estimated</u> |

waypoint name was fixed in GPX file (E. Giese, 30 Apr 2014)



id data entry (signature): _____

Comments:

id data entry (signature): _____

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2014

Waypoint: A1424.1.R2
Lat: 44.94900
Lon: 87.37606

Point ID: A1424.1
Sample: Frogs R2
Date: 05/27/2014
Start Time: 22:07 CDT
EDT
Observer: J. Prestby

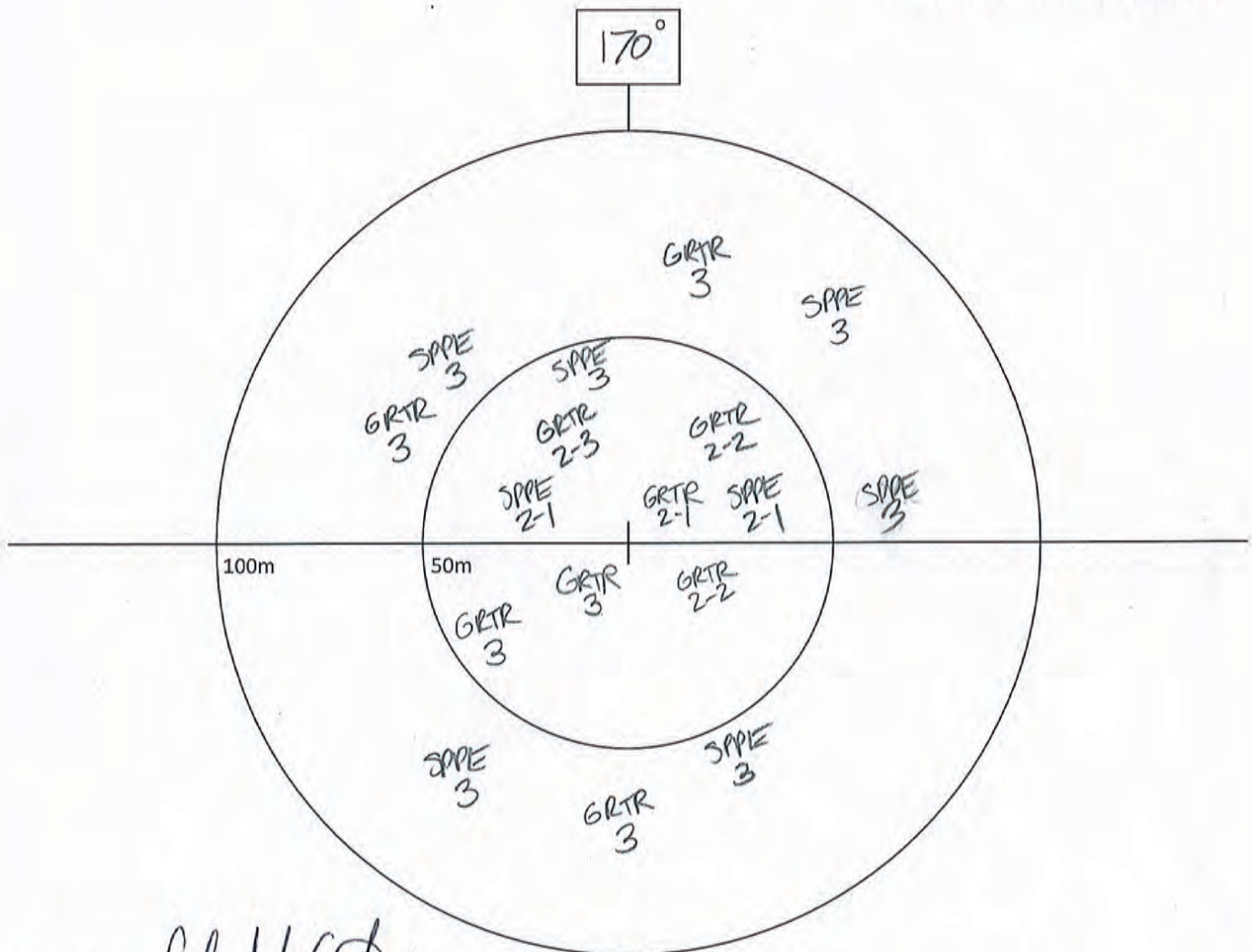
Weather: Dry Damp/Haze/Fog Drizzle Rain
% Cloud Cover: X Wind: |
Air Temp: 11.1 °C Water Temp: °C
Noise: 3

Rec #: 6

SPPE
GRTR

Observations: CHFR x-y
x = calling code (1, 2 or 3)
y = number of individuals (1, or # > 1 if small group of the same species at the same location);
leave blank for calling code 3

- | Calling Code | Description |
|--------------|--|
| 1 | Calls not simultaneous; individuals can be <u>accurately counted</u> |
| 2 | Some calls simultaneous; individuals can be <u>reliably estimated</u> |
| 3 | Full chorus, calls continuous & overlapping; <u>not reliably estimated</u> |



Field data entry (signature): CLM
Lab data entry (signature): _____

Comments: DEAFENING frogs
Very hard to count/estimate

AMPHIBIAN MONITORING
Field Data Sheet
2014

Waypoint: A1424.1, R3
Lat: N 44.94898°
Lon: W 87.37606°

Point ID: A1424.1

Sample: R3

Date: 06/19/2014

Start Time: 22:38 ^{CDT} EDT

Observer: L. Bender

Weather: Dry Damp/Haze/Fog Drizzle Rain

% Cloud Cover: 100% Wind: 1

Air Temp: 15.9 °C Water Temp: °C

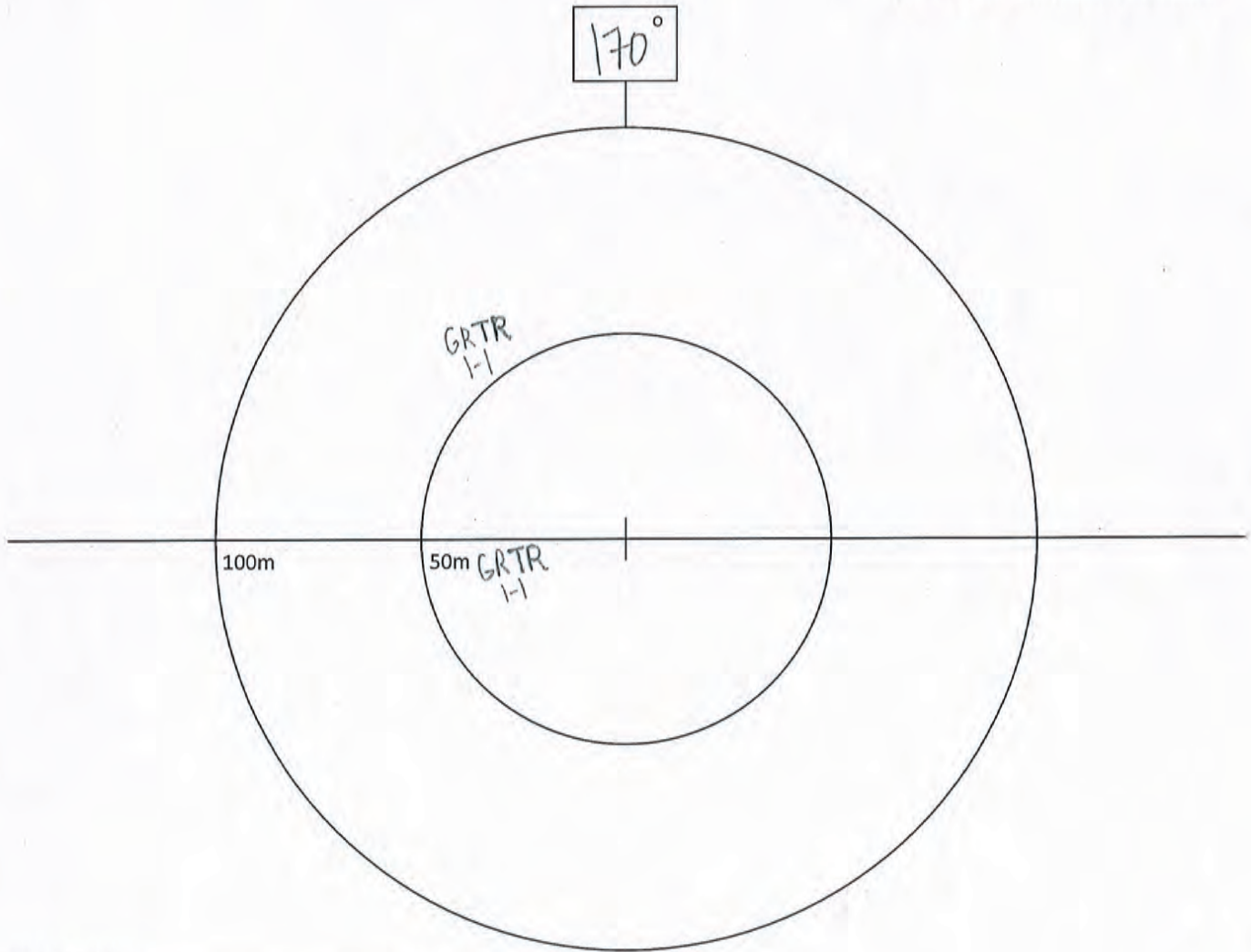
Noise: 1

Rec #: 2

not safe from tall pier

Observations: CHFR x-y
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Comments:

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Birds - Metadata

Bird Data Collected at Egg Harbor Township Wetland (#1424) from the Great Lakes Coastal Wetland Monitoring Program (2014)

This file contains breeding bird data collected during surveys conducted in the spring/summer of 2014 at Egg Harbor Township Wetland (1424), a.k.a. Bayshore Blufflands, for the Great Lakes Coastal Wetland Monitoring Program (GLCWMP). These data were collected by UW-Green Bay students under the supervision of Dr. Robert Howe to assist the Landscapes of Place, The Nature Conservancy, and Door County Land Trust in acquiring biological information about this wetland for writing a long-term land management plan.

These data were double entered by UW-Green Bay students and subsequently compared by Erin Giese in July 2014. The final product are the contents of this file. Protocols, reference sheets, and paper data sheets were provided separately to the Landscapes of Place (Nancy Aten and Dan Collins), The Nature Conservancy (Mike Grimm), and Door County Land Trust (Jodi Milske).

Bird data were collected using a full circle, unlimited-distance 15-minute point count method by certified expert observers. The first 5-minutes of a bird point count consisted of passive listening by the observer. During the middle 5-minutes of a bird count, a broadcast of secretive, marsh-nesting bird species calls (e.g., Pied-billed Grebe) was played to elicit responses of birds in the wetland. Then, the last 5-minutes of a count consisted of passive listening by the observer. Two counts (field "sample"), once in the morning and once in the evening, were conducted between the late spring and early summer and were separated by at least 15 days.

Bird data were collected at sampling point count location, B1424.2 (site=1424; point_id=2) at geospatial coordinates 44.947863°, -87.377717° (WGS 84). Waypoints were collected at each of the two samples (B1424.2.BM = morning bird survey and B1424.2.BE = evening bird survey), confirming that point counts were conducted at the correct location.

Tab "B_point" contains information about the point count itself (e.g., weather, time). Tab "B_aerial" contains data on aerial foragers detected during a point count. Tab "B_observation" contains bird point count data (i.e., bird observations). The rest of the tabs in this file are described in greater detail below from the GLCWMP online database and generally explain the different fields provided in tabs "B_point", "B_aerial", and "B_observation".

File prepared by Erin Giese on 9 July 2014.

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Coastal Monitoring Bird data dumped Thu Jul 3 01:51:53 2014

This is an *export* of data from the project's online database

Birds - Metadata

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Table	Fields	Records	Description
B_point		18	4515 Bird point count
B_aerial		7	4340 Aerial foragers
B_observation		12	91271 Observations
B_taxa		3	298 NO COMMENT SUPPLIED
Ab_distance		2	4 NO COMMENT SUPPLIED
B_behavior		2	6 NO COMMENT SUPPLIED
B_breeding		4	21 NO COMMENT SUPPLIED
G_timezone		3	2 NO COMMENT SUPPLIED
Ab_weather		2	4 NO COMMENT SUPPLIED
Ab_wind		2	6 NO COMMENT SUPPLIED
Ab_noise		2	5 NO COMMENT SUPPLIED

Table details

The following table descriptions show the fields in the project data base, which are somewhat different from the fields in this export. Descriptions of fields containing observed values are consistent.

B_point: Bird point count	Field	Units	Type	Description
	site	N/A	link	to lookup list Site
	point_id	N/A	text	Point number, 1-6
	waypoint	N/A	text	Waypoint label on GPS, eg. B1234.2, NA if missing.
	sample		integer	Sample number, 1-3
	date	N/A	date	M/D/Y, e.g. 4/15/2011
	start_time	N/A	time	HHMM, 24hr format, eg. 2343 or 0013
	timezone	N/A	link	to table G_timezone
	observer	N/A	text	F.Lastname, e.g. J.Doe
	weather	N/A	link	to table Ab_weather
	cloud_pcmt		real numbe	Cloud percent, 0-100
	wind	N/A	link	to table Ab_wind
	air_c		real numbe	Air temperature in C
	water_c		real numbe	Water temperature in C
	noise	N/A	link	to table Ab_noise

Birds - Metadata

bearing real numbe Bearing faced on point, 0-360
 comments N/A text

B_aerial: Aerial foragers

Field	Units	Type	Description
point	N/A	link	to table B_point
taxa	N/A	link	to table B_taxa
total		integer	

B_observation: Observations

Field	Units	Type	Description
point	N/A	link	to table B_point
taxa	N/A	link	to table B_taxa
distance	N/A	link	to table Ab_distance
time	N/A	text	
in_front	N/A	true/false	
behavior	N/A	link	to table B_behavior
breeding	N/A	link	to table B_breeding
individuals		integer	

B_taxa: NO COMMENT SUPPLIED

Field	Units	Type	Description
code	N/A	text	
common	N/A	text	

Ab_distance: NO COMMENT SUPPLIED

Field	Units	Type	Description
description	N/A	text	

B_behavior: NO COMMENT SUPPLIED

Field	Units	Type	Description
description	N/A	text	

B_breeding: NO COMMENT SUPPLIED

Field	Units	Type	Description
code	N/A	text	
description	N/A	text	
category	N/A	text	

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G_timezone: NO COMMENT SUPPLIED			
Field	Units	Type	Description
name	N/A	text	
offset		real number	

Ab_weather: NO COMMENT SUPPLIED			
Field	Units	Type	Description
description	N/A	text	

Ab_wind: NO COMMENT SUPPLIED			
Field	Units	Type	Description
description	N/A	text	

Ab_noise: NO COMMENT SUPPLIED			
Field	Units	Type	Description
description	N/A	text	

Birds - Observations

site	point_id	date	sample	taxa	distance	time	in_front	behavior	breeding	individuals
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	AMGO	0-50 m	2	FALSE	flyover		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	AMRO	50-100 m	1	FALSE	singing		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	AMRO	0-50 m	7	FALSE	calling		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	BGNG	0-50 m	4	FALSE	observed		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	BGNG	0-50 m	6	FALSE	calling		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	NOCA	50-100 m	1	FALSE	singing		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	NOCA	50-100 m	10	FALSE	singing		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	RBGR	0-50 m	4	FALSE	simultaneous		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	AMCR	> 100 m	11	TRUE	calling		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	AMRO	0-50 m	1	TRUE	singing		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	BCCH	50-100 m	12	TRUE	calling		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	BLJA	50-100 m	0	TRUE	calling		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	COGR	0-50 m	1	TRUE	singing		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	COYE	0-50 m	3	TRUE	singing		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	EAPH	0-50 m	0	TRUE	observed		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	HERG	0-50 m	2	TRUE	flyover		3
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	HERG	0-50 m	7	TRUE	observed		2
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	MODO	50-100 m	3	TRUE	singing		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	NOFL	50-100 m	14	TRUE	calling		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	RBGR	0-50 m	2	TRUE	simultaneous		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	REVI	50-100 m	0	TRUE	singing		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	RWBL	0-50 m	0	TRUE	calling		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	RWBL	0-50 m	0	TRUE	singing		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	RWBL	50-100 m	1	TRUE	singing		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	RWBL	0-50 m	3	TRUE	flyover		1
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1424	2	2014-05-27	1	SOSP	0-50 m	3	TRUE	calling		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	SWSP	50-100 m	4	TRUE	singing		1
1424	2	2014-05-27	1	YEWA	0-50 m	3	TRUE	singing		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	AMCR	> 100 m	0	FALSE	calling		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	BAWW	0-50 m	11	FALSE	singing		1

Birds - Observations

site	point_id	date	sample	taxa	distance	time	in_front	behavior	breeding	individuals
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	BCCH	0-50 m	11	FALSE	calling		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	DOWO	0-50 m	12	FALSE	calling		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	EAPH	0-50 m	0	FALSE	singing		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	HAWO	0-50 m	14	FALSE	calling		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	REVI	50-100 m	0	FALSE	simultaneous		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	RWBL	0-50 m	11	FALSE	singing		1
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1424	2	2014-06-24	2	AMRO	50-100 m	8	TRUE	observed		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	BCCH	0-50 m	12	TRUE	calling		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	BGGN	0-50 m	0	TRUE	singing		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	CEDW	0-50 m	1	TRUE	flyover		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	CEDW	50-100 m	1	TRUE	calling		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	CEDW	50-100 m	4	TRUE	observed		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	CEDW	0-50 m	14	TRUE	calling		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	COGR	0-50 m	0	TRUE	calling		3
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	COYE	0-50 m	0	TRUE	singing		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	HAWO	50-100 m	14	TRUE	calling		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	HERG	0-50 m	11	TRUE	flyover		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	MODO	0-50 m	0	TRUE	simultaneous		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	MODO	0-50 m	0	TRUE	simultaneous		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	MODO	0-50 m	8	TRUE	simultaneous		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	NOFL	50-100 m	4	TRUE	observed		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	RBNU	50-100 m	4	TRUE	calling		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	REVI	0-50 m	0	TRUE	simultaneous		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	RWBL	0-50 m	9	TRUE	calling		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	RWBL	50-100 m	9	TRUE	singing		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	SWSP	50-100 m	13	TRUE	singing		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	UGUL	50-100 m	4	TRUE	flyover		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	WTSP	50-100 m	0	TRUE	singing		1
1424	2	2014-06-24	2	YEWA	0-50 m	9	TRUE	singing		1

Birds - Codes - Taxa

taxa code	common	taxa code	common
22 ABDU	American Black Duck	166 LOSH	Loggerhead Shrike
120 ACFL	Acadian Flycatcher	198 LOWA	Louisiana Waterthrush
121 ALFL	Alder Flycatcher	308 LTDU	Long-tailed Duck
69 AMAV	American Avocet	18 LWFG	Lesser White-fronted Goose
8 AMBI	American Bittern	75 MAGO	Marbled Godwit
66 AMCO	American Coot	23 MALL	Mallard
138 AMCR	American Crow	182 MAWA	Magnolia Warbler
257 AMGO	American Goldfinch	149 MAWR	Marsh Wren
51 AMKE	American Kestrel	52 MERL	Merlin
194 AMRE	American Redstart	91 MODO	Mourning Dove
159 AMRO	American Robin	304 MOOT	Common Moorhen/American Coot
28 AMWI	American Wigeon	201 MOWA	Mourning Warbler
80 AMWO	American Woodcock	305 MUSW	Mute Swan
215 ATSP	American Tree Sparrow	185 MYWA	Myrtle Warbler
113 ATTW	Three-toed Woodpecker	178 NAWA	Nashville Warbler
6 AWPE	American White Pelican	96 NHOW	Northern Hawk-Owl
97 BADO	Barred Owl	62 NOBO	Northern Bobwhite
42 BAEA	Bald Eagle	209 NOCA	Northern Cardinal
222 BAIS	Baird's Sparrow	115 NOFL	Northern Flicker
132 BANS	Bank Swallow	46 NOGO	Northern Goshawk
248 BAOR	Baltimore Oriole	43 NOHA	Northern Harrier
134 BARS	Barn Swallow	161 NOMO	Northern Mockingbird
193 BAWW	Black-and-white Warbler	179 NOPA	Northern Parula
92 BBCU	Black-billed Cuckoo	24 NOPI	Northern Pintail
137 BBMA	Black-billed Magpie	197 NOWA	Northern Waterthrush
313 BBPL	Black-bellied Plover	131 NRWS	N. Rough-winged Swallow
78 BBSA	Buff-breasted Sandpiper	26 NSHO	Northern Shoveler
190 BBWA	Bay-breasted Warbler	165 NSHR	Northern Shrike
114 BBWO	Black-backed Woodpecker	102 NSWO	Northern Saw-whet Owl
140 BCCH	Black-capped Chickadee	177 OCWA	Orange-crowned Warbler
15 BCNH	Black-crowned Night Heron	247 OROR	Orchard Oriole

Birds - Codes - Taxa

107	BEKI	Belted Kingfisher			117	OSFL	Olive-sided Flycatcher
168	BEVI	Bell's Vireo			41	OSPR	Osprey
152	BGGN	Blue-gray Gnatcatcher			196	OVEN	Ovenbird
246	BHCO	Brown-headed Cowbird			3	PBGR	Pied-billed Grebe
169	BHVI	Blue-headed Vireo			53	PEFA	Peregrine Falcon
187	BLBW	Blackburnian Warbler			77	PESA	Pectoral Sandpiper
211	BLGR	Blue Grosbeak			172	PHVI	Philadelphia Vireo
136	BLJA	Blue Jay			249	PIGR	Pine Grosbeak
191	BLPW	Blackpoll Warbler			256	PISI	Pine Siskin
300	BLRA	Black Rail			188	PIWA	Pine Warbler
88	BLTE	Black Tern			116	PIWO	Pileated Woodpecker
238	BOBO	Bobolink			195	PROW	Prothonotary Warbler
141	BOCH	Boreal Chickadee			250	PUFI	Purple Finch
310	BOGU	Bonaparte's Gull			129	PUMA	Purple Martin
101	BOOW	Boreal Owl			210	RBGR	Rose-breasted Grosbeak
163	BOWA	Bohemian Waxwing			83	RBGU	Ring-billed Gull
244	BRBL	Brewer's Blackbird			38	RBME	Red-breasted Merganser
145	BRCR	Brown Creeper			143	RBNU	Red-breasted Nuthatch
162	BRTH	Brown Thrasher			109	RBWO	Red-bellied Woodpecker
184	BTBW	Black-throated Blue Warbler			151	RCKI	Ruby-crowned Kinglet
186	BTNW	Black-throated Green Warbler			252	RECR	Red Crossbill
90	BTPI	Band-tailed Pigeon			30	REDH	Redhead
35	BUFF	Bufflehead			173	REVI	Red-eyed Vireo
48	BWHA	Broad-winged Hawk			108	RHWO	Red-headed Woodpecker
25	BWTE	Blue-winged Teal			31	RNDU	Ring-necked Duck
174	BWWA	Blue-winged Warbler			56	RNEP	Ring-necked Pheasant
19	CANG	Canada Goose			4	RNGR	Red-necked Grebe
29	CANV	Canvasback			89	ROPI	Rock Dove
307	CARW	Carolina Wren			47	RSHA	Red-shouldered Hawk
85	CATE	Caspian Tern			50	RTHA	Red-tailed Hawk
205	CAWA	Canada Warbler			106	RTHU	Ruby-throated Hummingbird
236	CCLO	Chestnut-colored Longspur			1	RTLO	Red-throated Loon

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217	CCSP	Clay-colored Sparrow			243	RUBL	Rusty Blackbird
164	CEDW	Cedar Waxwing			39	RUDU	Ruddy Duck
192	CERW	Cerulean Warbler			58	RUGR	Ruffed Grouse
216	CHSP	Chipping Sparrow			239	RWBL	Red-winged Blackbird
105	CHSW	Chimney Swift			67	SACR	Sandhill Crane
133	CLSW	Cliff Swallow			76	SAND	Sanderling
183	CMWA	Cape May Warbler			221	SAVS	Savannah Sparrow
34	COGO	Common Goldeneye			208	SCTA	Scarlet Tanager
245	COGR	Common Grackle			100	SEOW	Short-eared Owl
45	COHA	Cooper's Hawk			312	SEPL	Semipalmated Plover
2	COLO	Common Loon			148	SEWR	Sedge Wren
37	COME	Common Merganser			237	SNBU	Snow Bunting
301	COMO	Common Moorhen			12	SNEG	Snowy Egret
103	CONI	Common Nighthawk			309	SNOW	Snowy Owl
200	CONW	Connecticut Warbler			65	SORA	Sora
139	CORA	Common Raven			72	SOSA	Solitary Sandpiper
254	CORE	Common Redpoll			228	SOSP	Song Sparrow
86	COTE	Common Tern			57	SPGR	Spruce Grouse
202	COYE	Common Yellowthroat			73	SPSA	Spotted Sandpiper
181	CSWA	Chestnut-sided Warbler			44	SSHA	Sharp-shinned Hawk
7	DCCO	Double-crested Cormorant			60	STGR	Sharp-tailed Grouse
234	DEJU	Dark-eyed Junco			226	STSP	Sharp-tailed Sparrow
213	DICK	Dickcissel			207	SUTA	Summer Tanager
111	DOWO	Downy Woodpecker			49	SWHA	Swainson's Hawk
311	DUNL	Dunlin			230	SWSP	Swamp Sparrow
153	EABL	Eastern Bluebird			156	SWTH	Swainson's Thrush
5	EAGR	Eared Grebe			176	TEWA	Tennessee Warbler
127	EAKI	Eastern Kingbird			130	TRES	Tree Swallow
240	EAME	Eastern Meadowlark			283	TRUS	Trumpeter Swan
124	EAPH	Eastern Phoebe			142	TUTI	Tufted Titmouse
94	EASO	Eastern Screech-Owl			40	TUVU	Turkey Vulture
214	EATO	Eastern Towhee			273	UBLB	Unidentified blackbird

Birds - Codes - Taxa

118	EAWP	Eastern Wood-Pewee			267	UDUC	Unidentified duck
315	EUCD	Eurasian Collared-Dove			266	UFLY	Unidentified flycatcher
167	EUST	European Starling			275	UGOO	Unidentified goose
258	EVGR	Evening Grosbeak			274	UGUL	Unidentified gull
104	EWPW	Whip-poor-will			278	ULBD	Unidentified large bird
218	FISP	Field Sparrow			277	UMBD	Unidentified medium bird
227	FOSP	Fox Sparrow			268	UNPS	Unidentified non-passerine
87	FOTE	Forster's Tern			269	UOWL	Unidentified owl
82	FRGU	Franklin's Gull			260	UPBD	Unidentified passerine
27	GADW	Gadwall			74	UPSA	Upland Sandpiper
10	GBHE	Great Blue Heron			284	URAP	Unidentified Raptor
125	GCFL	Great Crested Flycatcher			276	USBD	Unidentified small bird
150	GCKI	Golden-crowned Kinglet			271	USHO	Unidentified shorebird
155	GCTH	Gray-cheeked Thrush			261	USPA	Unidentified sparrow
98	GGOW	Great Gray Owl			270	USWA	Unidentified swallow
95	GHOW	Great Horned Owl			314	USWN	Unknown swan
135	GRAJ	Gray Jay			306	UTER	Unidentified Tern
55	GRAP	Gray Partridge			262	UTHR	Unidentified thrush
160	GRCA	Gray Catbird			264	UVIR	Unidentified vireo
11	GREG	Great Egret			265	UWAR	Unidentified warbler
302	GRHE	Green Heron			263	UWPR	Unidentified woodpecker
59	GRPC	Greater Prairie Chicken			272	UYEL	Unidentified yellowlegs
32	GRSC	Greater Scaup			154	VEER	Veery
223	GRSP	Grasshopper Sparrow			219	VESP	Vesper Sparrow
70	GRYE	Greater Yellowlegs			64	VIRA	Virginia Rail
21	GWTE	Green-winged Teal			171	WAVI	Warbling Vireo
175	GWWA	Golden-winged Warbler			144	WBNU	White-breasted Nuthatch
54	GYRF	Gyrfalcon			232	WCSP	White-crowned Sparrow
233	HASP	Harris Sparrow			281	WEGR	Western Grebe
112	HAWO	Hairy Woodpecker			126	WEKI	Western Kingbird
84	HERG	Herring Gull			241	WEME	Western Meadowlark
224	HESP	Henslow's Sparrow			280	WEVI	White-eyed Vireo

Birds - Codes - Taxa

157	HETH	Hermit Thrush			17	WHSW	Tundra Swan
251	HOFI	House Finch			122	WIFL	Willow Flycatcher
128	HOLA	Horned Lark			81	WIPH	Wilson's Phalarope
36	HOME	Hooded Merganser			79	WISN	Wilson's Snipe
255	HORE	Hoary Redpoll			61	WITU	Wild Turkey
259	HOSP	House Sparrow			204	WIWA	Wilson's Warbler
203	HOWA	Hooded Warbler			147	WIWR	Winter Wren
146	HOWR	House Wren			20	WODU	Wood Duck
212	INBU	Indigo Bunting			158	WOTH	Wood Thrush
199	KEWA	Kentucky Warbler			189	WPWA	Palm Warbler
68	KILL	Killdeer			231	WTSP	White-throated Sparrow
303	KIRA	King Rail			253	WWCR	White-winged Crossbill
235	LALO	Lapland Longspur			206	YBCH	Yellow-breasted Chat
220	LASP	Lark Sparrow			93	YBCU	Yellow-billed Cuckoo
13	LBHE	Little Blue Heron			119	YBFL	Yellow-bellied Flycatcher
225	LCSP	Le Conte's Sparrow			110	YBSA	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
9	LEBI	Least Bittern			16	YCNH	Yellow-crowned Night Heron
123	LEFL	Least Flycatcher			63	YERA	Yellow Rail
99	LEOW	Long-eared Owl			180	YEWA	Yellow Warbler
33	LESC	Lesser Scaup			242	YHBL	Yellow-headed Blackbird
71	LEYE	Lesser Yellowlegs			170	YTVI	Yellow-throated Vireo
229	LISP	Lincoln's Sparrow			282	YTWA	Yellow-throated Warbler

Birds - Codes

distance	description				behavior	description
1	0-50 m				1	singing
2	50-100 m				2	calling
3	> 100 m				3	flyover
-1	No data				4	observed
					5	simultaneous
					6	drumming
breeding	code	description	category	timezone	name	offset
30	O	O	Observed	-6	Central	-6
31	X	X	Possible	-5	Eastern	-5
32	M	M	Probable			
33	S	S	Probable	weather	description	
34	P	P	Probable	1	Dry	
35	T	T	Probable	2	Damp/Haze/Fog	
36	C	C	Probable	3	Drizzle	
37	N	N	Probable	4	Rain	
38	A	A	Probable			
39	PE	PE	Confirmed	wind	description	
40	CN	CN	Confirmed	0	Calm; smoke rises vertically	
41	NB	NB	Confirmed	1	Light air movement; smoke drifts; leaves barely move	
42	DD	DD	Confirmed	2	Slight breeze; wind felt on face; small twigs move	
43	UN	UN	Confirmed	3	Gentle breeze; leaves & small twigs in constant motion	
44	ON	ON	Confirmed	4	Moderate breeze; small branches moving, raises dust & loose paper	
45	FY	FY	Confirmed	5	Large branches & small trees sway	
46	FL	FL	Confirmed			
47	FS	FS	Confirmed	noise	description	
48	NE	NE	Confirmed	0	No appreciable effect (owl calling)	
49	NY	NY	Confirmed	1	Slightly affecting sampling (distant traffic, dog barking, car passing)	
50	null	null	null	2	Moderately affecting sampling (distant traffic, 2-5 cars passing)	
				3	Seriously affecting sampling (continuous traffic nearby, 6-10 cars passing)	
				4	Profoundly affecting sampling (continuous traffic passing, construction noise)	

BIRD MONITORING

Field Data Sheet
2014

broadcast volume at 80dB, checked today

Point ID: B1424.2

Sample: Birds 1

Date: 05/27/2014

Start Time: 18:51 CDT
EDT

Observer: T. Prestby

Weather: Dry Damp/Haze/Fog Drizzle Rain

% Cloud Cover: 95 Wind: 2

Air Temp: 13.2 °C Water Temp: _____ °C

Noise: 1

Waypt: B1424.2.BE
Lat: 44.94786
Lon: 87.37773

Rec #: 6

Behavior: NAWA singing NAWA calling -NAWA flyover NAWA observed NAWA NAWA 2 males simultaneous singing DOWD woodpecker drumming

Focal Species record ALL time periods

AMBI	KIRA	PBGR	COMO	VIRA
AMCO	LEBI	SORA	BLRA	YERA

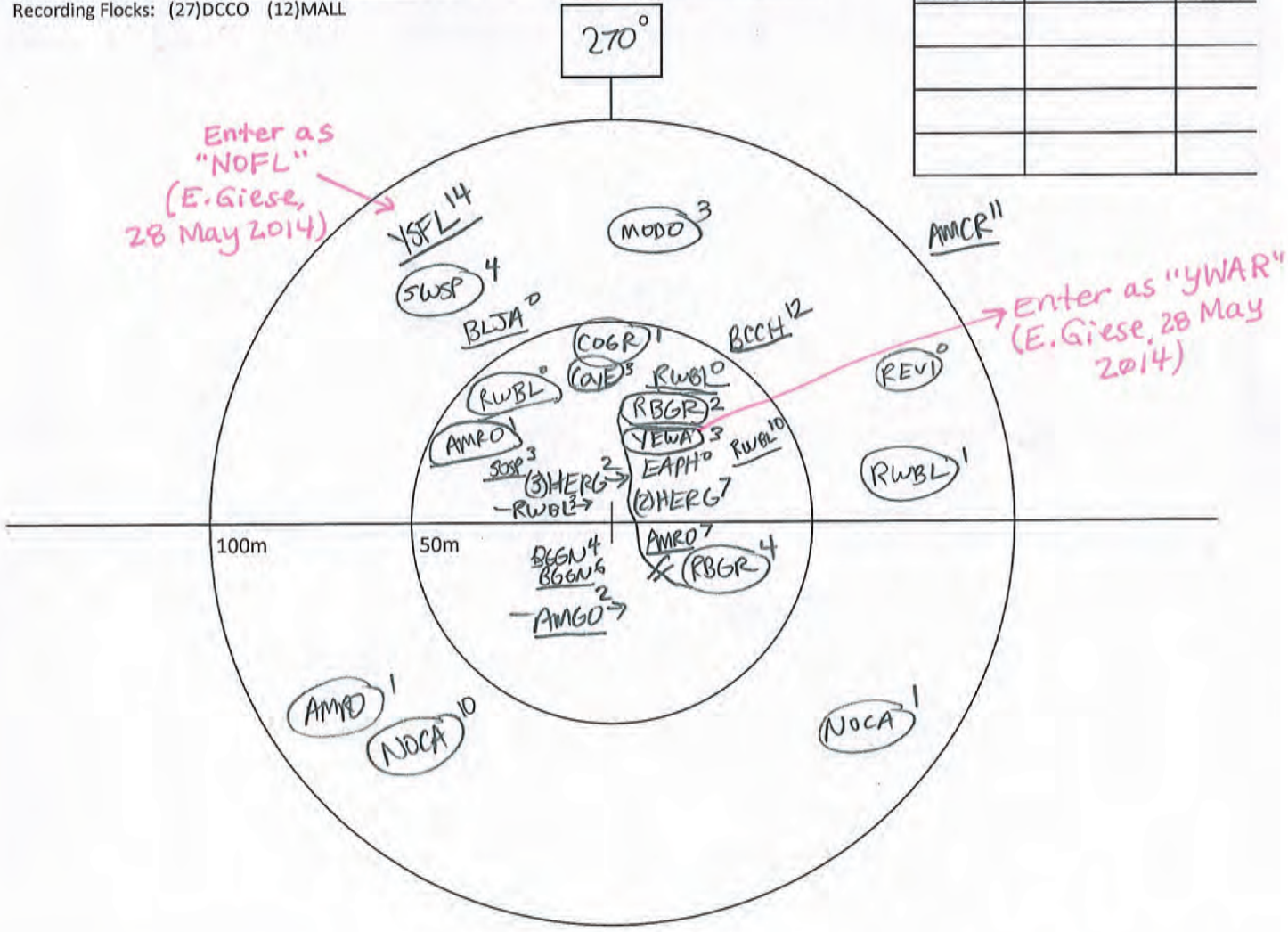
Time Codes (superscript): 0-1 minutes⁰ 1-2 minutes¹ 2-3 minutes² ... 14-15 minutes¹⁴

Breeding Evidence Codes (subscript): NAWA_{ON} occupied nest NAWA_{CN} carrying nest material NAWA_{NB} nest building NAWA_{DD} distraction display NAWA_{FY} feeding young

Aerial Foragers (inside & outside 100m) NONE

species	tally	total

Recording Flocks: (27)DCCO (12)MALL



id data entry (signature): _____

Comments: 3 WODU flyby just after survey

id data entry (signature): _____

BIRD MONITORING

Field Data Sheet
2014

broadcast volume at 80dB, checked today

Point ID: B1424.2

Sample: AM

Date: 06/24/2014

Start Time: 0516 CDT
EDT

Observer: S. Beilke

Weather: Dry Damp/Haze/Fog Drizzle Rain

% Cloud Cover: 90 Wind: 0

Air Temp: 15.0 °C Water Temp: NA °C

Noise: 1

Waypt: B1424.2.BM
Lat: 44.94787°
Lon: -87.37775°

Rec #: 4

Behavior: NAWA singing NAWA calling -NAWA→ flyover NAWA observed NAWA ++ NAWA 2 males simultaneous singing DOWO_D woodpecker drumming

Focal Species record ALL time periods

AMBI	KIRA	PBGR	COMO	VIRA
AMCO	LEBI	SORA	BLRA	YERA

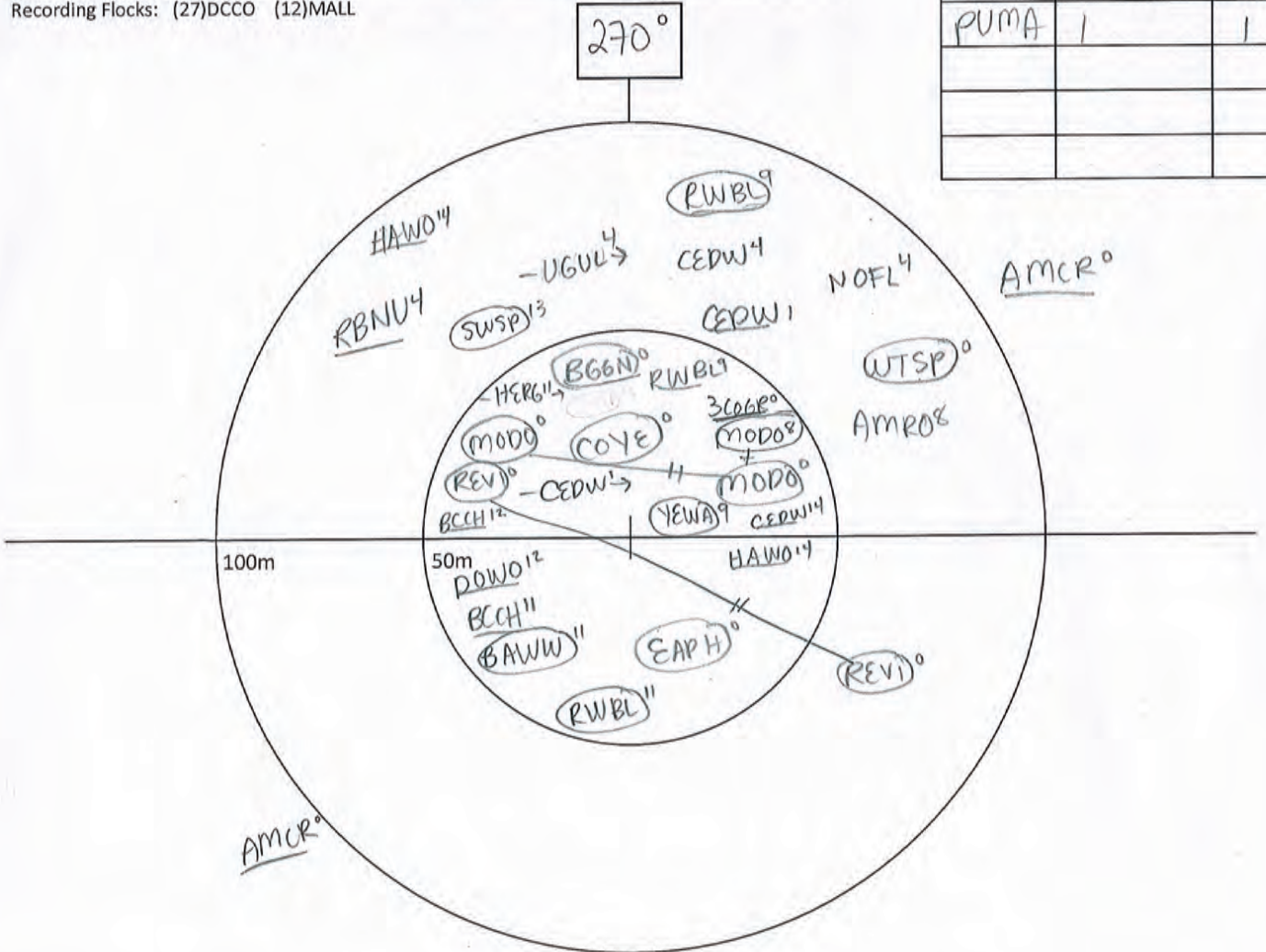
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Recording Flocks: (27)DCCO (12)MALL

Aerial Foragers (inside & outside 100m)

species	tally	total
PUMA	1	1



id data entry (signature): _____

Comments: dog barking

id data entry (signature): _____

Invertebrates

site	date	zone	rep	taxa	life stage	total
1424	6/29/14	SAV	1	Caecidotea	Immature	13
1424	6/29/14	SAV	1	Callibaetis	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	SAV	1	Chironomidae	Pupae	3
1424	6/29/14	SAV	1	Chironomini/Pseudochironomini	Immature	6
1424	6/29/14	SAV	1	Coenagrionidae	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	SAV	1	Crangonyx	Immature	8
1424	6/29/14	SAV	1	Gyraulus	Immature	22
1424	6/29/14	SAV	1	Haliphus	Adult	1
1424	6/29/14	SAV	1	Haliphus	Immature	3
1424	6/29/14	SAV	1	Helophorus	Adult	1
1424	6/29/14	SAV	1	Hydroporus	Adult	1
1424	6/29/14	SAV	1	Orthocladinae	Immature	3
1424	6/29/14	SAV	1	Physella or Physa	Immature	8
1424	6/29/14	SAV	1	Planorbidae	Immature	20
1424	6/29/14	SAV	2	Bezzia/Palpomyia	Immature	12
1424	6/29/14	SAV	2	Caecidotea	Immature	29
1424	6/29/14	SAV	2	Chironomidae	Pupae	2
1424	6/29/14	SAV	2	Chironomini/Pseudochironomini	Immature	2
1424	6/29/14	SAV	2	Coenagrionidae	Immature	2
1424	6/29/14	SAV	2	Crangonyx	Immature	14
1424	6/29/14	SAV	2	Gyraulus	Immature	6
1424	6/29/14	SAV	2	Haliphus	Adult	2
1424	6/29/14	SAV	2	Hygrotus	Adult	1
1424	6/29/14	SAV	2	Lepidoptera	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	SAV	2	Lymnaeidae	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	SAV	2	Odontomyia/Hedriodiscus	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	SAV	2	Oligochaeta	Immature	4
1424	6/29/14	SAV	2	Orthocladinae	Immature	9
1424	6/29/14	SAV	2	Physella or Physa	Immature	14
1424	6/29/14	SAV	3	Bezzia/Palpomyia	Immature	5
1424	6/29/14	SAV	3	Caecidotea	Immature	20

Invertebrates

1424	6/29/14	SAV	3	Ceratopogonidae	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	SAV	3	Chironomidae	Pupae	1
1424	6/29/14	SAV	3	Chironomini/Pseudochironomini	Immature	9
1424	6/29/14	SAV	3	Crangonyx	Immature	48
1424	6/29/14	SAV	3	Gyraulus	Immature	6
1424	6/29/14	SAV	3	Halipilus	Adult	1
1424	6/29/14	SAV	3	Halipilus	Immature	2
1424	6/29/14	SAV	3	Helophorus	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	SAV	3	Ischnura	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	SAV	3	Oligochaeta	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	SAV	3	Physella or Physa	Immature	8
1424	6/29/14	SAV	3	Planorbidae	Immature	2
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Aeshna	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Anabolia	Immature	3
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Aplexa	Immature	3
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Caecidotea	Immature	10
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Chrysops	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Crangonyx	Immature	49
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Halipilus	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Helophorus	Adult	2
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Hydrophilidae	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Ischnura	Immature	3
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Limnephilus	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Odontomyia	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Odontomyia/Hedriodiscus	Immature	5
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Orthoclaadiinae	Immature	2
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Paraleptophlebia	Immature	3
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Physella or Physa	Immature	17
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Planorbidae	Immature	2
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Planorbula	Immature	7
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Stagnicola	Immature	34
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Stratiomyidae	Immature	1

Invertebrates

1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	1	Tanytarsini	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Alluaudomyia	Immature	2
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Amphipoda	Immature	8
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Anabolia	Immature	2
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Aplexa	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Bezzia/Palpomyia	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Caecidotea	Immature	11
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Chironominae	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Chironomini/Pseudochironomini	Immature	7
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Coenagrion/Enallagma	Immature	2
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Crangonyx	Immature	43
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Dytiscinae	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Gyraulus	Immature	7
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Ischnura	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Lymnaeidae	Immature	4
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Odontomyia	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Odontomyia/Hedriodiscus	Immature	2
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Oligochaeta	Immature	2
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Orthocladinae	Immature	3
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Physella or Physa	Immature	7
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Pisidiidae	Immature	2
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Planorbula	Immature	3
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Stagnicola	Immature	44
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Tabanus	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Tanypodinae	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	2	Tanytarsini	Immature	3
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Amphipoda	Immature	15
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Caecidotea	Immature	13
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Chironomidae	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Chironominae	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Chironomini/Pseudochironomini	Immature	9
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Chrysomelidae	Adult	1

Invertebrates

1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Coenagrionidae	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Collembola	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Crangonyx	Immature	57
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Gyraulus	Immature	6
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Helophorus	Adult	7
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Hydra	Immature	2
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Limnephilus	Immature	2
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Lymnaeidae	Immature	2
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Neoporus	Adult	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Odontomyia	Immature	4
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Odontomyia/Hedriodiscus	Immature	4
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Oligochaeta	Immature	6
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Orthocladinae	Immature	3
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Physella or Physa	Immature	8
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Pisidiidae	Immature	1
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Planorbidae	Immature	3
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Planorbula	Immature	4
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Stagnicola	Immature	24
1424	6/29/14	TYPHA	3	Tanytarsini	Immature	3

Invertebrates - Zone WQ

Site	Date	Zone	Ttube	Actual or tube max	T Alk	chl	phaeo	tp	srp	tn	nh4n	no2/ no3	color	turb	cl	Ttube	Transparency Tube (cm)
1424	6/29/14	SAV	100	max	326.4	--	--	--	0.004	15.15	0.0164	4.868	25.2	--	19.8	T Alk	Total alkalinity CaCO3 (mg/L)
1424	6/29/14	Typha	11	actual	337.7	28.6	45.6	0.162	0.003	7.778	0.0401	4.587	36.6	77	17.3	chl	Chlorophyll a (ug/L)
																phaeo	Phaeophytin (ug/L)
																tp	Total P (mg/L)
																srp	Soluble reactive P (mg/L)
																tn	Total N (mg/L)
																nh4n	Ammonia-N (mg/L)
																no2/no3	N02/N03-N (mg/L)
																color	color pt units
																turb	Turbidity (NTU)
																cl	Chloride (mg/L)
																--	value below limit of detection

Invertebrates - Rep WQ

site	site_date	zone	rep	Dissolved Oxygen (mg/L)	Dissolved Oxygen (%)	Temperature (°C)	pH	Specific Conductivity (µS/cm)
1424	6/29/14	typha	1	6.58	83.6	26.71	7.2	589.8
1424	6/29/14	typha	2	9.17	103.3	19.99	7.4	650.4
1424	6/29/14	typha	3	9.06	102.1	19.54	7.5	654.2
1424	6/29/14	sav	1	16.83	163.1	13.35	7.1	630.2
1424	6/29/14	sav	2	18.02	175.9	12.74	7.3	613.3
1424	6/29/14	sav	3	14.63	139.8	12.11	7.3	639.4

Invertebrates - Collector Information

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Address	5013 Miller Trunk Hwy			
City, State, Zip	Duluth, MN 55811			
Year	2014			
Permit issued	SCP-NER-126			
Renewal?	No (new site list not established yet)			
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Vegetation Transects

Site ID	Date	Observers	Transect ID	Start Waypoint ID	End Waypoint ID	Bearing (degrees)	Zone	Zone Width (m)
1424	1-Jul	N. Dahlberg; J. Nooker	1	023	022	10	Emergent	51
1424	1-Jul	N. Dahlberg; J. Nooker	2	030	029	5	Emergent	46
1424	1-Jul	N. Dahlberg; J. Nooker	3	038	037	202	Emergent	63

Vegetation Transects - Point Level Data

Wetland Site ID	Transect ID	Waypoint ID	Substrate Type	Organic Depth (cm)	Unvegetated (%)	Total Vegetative Cover (%)	Standing Dead veg (%)	Detritus (%)	Water Depth (cm)	Bottom Visibility
1424	1	024	Sand	0	85	15	2	92	35	Visible
1424	1	025	Sand	0	85	15	2	60	25	Visible
1424	1	026	Sand	0	80	20	2	50	26	Visible
1424	1	027	Sand	0	80	20	2	60	23	Visible
1424	1	028	Sand	0	85	15	1	40	39	Visible
1424	2	031	Bedrock	87	30	70	25	80	18	Visible
1424	2	032	Bedrock	66	50	50	0	5	35	Visible
1424	2	033	Bedrock	77	60	40	1	3	25	Visible
1424	2	034	Bedrock	56	75	25	30	35	26	Visible
1424	2	035	Bedrock	54	30	70	10	3	32	Visible
1424	3	039	Bedrock	21	75	25	25	50	21	Visible
1424	3	040	Bedrock	21	40	60	5	60	15	Visible
1424	3	041	Bedrock	30	15	85	25	25	12	Visible
1424	3	042	Bedrock	38	35	65	10	70	15	Visible
1424	3	043	Bedrock	37	50	50	5	70	8	Visible

Vegetation Transects - Species Level Data

Wetland Site ID	Transect ID	Waypoint ID	Species Name	Percent Cover (%)
1424	1 024		Schoenoplectus acutus	2
1424	1 024		Phragmites australis	2
1424	1 024		Fraxinus pennsylvanica	7
1424	1 024		Calamagrostis canadensis	3
1424	1 024		Carex lasiocarpa	2
1424	1 024		Phalaris arundinacea	2
1424	1 024		Lycopus uniflorus	1
1424	1 024		Mentha canadensis	1
1424	1 025		Equisetum fluviatile	1
1424	1 025		Schoenoplectus acutus	3
1424	1 025		Phragmites australis	3
1424	1 025		Fraxinus pennsylvanica	5
1424	1 025		Carex lasiocarpa	7
1424	1 025		Phalaris arundinacea	3
1424	1 025		Mentha canadensis	1
1424	1 025		Equisetum fluviatile	1
1424	1 026		Phragmites australis	3
1424	1 026		Fraxinus pennsylvanica	2
1424	1 026		Calamagrostis canadensis	13
1424	1 026		Carex lasiocarpa	2
1424	1 026		Phalaris arundinacea	2
1424	1 026		Mentha canadensis	2
1424	1 026		Equisetum fluviatile	1
1424	1 026		Eupatorium perfoliatum	1
1424	1 027		Phragmites australis	3
1424	1 027		Calamagrostis canadensis	10
1424	1 027		Carex lasiocarpa	3
1424	1 027		Phalaris arundinacea	3
1424	1 027		Mentha canadensis	2
1424	1 027		Eupatorium perfoliatum	1
1424	1 027		Persicaria amphibia	2

Vegetation Transects - Species Level Data

Wetland Site ID	Transect ID	Waypoint ID	Species Name	Percent Cover (%)
1424	1 028		Phragmites australis	1
1424	1 028		Calamagrostis canadensis	10
1424	1 028		Carex lasiocarpa	1
1424	1 028		Phalaris arundinacea	3
1424	1 028		Mentha canadensis	1
1424	1 028		Equisetum fluviatile	2
1424	1 028		Eleocharis palustris	1
1424	1 028		Iris versicolor	2
1424	2 031		Phalaris arundinacea	3
1424	2 031		Carex utriculata	40
1424	2 031		Caltha palustris	5
1424	2 031		Typha latifolia	1
1424	2 031		Lysimachia thyrsiflora	1
1424	2 031		Typha X glauca	1
1424	2 031		Lemna minor	1
1424	2 031		Salix candida	1
1424	2 032		Caltha palustris	1
1424	2 032		Equisetum fluviatile	1
1424	2 032		Hippuris vulgaris	50
1424	2 032		Carex sp.	5
1424	2 033		Phalaris arundinacea	30
1424	2 033		Caltha palustris	10
1424	2 033		Typha latifolia	5
1424	2 033		Lysimachia thyrsiflora	1
1424	2 033		Lemna minor	1
1424	2 033		Hippuris vulgaris	10
1424	2 034		Phalaris arundinacea	1
1424	2 034		Carex utriculata	2
1424	2 034		Caltha palustris	1
1424	2 034		Typha latifolia	2
1424	2 034		Typha X glauca	1

Vegetation Transects - Species Level Data

Wetland Site ID	Transect ID	Waypoint ID	Species Name	Percent Cover (%)
1424	2 034		Calamagrostis canadensis	7
1424	2 034		Lycopus uniflorus	2
1424	2 034		Impatiens capensis	2
1424	2 034		Eutrochium maculatum	3
1424	2 034		Solanum dulcamara	10
1424	2 034		Moss sp.	3
1424	2 035		Phalaris arundinacea	3
1424	2 035		Hippuris vulgaris	20
1424	2 035		Calamagrostis canadensis	55
1424	2 035		Carex stricta	7
1424	3 039		Carex stricta	10
1424	3 039		Phalaris arundinacea	15
1424	3 039		Calamagrostis canadensis	1
1424	3 039		Cicuta bulbifera	1
1424	3 039		Carex lacustris	1
1424	3 040		Carex stricta	3
1424	3 040		Phalaris arundinacea	30
1424	3 040		Calamagrostis canadensis	20
1424	3 040		Algae	45
1424	3 040		Lycopus uniflorus	1
1424	3 040		Solanum dulcamara	1
1424	3 041		Carex stricta	15
1424	3 041		Phalaris arundinacea	5
1424	3 041		Calamagrostis canadensis	40
1424	3 041		Cicuta bulbifera	1
1424	3 041		Carex lacustris	1
1424	3 041		Solanum dulcamara	10
1424	3 041		Lysimachia thyrsiflora	2
1424	3 041		Campanula aparinoides	1
1424	3 042		Carex stricta	25
1424	3 042		Phalaris arundinacea	7

Vegetation Transects - Species Level Data

Wetland Site ID	Transect ID	Waypoint ID	Species Name	Percent Cover (%)
1424	3 042		<i>Calamagrostis canadensis</i>	35
1424	3 042		Algae	45
1424	3 042		<i>Solanum dulcamara</i>	5
1424	3 042		<i>Campanula aparinoides</i>	1
1424	3 043		<i>Carex stricta</i>	40
1424	3 043		<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	5
1424	3 043		Algae	35
1424	3 043		<i>Lysimachia thyrsoflora</i>	1
1424	3 043		<i>Typha latifolia</i>	2
1424	3 043		<i>Typha X glauca</i>	2
1424	3 043		<i>Galium sp.</i>	1

Vegetation Transects - Spatial Data

Waypoint	Latitude	Longitude
022	44°56'55.98"N	87°22'32.16"W
023	44°56'54.42"N	87°22'32.88"W
024	44°56'54.72"N	87°22'32.57"W
025	44°56'54.83"N	87°22'32.53"W
026	44°56'55.12"N	87°22'32.31"W
027	44°56'55.22"N	87°22'32.09"W
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032	44°56'50.11"N	87°22'42.10"W
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Breeding Bird Survey June - July 2014, Paul Regnier



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**Bay Shore Blufflands Natural Area
Bird Survey Project
June – July 2014**



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Summary:

A breeding bird survey was conducted in the greater Bay Shore Blufflands area of Door County using a series of 20 bird survey points. Surveying began in early June and concluded in early July of 2014. Each site was visited twice during the course of the survey.

The goal of this project was to begin a breeding bird survey of the Bay Shore Blufflands Natural Area and the surrounding habitats.

A total of 56 species of birds were recorded during the surveys of this project. The species found on the most counts was the Red-eyed vireos with 23 counts. The American Robin came in second and was found at 19 of the survey points. Point #10 had the greatest diversity of bird species, with 15 species on the first count. Eleven species of birds observed are listed as Species of Greatest Conservation Need (SGCN), Special Concern (SC) or Threatened (THR).

Weather played a significant role in surveying Points, with cool spring temperatures, rain, and wind effecting when counts could be taken.

With this report are the following:

1. **Bird Survey Summary** spreadsheet; Listing all Bird Species observed, Code, Wisconsin Conservation Status, WI Breeding Status, Species observed by Point, # Points /Species were Observed and # Species/Point.
2. **Habitat Descriptions:** For each Point, a general vegetative description of the area is included. A photo was taken near each Point. Photos were taken in September.

The following is the key for data used on “Bird Survey Summary” spreadsheet.

Bird Species: common bird species by alpha order.

Code: Standard alphabetic codes for common species of western Great Lakes region. Codes are derived from North American Bird Banding Manual.

Wisconsin Conservation Status:

E = endangered
THR = threatened
SC = special concern
SGCN = species of greatest conservation concern

Wisconsin Breeding Status:

* = breeds in Wisconsin
*PR = permanent resident
Abundance Codes – used with breeding Status
a = abundant; very easy to find
c = common; easy to find in appropriate habitat and season
uc = uncommon; requires additional effort to find

Methods:

This Survey used a standard method for sampling birds in an unlimited-radius, 10-minute point count, a method described by Howe et al. (Howe, R.W., G.J. Niemi, S.J. Lewis, and D.A. Welsh. 1997. A standard method for monitoring songbird populations in the Great Lakes Region. *Passenger Pigeon* 59(3):183-194.). All birds seen and heard from a single point site are recorded during a 10-minute period. Flyovers are counted and noted as such. When possible, sex and age (adult or juvenile) was included. Additional information like time of day, weather conditions and location are recorded. A standardized bird point form is used to record the data at each point site. Twenty point sites were surveyed throughout the project area. The road surveys, which included 2 points, are listed with one numeric value (i.e. 7 and 7a). Locations of points surveyed were selected by Mike Grimm (The Nature Conservancy) and Paul Regnier (Door County Nature and Travel) and represent the variety of habitats throughout this part of the County. GPS coordinates mark point site locations. Each point's habitat was described. Bird Surveys were conducted in the early morning hours between 5:00a.m. -9:00a.m. Counts were not conducted in rain, heavy fog or high winds. Bird species were identified based on confirmed sightings and/or vocalizations. The discretionary use of recorded bird songs and calls were used to confirm species.

The order in which bird survey points were taken was reversed for the second survey to allow for possible species visiting/vocalizing on the site at different times. This probably had little effect due to the rain that stopped several counts. Counts were resumed as soon as possible, but rainy weather was unfortunately a factor in scheduling counts. For a list of the order in which the survey points were taken, see Bird Survey Summary spreadsheet.

Observations and Considerations:

The 2014 greater Bay Shore Blufflands Natural Area Bird Survey is a snap shot in time of a population of birds found in the variety of habitats sampled. A multi-year or a long-term study would prove to be much more valuable in determining the true picture of a bird population in any given habitat. Many factors, human and environmental, play an influential role in the life of our wildlife species.

This year's cool and wet spring delayed early survey efforts and could have had an influence on the behavior of birds. Weather can play an important role in bird surveys and may influence the results of the survey. A longer-term survey would help to lessen the effect of weather influenced survey years.

Non-native honeysuckle and common buckthorn were found growing in several points. Both these species can spread aggressively through the native landscape and degrade habitats and therefore reduce the biodiversity of the natural landscape. Due to past invasive species control efforts, one could argue that there is a trend toward habitat improvement. Improving the quality of habitats can lead to greater number of birds and species using these habitats. This could be an underlining theme in a long-range bird survey program.

Habitat Descriptions:

The project area is characterized by a diverse set of habitats found on the Green Bay side of the County. Natural and built influenced environments (through road surveys) were included. The majority of the survey sites are located on the upper part of the Niagara Escarpment, the edge of the escarpment and below the escarpment near the shore of Green Bay. Bird Survey Points were placed in areas throughout the greater Bay Shore Blufflands to sample the variety of habitats.

Dominant and understory tree species along with shrub species were identified where appropriate at each Point.

ATC Point 1: Habitat Description



Habitat: Open field and young successional forest. Major tree species are white ash with sparse white pine. Ground cover is a mix of grasses with common milkweed, honeysuckle species and poison ivy.

Notes: A few common buckthorn shrubs are dispersed throughout this area, but due to invasive species control over the past 5 years the number of stems are sparse.

GPS: N44 56.236 W87 23.134

Point 2: Habitat Description



Habitat: Mix of agricultural field (some activity in 2014), old-field and lowland shrub. Majority of shrub species in the low wet area are a mix of dogwood and willow species. Drier field area includes common juniper, goldenrod species, aster species, grasses, poison ivy and sweet clover. Several cottonwood trees are in the low areas.

Notes: Common buckthorn is in the adjacent wooded area.

GPS: N44 56.654 W87 22.763

Point 3: Habitat Description



Habitat: Hawthorne species dominates this upland habitat. Wild black cherry, white ash and small groves of trembling aspen are scattered throughout this site. Dogbane, sweet clover, common buckthorn and miscellaneous grasses make up the ground cover between shrubs and trees.

Notes: The Blue-winged Warbler is a special concern breeding species and is found on this site. It probably nests in this area. Much work has been done to control invasive species on this site and improvements are showing results with native species reclaiming this site.

GPS: N44 56.270 W87 22.218

Point 4: Habitat Description



Habitat: Dominant tree species: Mix of white and red pines, white ash, white birch and red oak. Understory: dogwoods with few ironwood and young white ash.

Notes: This point is on the upland edge of the Niagara escarpment near the intersection of Reynolds Road and Carlsville Road.

GPS: N44 58.065 W87 21.491

Point 5: Habitat Description



Habitat: Dominant tree species: red pine, sugar maple, and red oak. Understory: young white pine and balsam fir with dogwoods, Canada buffalo berry and some witch hazel.

Notes: Point includes an abandoned roadbed put in place in the 1990s.

GPS: N44 57.168 W87 22.224

Point 7: Habitat Description (Road Survey 7 Top, 7a Bottom)



Habitat: Point 7: Dominant tree species: red pine, white birch, balsam fir, with few white ash. Understory: dogwoods, and young balsam fir.

Point 7a: Dominant tree species: balsam fir, white ash, and aspen. Understory: dominated with dogwoods.

Notes: This is a road survey on Lady-slipper Road near the Bay of Green Bay.

GPS: Pt. 7: N44 57.668 W87 22.179 Pt7a: N44 57.867 W87 22.202

Point 8: Habitat Description (Road Survey 8 Top, 8a Bottom)



Habitat: Road Survey in Governor Woods.

#8: Dominant trees species: white pine, trembling aspen, and sugar maple. Understory: Canada buffalo berry, some witch hazel, young eastern hemlock and balsam fir.

#8a: Dominant tree species: sugar maple, red oak, with aspen and white birch. Understory: sugar maple, ironwood, white ash and dogwood.

Notes: This is a road survey consisting of 2 points.

GPS: Pt 8: N44 57.742 W87 20.977 Pt8a: N44 58.066 W87 21.492

Point 9: Habitat Description



Habitat: Dominant tree species: mix of large toothed aspen, white ash, and white birch, some sugar maple, eastern hemlock and red oak. Understory: sugar maple, ironwood and American beech.

Notes: This point is located at the end of Autumn Lane and off Monument Point Road.

GPS: N44 58.324 W87 21.002

Point 10: Habitat Description



Habitat: Open Field habitat with early successional species. Dominant vegetation: mix of cool season grasses, white sweet clover, common milkweed and goldenrod species. Edge trees include sugar maple, black cherry, white pine and white ash. Field is dotted with sparse wild apple trees and shrubs of common juniper and honeysuckle species.

Notes: This point is located off County Road G.

GPS: N45 00.127 W87 19.628

Point 11: Habitat Description



Habitat: Dominant tree species: Eastern hemlock, sugar maple, and red oak. Understory: Sugar maple, American beech, and eastern hemlock.

Notes: This heavily wooded point is located in Lautenbach Woods on the trail and near the escarpment.

GPS: N45 59.841 W87 20.035

Point 12: Habitat Description



Habitat: Dominant tree species: trembling aspen, northern white cedar, and balsam poplar. Understory: white spruce, common buckthorn, common juniper and willow species.

Notes: This point is on Spring Road. Ditches were wet and holding standing water.

GPS: Pt. 12 N45 00.345 W87 20.240 Pt. 12a N45 00.345 W87 20.437

Point 13: Habitat Description



Habitat: Dominant tree species: black ash, with some white oak. Understory: few northern white cedars and black ash. Edge species include: American beech, sugar maple, basswood and eastern hemlock.

Notes: This point is located below the Niagara escarpment and near the end of Spring Lane.

GPS: N44 59.990 W87 20.149

Point 14: Habitat Description (Road Survey 14 Top, 14a Bottom)



Habitat: Road survey on Monument Point road.

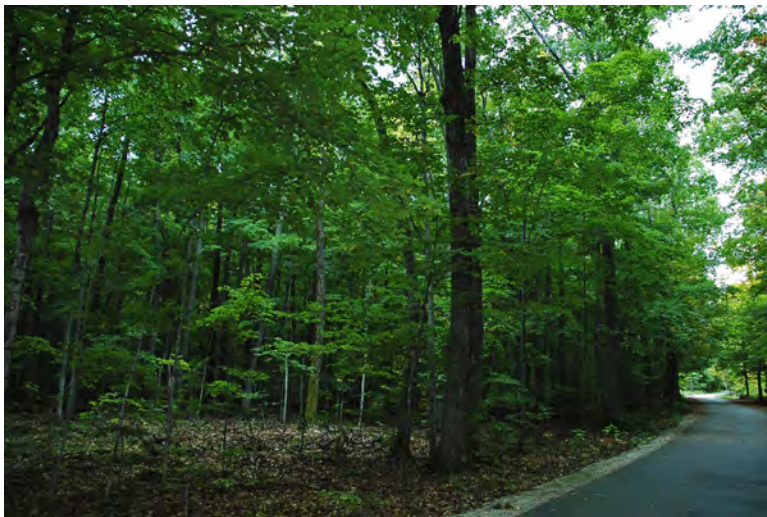
Point 14: Dominant tree species: Northern white cedar and aspen species. Understory: northern white cedar, balsam fir and dogwoods.

Point 14a: Dominant tree species: White birch, sugar maples and aspen species. Understory: northern white cedar and dogwoods.

Notes: This is a road survey on Monument Point Road near the Bay of Green Bay.

GPS: Pt.14 N44 59.146 W87 21.548 Pt. 14a N44 59.253 W87 21.519

Point 15: Habitat Description (Road Survey 15 Top, 15a Bottom)



Habitat: Road survey on Monument Bluff Pass

Point 15: Dominant tree species: Sugar maple, red oak and American beech. Understory: American beech and sugar maple.

Point 15a: Dominant tree species: Red oak, and sugar maple. Understory: American beech and sugar maple.

Notes: This is a road survey on Monument Bluff Pass located on the escarpment. Logging from this summer is evident on point 15.

GPS: Pt. 15 N44 58.897 W87 21.305 **Pt. 15a** N44 59.370 W87 20.959

Point 16: Habitat Description



Habitat: Dominant tree species: northern white cedar, some white birch and few large toothed aspen. Understory; sparse balsam fir and in forest gaps white ash and balsam fir.

Notes: This point is located near County highway B.

GPS: N44 59.299 W87 21.370

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Migratory Bird Survey 2014, Michael Grimm



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2014 Migratory Bird Survey
Bayshore Blufflands Landscape
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Introduction

A migratory bird survey was undertaken to gather information on one aspect of avian usage in the Bayshore Blufflands landscape. Migratory stop-over habitat for many species, including birds, bats, and insects, is now recognized as a critical component in the life history of these animals. Being situated on the Door Peninsula, near the shoreline of Green Bay positions the Bayshore Blufflands landscape to be an important migratory habitat setting for birds. It should be expected that the variety of habitats in this landscape, from open old fields through early successional habitats to young or semi-mature forest tracts would provide good stop-over conditions for many species. The adjacency to the shoreline of Green Bay is another important feature of the Bayshore Blufflands area. Recent research and the models based on that research indicate that forested lands within ¼ mile of open water is especially important for migrating land birds (see Great Lakes Migratory Bird Stopover Portal <http://glmigratorybirds.org/map.html#>).

Methods

Surveys for migratory birds were conducted on 10 days with suitable weather conditions throughout the month of May at several locations across the Bayshore Blufflands landscape. The surveys were conducted in the mornings, generally between 0700 and 1000. Surveys were conducted by walking slowly through an area, stopping occasionally, trying to access all the habitat types present, and recording all species seen or heard during the walk. Notes were made on abundance and behavior on occasion, though more time was devoted to identifying species. Notes were also occasionally made on conservation issues noted on the tracts.

All surveys were conducted the author. He was accompanied by Shirley Griffin on 17 May on the survey off Autumn Lane. He was accompanied by Mary Standish on 28 May during survey of the “Hutter fields” on the south side of Carlsville Road.

This report contains daily tallies for the locations and a summary of all species recorded in the appendix. The appendices also contain, information on the habitats surveyed, past bird records from the area, and maps of the areas walked with a few accompanying notes.

Results

Date: 4 May 2014

Time: 0730 – 0924. Clear sky, 39 F. Moderately strong wind from the west.

Location: Hawthorn field off Reynold’s Road and west into field below escarpment bluff.

GPS approximate center: Lat: 44.9380, Long: -87.3763

Habitat: 1, 9 (See [Appendix 1](#) Habitat Types referenced in migratory bird survey)

- (1) *Pinus resinosa* / *Populus grandidentata* / *Quercus rubra* dry-mesic forest
- (9) Old field – includes the hawthorn meadow

Map: See [Appendix 5](#) Maps

Results:

Canada goose	House Wren
Broad-winged Hawk	Ruby-crowned kinglet
Ruffed Grouse	Eastern Bluebird
Wild Turkey	Hermit Thrush
Ring-billed Gull	American Robin
Herring Gull	Brown Thrasher
Mourning Dove	Yellow-rump Warbler
Red-bellied Woodpecker	Eastern Towhee
Downy Woodpecker	Field Sparrow
Hairy Woodpecker	Song Sparrow
Northern Flicker	White-crowned sparrow
Pileated Woodpecker	White-throated Sparrow
Eastern Phoebe	Northern Cardinal
Blue Jay	Red-winged Blackbird
Common Raven	Brown-headed Cowbird
Black-capped Chickadee	Purple Finch
White-breasted Nuthatch	American Goldfinch
Brown Creeper	

Comments:

This diverse habitat of open and early successional abandoned agricultural fields surrounded by young pole stands of upland hardwoods provides migratory habitat for a diverse set of birds. Both open field and woodland species were encountered on the survey. On 4 May, the field sparrows were conspicuous by their singing in the upper open field and in the lower elevation ‘Hutter’ fields to the west. Small groups of yellow-rump warblers were also conspicuous, seen in small groups gleaning in the pole stands of hardwoods along the south side of the fields. Important species noted include brown thrasher and field sparrows both listed as “species of greatest conservation need (SGCN)” in Wisconsin’s Wildlife Action Plan.

Date: 8 May 2014

Time: 0700 - 0800

Location: Lautenbach Woods Preserve

GPS approximate center: Lat: 44.9968; Long -87.3336

Route walked: Starting at the parking lot on County G, followed the northern route of the walking trail west to the western edge of the preserve returning on the southern route to the parking lot.

Habitat:

- (2) *Acer saccharum* / *Fagus* / *Quercus rubra* / *Pinus strobus* / *Tsuga* forest
- (5) *Acer saccharinum* / *Fraxinus pennsylvanica* swamp forest

Map: See [Appendix 5](#) Maps

Results:

Wood Duck	Hermit Thrush
American Kestrel	Wood Thrush
Ruffed Grouse	American Robin
Red-bellied Woodpecker	Nashville Warbler
Downy Woodpecker	Yellow-rumped Warbler
Hairy Woodpecker	Black-throated Green Warbler
Northern Flicker	Ovenbird
Blue Jay	Common Yellowthroat
Black-capped Chickadee	Field Sparrow
Red-breasted Nuthatch	White-throated Sparrow
White-breasted Nuthatch	Rose-breasted Grosbeak
Brown Creeper	Red-winged Blackbird
Winter Wren	Brown-headed Cowbird
Ruby-crowned kinglet	American Goldfinch

Comments:

The high quality of this forest patch is evident by the large number of seedling and sapling eastern hemlocks (*Tsuga occidentalis*) present in throughout the woods. Typical forest birds such as black-throated green warblers, wood thrush, ovenbirds and rose-breasted grosbeaks were noted regularly during the survey. On this day trout lily (*Eurythronium spp*) leaves are up, and *Hepatica acutiloba* and *Carex pedunculata* were in bloom. Trilliums (*Trillium grandiflorum*) were near bloom. Important species noted were wood thrush and rose-breasted grosbeak, both listed as SGCN in Wisconsin. The field associated species noted on the above list (field sparrow, American goldfinch, kestrel) were noted from the parking area on County G and were seen or singing from the open fields along the road. The wood duck was flushed up from the flooded hardwood swamp at the west end of the route walked.

A significant amount of filamentous algae (*Chladophora?*) was seen flowing in the current below the main spring to the hardwood swamp at the west end of the Lautenbach Woods Preserve.. This may be a signature of high nutrient loading to the aquifer which discharges at these springs.

Date: 9 May 2014

Time: 0745 - 0900

Location: DCLT tracts at the west end of Monument Point Road

GPS approximate center: Lat: 44.9849, Long: -87.3571

Route walked: The first portion of the day's survey was walked on the south side of Monument Point Road into DCLT property. The second section of the survey walked north of Monument Point Road into land purchased by The Nature Conservancy and subsequently transferred to the Land Trust.

Habitat:

- (2) *Acer saccharum* / *Fagus* / *Quercus rubra* / *Pinus strobus* / *Tsuga* forest
- (3) *Thuja* / *Tsuga* / *Pinus sp.* / *Betula papyrifera* forest
- (4) *Thuja* / *Fraxinus pennsylvanica* / *Populus balsamifera* wet-mesic forest

Map: See Appendix 5 Maps

Results:

Mourning Dove

Red-bellied Woodpecker

Downy Woodpecker

Hairy Woodpecker

Northern Flicker

Blue Jay

Black-capped Chickadee

Red-breasted Nuthatch

White-breasted Nuthatch

Brown Creeper

Ruby-crowned kinglet

Wood Thrush

Yellow-rumped Warbler

Black-throated Green Warbler

Ovenbird

Northern Cardinal

American Goldfinch

Comments: Poor weather conditions are thought to have contributed to the low number of species encountered during this survey. As the habitat covered was wooded with both upland hardwoods and mesic to wet-mesic conifers forest associated species were to be expected. The proximity to the shore of Green Bay (< ¼ mile) and the high percentage of forest cover in this area has been modeled by the Great Lakes Migratory Bird Stopover Portal <http://glmigratorybirds.org/map.html#> (and incorporated into maps for the Door County Greenprint – see Figure 1 below), to be highly significant for migratory land birds. Despite the low numbers recorded on this survey one SGCN was noted (wood thrush). This area undoubtedly has higher numbers of migrants that indicated by this survey.

As a side note a significant flow of surface water originating in the eastern portion of the area walked north of Monument Point Road flows south and west into and through the mesic white cedar stand at the northeast corner of the intersection of Monument Point Road and Bayshore Drive. On the date of the survey none of the surface water was found flowing under Bayshore Drive to the west (i.e., all the water was soaking into the forest floor on that tract. This flow appears to originate as overflow out of a linear north/south depression bordering the east side of the access road which borders the DCLT lands to the east. It appears to be ground water discharging from the base of the escarpment. As this land is in non-DCLT ownership it was not walked to investigate the origin of this water. However, observing the area from a distance it appeared that the linear depression was quite deep and may form a significant. Likely ephemeral wetland habitat. Flora in bloom included: *Sheperdia*, *Dirca*, *Carex pedunculata*, *C. pennsylvanica*, and *Hepatica acutiloba*.

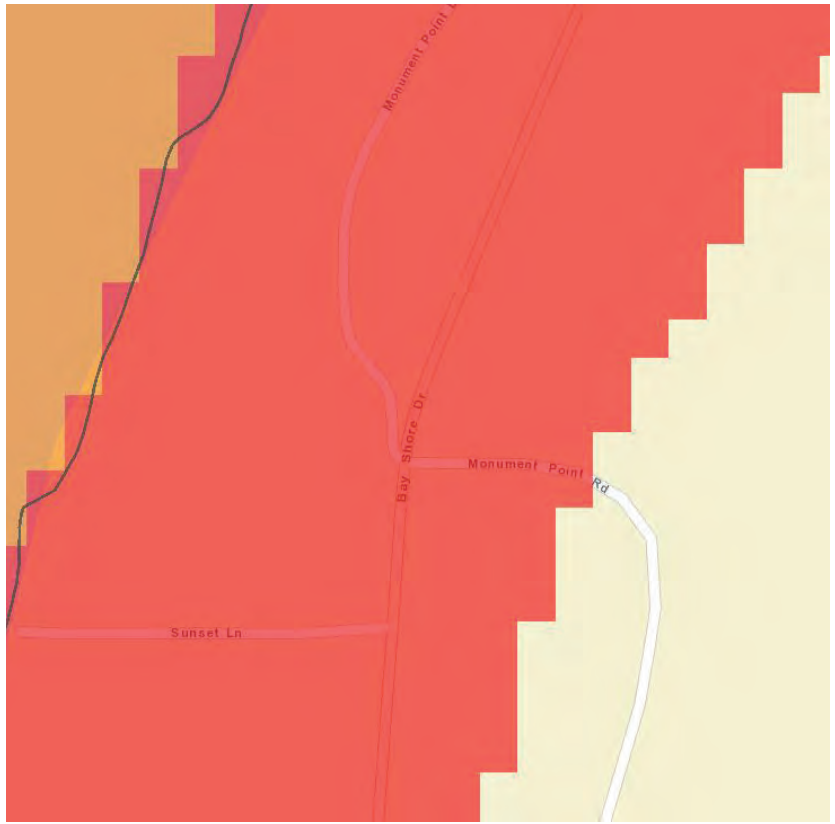


Figure 1. Map of surrounding area surveyed on 9 May, 2014, showing modeled ranking of landscape for migratory land birds. Red area indicates high significance for migratory birds. From Door County Greenprint. (http://tplgis.org/DoorCounty_GreenprintMap/), accessed September 27, 2014.

Date: 10 May 2014

Time: 0730 - 0830

Location: South off White Cedar Lane

GPS approximate center: Lat: 44.9527, Long: -87.3702

Route walked: Walked into area south off White Cedar Lane following the old gravel drive. Returned on same path.

Habitat:

- *Pinus resinosa* / *Populus grandidentata* / *Quercus rubra* dry-mesic forest
- (4) *Thuja* / *Fraxinus pennsylvanica* / *Populus balsamifera* wet-mesic forest

Map: See [Appendix 5](#) Maps

Results:

Turkey Vulture	Golden-crowned Kinglet
Broad-winged Hawk	Ruby-crowned kinglet
Red-bellied Woodpecker	Swainson's thrush
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	Wood Thrush
Downy Woodpecker	American Robin
Northern Flicker	Nashville Warbler
Blue-headed vireo	Yellow-rumped Warbler
Blue Jay	Ovenbird
Common Raven	White-throated Sparrow
Black-capped Chickadee	Brown-headed Cowbird
Red-breasted Nuthatch	Purple Finch
White-breasted Nuthatch	American Goldfinch

Comments:

Two forest types characterize this site. Notable species encountered included both kinglet species, Swainson's and wood thrush, and purple finch.

Date: 11 May 2014

Time: 0700 - 0830

Location: South off White Cedar Lane.

GPS approximate center: Lat: 44.9505, Long: -87.3694

Route walked: Walked south off White Cedar Lane on the gravel drive, returning by the same route.

Habitat:

- *Pinus resinosa* / *Populus grandidentata* / *Quercus rubra* dry-mesic forest
- *Acer saccharum* / *Fagus* / *Quercus rubra* / *Pinus strobus* / *Tsuga* forest
- *Thuja* / *Tsuga* / *Pinus sp.* / *Betula papyrifera* forest

Map: See [Appendix 5](#) Maps

Results:

Ruffed Grouse	Eastern Bluebird
Wild Turkey	Swainson's thrush
Killdeer	Wood Thrush
Ring-billed Gull	American Robin
Mourning Dove	Nashville Warbler
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	Yellow-rumped Warbler
Downy Woodpecker	Black-throated Green Warbler
Hairy Woodpecker	Ovenbird
Northern Flicker	Northern Cardinal
Pileated Woodpecker	Common Grackle
Great Crested Flycatcher	Brown-headed Cowbird
Blue Jay	Baltimore oriole
Black-capped Chickadee	Purple Finch
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	American Goldfinch

Comments:

The mix of pole to semi-mature upland forest types provides good habitat for a number of forest associated migratory birds. Important or charismatic species encountered this day included wood and Swainson's thrush, blue-grey gnatcatcher and Baltimore oriole. As with other tracts on other days during this survey, records of earlier bird surveys taken in this area (see Appendix 2) indicate that it is likely a considerably larger number of species utilize these wooded areas during migration than have been recorded during this survey.

As a side note, two tree deer stands were found just east of the loop road cut on the tract under easement to the Land Trust, with a trail camera, and bait. Red oval on the map indicates the approximate area of the deer stands.

Date: 17 May 2014

Time: 0800 - 0900

Location: Autumn Lane woods

GPS approximate center: Lat: 44.9705, Long: -87.3519

Route walked: Walked off the south-west end of Autumn Lane and looped through the upland forest skirting the lowland conifer stand on the east.

Habitat:

➤ (2) *Acer saccharum* / *Fagus* / *Quercus rubra* / *Pinus strobus* / *Tsuga* forest

Map: See [Appendix 5](#) Maps

Results:

Sharp-shinned hawk

Hairy Woodpecker

Great Crested Flycatcher

Blue-headed vireo

Red-eyed Vireo

Blue Jay

Black-capped Chickadee

Red-breasted Nuthatch

White-breasted Nuthatch

American Robin

Black-throated Green Warbler

Ovenbird

Song Sparrow

White-throated Sparrow

Rose-breasted Grosbeak

American Goldfinch

Comments:

This high quality semi-mature upland forest had few species on the date surveyed, although notable species included the sharp-shinned hawk, blue-headed vireo and rose-breasted grosbeak.

Date: 17 May 2014

Time: 0915 - 1030

Location: Aten's Collin's spring pond.

GPS approximate center: Lat: 44.9477, Long: -87.3775

Route walked: Walked to driveway to the tract to the spring pond and to wetland south of the pond.

Habitat:

- (4) *Thuja / Fraxinus pennsylvanica / Populus balsamifera* wet-mesic forest
- (6) *Larix laricina / Carex fen*

Map: See [Appendix 5](#) Maps

Results:

Wild Turkey
Northern Parula
Nashville Warbler
Red-breasted Nuthatch
Gray catbird
Northern Flicker
American Crow
American Robin
Blue-headed vireo
Red-bellied woodpecker

Blue Jay
Black and white warbler
Red wing blackbird
Northern Cardinal
Pileated woodpecker
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher
Swamp Sparrow
Mourning dove
Black-capped chickadee

Comments:

A rich diversity of forest and wetland structure characterizes this site. It undoubtedly provides habitat for more species than noted on this day.

Date: 22 May 2014

Time: 0715 - 0830

Location: Hawthorn field off Reynold's Road and west open field with surrounding woods

GPS approximate center: Lat: 44.9378, Long: -87.3729

Route walked: Started at the parking Land Trust parking lot on Reynolds Road walked west into the hawthorn grove, continued into the upper open field to the west, then returned on the north side of the hawthorn field.

Habitat:

- *Pinus resinosa* / *Populus grandidentata* / *Quercus rubra* dry-mesic forest
- (9) Old field – includes the hawthorn meadow

Map: See [Appendix 5](#) Maps

Results:

Red-tailed Hawk	Blue-winged Warbler
Ruffed Grouse	Nashville Warbler
Wild Turkey	Northern Parula
Mourning Dove	Chestnut-sided Warbler
Downy Woodpecker	Magnolia Warbler
Northern Flicker	Black-throated Green Warbler
Least Flycatcher	Black-and-white Warbler
Eastern Phoebe	American Redstart
Great Crested Flycatcher	Ovenbird
Blue Jay	Eastern Towhee
American Crow	Chipping Sparrow
Black-capped Chickadee	Clay-colored Sparrow
Red-breasted Nuthatch	Northern Cardinal
White-breasted Nuthatch	Rose-breasted Grosbeak
House Wren	Indigo Bunting
Wood Thrush	Brown-headed Cowbird
American Robin	Baltimore oriole
Gray Catbird	American Goldfinch
European Starling	

Comments:

The varied habitat of this tract attracts a diverse suite of species. Several warbler species and many open field or edge species were encountered. Notable species included wood thrush, clay-colored sparrow and rose-breasted grosbeak.

Date: 26 May 2014

Time: 0700 - 0800

Location: Aten and Collin's tract

GPS approximate center: Lat: 44.9483, Long: -87.3768

Route walked: Walked north into tract along the driveway, stopping at the spring pond then proceeding north along the woods trail. Retraced the route on the way out.

Habitat:

- (3) *Thuja / Tsuga / Pinus sp. / Betula papyrifera* forest
- (4) *Thuja / Fraxinus pennsylvanica / Populus balsamifera* wet-mesic forest
- (6) *Larix laricina / Carex fen*

Map: See [Appendix 5](#) Maps

Results:

Ruffed Grouse	Black-and-white Warbler
Mourning Dove	American Redstart
Eastern Wood-Pewee	Ovenbird
Great Crested Flycatcher	Common Yellowthroat
Red-eyed Vireo	Eastern Towhee
Blue Jay	Song Sparrow
American Crow	Swamp Sparrow
Common Raven	White-throated Sparrow
Black-capped Chickadee	Northern Cardinal
White-breasted Nuthatch	Rose-breasted Grosbeak
Brown Creeper	Indigo Bunting
House Wren	Red-winged Blackbird
Winter Wren	Common Grackle
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	Brown-headed Cowbird
Cedar Waxwing	Baltimore oriole
Nashville Warbler	American Goldfinch
Chestnut-sided Warbler	

Comments:

The lack of warbler species from this survey date should be considered uncharacteristic of such a complex setting of forest and wetland. The density of forest cover obscuring small species may explain the low number warblers and vireos. Definitely worth further surveys at this site.

Date: 28 May 2014

Time: 0715 - 0830

Location: Aten/Collin's tract and the "Hutter" fields south of Carlsville Road across from Aten/Collin driveway.

GPS approximate center: Lat: 44.9455, Long: -87.3769

Route walked: Walked north on the driveway of the Aten/Collin's tract to the spring pond area, then crossed Carlsville Road south into the Land Trust property across from the Aten/Collin's driveway. Made a loop walk generally to the south and east of the entry point.

Habitat:

- (3) *Thuja / Tsuga / Pinus sp. / Betula papyrifera* forest
- (4) *Thuja / Fraxinus pennsylvanica / Populus balsamifera* wet-mesic forest
- (6) *Larix laricina / Carex fen*
- (7) *Salix / Cornus* shrub-carr
- (9) Old field – includes the hawthorn meadow

Map: See [Appendix 5 Maps](#)

Results:

Wild Turkey	Yellow Warbler
Mourning Dove	Chestnut-sided Warbler
Northern Flicker	American Redstart
Alder Flycatcher	Mourning Warbler
Great Crested Flycatcher	Common Yellowthroat
Red-eyed Vireo	Eastern Towhee
Blue Jay	Field Sparrow
Black-capped Chickadee	Song Sparrow
Red-breasted Nuthatch	Northern Cardinal
House Wren	Rose-breasted Grosbeak
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	Indigo Bunting
Gray Catbird	Common Grackle
Blue-winged Warbler	Brown-headed Cowbird
Nashville Warbler	American Goldfinch

Comments:

Date: 29 May 2014

Time: 0700 - 0830

Location: Spring Lane lowland hardwoods and associated upland to the east.

GPS approximate center: Lat: 44.9983, Long: -87.3361

Route walked: The route started at the south end of Spring Lane and went south into the upland hardwoods following the east side of the lowland hardwood swamp. The route looped to the east and then back to Spring Lane.

Habitat:

- (2) *Acer saccharum* / *Fagus* / *Quercus rubra* / *Pinus strobus* / *Tsuga* forest
- (5) *Acer saccharinum* / *Fraxinus pennsylvanica* swamp forest

Map: See [Appendix 5](#) Maps

Results:

Wood Duck
Ruffed Grouse
Red-bellied Woodpecker
Hairy Woodpecker
Eastern Wood-Pewee
Great Crested Flycatcher
Red-eyed Vireo
Blue Jay
American Crow
Black-capped Chickadee
White-breasted Nuthatch
Brown Creeper
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher
Wood Thrush
American Robin
Black-throated Green Warbler
American Redstart
Ovenbird
Scarlet Tanager
Rose-breasted Grosbeak
Brown-headed Cowbird

Comments:

At this late date in the season likely many of the early and mid-season transitory migrants have left the area, and the species noted are likely those that will breed in at this site.

Discussion

This survey was a rapid and brief look at the birds that use the Bayshore Blufflands landscape during the migratory period of their life cycle. It was conducted in primarily forested setting in the early mornings of the month of May, usually considered a prime period to capture the majority of migratory species. However, given the design of this survey, many migratory species would be missed. Species that may have passed through earlier (e.g., fox sparrow) would be missed and surveying in the morning would necessarily miss many of the evening or night species (e.g., owls, woodcock, whip-poor-will). As this survey focused on primarily forested settings grassland or open field species (e.g., eastern meadow lark, grasshopper and savannah sparrows) were also perhaps missed in the survey. Focusing on forested habitats also meant it would be unlikely to encounter waterfowl and shorebirds in the survey and thus were not cataloged. These species undoubtedly occur off shore or along the shoreline of Green Bay. Lastly given the timing of the survey species over-wintering in this landscape (e.g., juncos, crossbills, northern shrike, rough-legged hawk, pine grosbeak), but moving north before the beginning of May were also missed. These limitations of this survey noted here are mentioned with the purpose of addressing these gaps in future migratory bird surveys for the area.

However, despite these limitations of the survey, several important species were recorded from the landscape. 17 species which have a “Partners-in-Flight” score of greater than 14 were recorded (Appendix 2). These species are considered in need of conservation consideration by the Partners in Flight program (<http://www.partnersinflight.org/>). The score of 14 is an arbitrary cut off, but species with scores above that number are generally considered priority species for several grant programs administered by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

Five species recorded during the survey are identified as “Species of Greatest Conservation Need” in the Wisconsin Wildlife Action Plan. These species are generally considered in some risk for population decline in Wisconsin and their presence on this landscape during migration (and some species likely breed here) should be noted when applying for land conservation or management grants for this landscape.

Appendix 1. Bird tally for the 2014 migratory bird survey listed by date.

Species	5-May	8-May	9-May	10-May	11-May	17-May	22-May	26-May	28-May	29-May
Turkey Vulture				x						
Canada Goose	x									
Wood Duck		x								x
Sharp-shinned hawk						x				
Broad-winged Hawk	x			x						
Red-tailed Hawk							x			
American Kestrel		x								
Ruffed Grouse	x	x			x		x	x		x
Wild Turkey	x				x	x	x		x	
Killdeer					x					
Ring-billed Gull	x				x					
Herring Gull	x									
Mourning Dove	x		x		x	x	x	x	x	
Red-bellied Woodpecker	x	x	x	x		x				x
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker				x	x					
Downy Woodpecker	x	x	x	x	x		x			
Hairy Woodpecker	x	x	x		x	x				x
Northern Flicker	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	
Pileated Woodpecker	x				x	x				
Eastern Wood-Pewee								x		x
Alder Flycatcher									x	
Least Flycatcher							x			
Eastern Phoebe	x						x			
Great Crested Flycatcher					x	x	x	x	x	x
Blue-headed vireo				x		x				
Red-eyed Vireo						x		x	x	x
Blue Jay	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
American Crow						x	x	x		x
Common Raven	x			x				x		
Black-capped Chickadee	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Red-breasted Nuthatch		x	x	x		x	x		x	
White-breasted Nuthatch	x	x	x	x		x	x	x		x
Brown Creeper	x	x	x					x		x
House Wren	x						x	x	x	

Winter Wren		x						x		
Golden-crowned Kinglet				x						
Ruby-crowned kinglet	x	x	x	x						
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher					x	x		x	x	x
Eastern Bluebird	x				x					
Hermit Thrush	x	x								
Swainson's thrush				x	x					
Wood Thrush		x	x	x	x		x			x
American Robin	x	x		x	x	x	x		x	x
Gray Catbird						x	x		x	
Brown Thrasher	x									
European Starling							x			
Cedar Waxwing								x		
Blue-winged Warbler							x		x	
Nashville Warbler		x		x	x	x	x	x	x	
Northern Parula						x	x			
Yellow Warbler									x	
Chestnut-sided Warbler							x	x	x	
Magnolia Warbler							x			
Yellow-rumped Warbler	x	x	x	x	x					
Black-throated Green Warbler		x	x		x	x	x			x
Black-and-white Warbler						x	x	x	x	
American Redstart							x	x	x	x
Ovenbird		x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x
Mourning Warbler									x	
Common Yellowthroat		x						x	x	
Scarlet Tanager										x
Eastern Towhee	x						x	x	x	
Chipping Sparrow							x			
Clay-colored Sparrow							x			
Field Sparrow	x	x							x	
Song Sparrow	x					x		x	x	
White-crowned sparrow	x									
Swamp Sparrow						x		x		
White-throated Sparrow	x	x		x		x		x	x	

Northern Cardinal	x		x		x	x	x	x	x	
Rose-breasted Grosbeak		x				x	x	x	x	x
Indigo Bunting							x	x	x	
Red-winged Blackbird	x	x				x		x	x	
Common Grackle					x			x	x	
Brown-headed Cowbird	x	x		x	x		x	x	x	x
Baltimore Oriole					x		x	x		
Purple Finch	x			x	x				x	
American Goldfinch	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	

Total 77 species

Appendix 2. Species encountered in 2014 migratory survey listed as Species of Greatest Conservation Need in Wisconsin or having a “Partner’s In Flight” regional breeding score of 14 or greater.

Species	WI SGCN*	PIF Score**
Broad-winged Hawk		14
Ruffed Grouse		14
Northern Flicker		15
Least Flycatcher	x	15
Winter Wren		14
Wood Thrush	x	15
Brown Thrasher	x	15
Blue-winged Warbler	x	13
Nashville Warbler		14
Chestnut-sided Warbler		15
Black-throated Green Warbler		14
Black-and-white Warbler		14
American Redstart		14
Mourning Warbler		15
Scarlet Tanager		15
Field Sparrow	x	15
Rose-breasted Grosbeak		16

*Wisconsin Species of greatest conservation need
<http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/WildlifeHabitat/profiles.asp>

**Partners-in-Flight regional breeding conservation score for land birds of Bird Conservation Region 12
<http://rmbo.org/pifassessment/Database.aspx#>

Appendix 3. Habitat Types referenced in migratory bird survey

HABITAT TYPE			
Species occupying high estimated percentage of canopy	Common or distinguishing understory or shrub layer species (est. by number of individuals)	Commonly encountered ground cover species in habitat type	Other significant species
(1) <i>Pinus resinosa</i> / <i>Populus grandidentata</i> / <i>Quercus rubra</i> dry-mesic forest			
<i>Pinus resinosa</i>	<i>Abies balsamea</i>	<i>Aster macrophyllus</i>	<i>Plantanthera Hookeri</i>
<i>Betula papyrifera</i>	<i>Cornus rugosa</i>	<i>Trilium grandiflorum</i>	<i>Cypripedium arietinum</i>
<i>Populus grandidentata</i>	<i>Acer saccharum</i>	<i>Maianthemum canadense</i>	
<i>Acer saccharum</i>	<i>Pinus strobus</i>	<i>Pedicularis canadensis</i>	
<i>Quercus rubra</i>	<i>Quercus rubra</i>	<i>Aralia nudicaulis</i>	
<i>Acer rubrum</i>	<i>Sheperdia canadensis</i>	<i>Carex eburnea</i>	
<i>Pinus strobus</i>		<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i>	
(2) <i>Acer saccharum</i> / <i>Fagus</i> / <i>Quercus rubra</i> / <i>Pinus strobus</i> / <i>Tsuga</i> forest			
<i>Acer saccharum</i>	<i>Tsuga canadensis</i>	<i>Dicentra canadensis</i>	<i>Carya cordiformis</i>
<i>Fagus grandifolia</i>	<i>Acer saccharum</i>	<i>Viola pubescens</i>	<i>Hydrophyllum appendiculatum</i>
<i>Quercus rubra</i>	<i>Pinus strobus</i>	<i>Viola canadensis</i>	<i>Staphylea trifolia</i>
<i>Pinus strobus</i>	<i>Abies balsamea</i>	<i>Galium aparine</i>	<i>Juglans cinerea</i>
<i>Tsuga canadensis</i>		<i>Galium triflorum</i>	<i>Viola rostrata</i>
<i>Betula papyrifera</i>		<i>Erythronium americanum</i>	<i>Carex platyphylla</i>
<i>Fraxinus americana</i>		<i>Anemone quinquefolia</i>	<i>Aplectrum hyemale</i>
<i>Populus grandidentata</i>		<i>Claytonia virginica</i>	
		<i>Uvularia grandiflora</i>	
		<i>Carex pensylvanica</i>	
		<i>Caulophyllum thalictroides</i>	
		<i>Allium tricoccum</i>	
		<i>Osmorhiza claytonii</i>	
(3) <i>Thuja</i> / <i>Tsuga</i> / <i>Pinus sp.</i> / <i>Betula papyrifera</i> forest			
<i>Thuja occidentalis</i>	<i>Sheperdia canadensis</i>	<i>Equisetum scripoides</i>	<i>Iris lacustris</i>
<i>Tsuga canadensis</i>	<i>Amelanchier canadensis</i>	<i>Maianthemum canadense</i>	<i>Lillium philadelphicum</i>
<i>Betula papyrifera</i>	<i>Juniper communis</i>	<i>Trientalis borealis</i>	
<i>Pinus strobus</i>	<i>Lonicera hirsuta</i>	<i>Aralia nudicaulis</i>	
<i>Picea glauca</i>		<i>Clintonia borealis</i>	
<i>Pinus resinosa</i>		<i>Lonicera dioica</i>	
		<i>Danthonia spicata</i>	
		<i>Polygala paucifolia</i>	
		<i>Linnaea borealis</i>	
		<i>Smilacina stellata</i>	
		<i>Carex eburnea</i>	

Species characteristic of Habitat types of Carlsville Bluff Continued

Species occupying high estimated percentage of canopy	Common or distinguishing understory or shrub layer species (est. by number of individuals)	Commonly encountered ground cover species in habitat type	Other significant species
(4) <i>Thuja</i> / <i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i> / <i>Populus balsamifera</i> wet-mesic forest			
<i>Thuja occidentalis</i>	<i>Cornus sericea</i>	<i>Petasites frigidus</i>	<i>Cypripedium reginae</i>
<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i>	<i>Fraxinus nigra</i>	<i>Aralia nudicaulis</i>	
<i>Populus balsamifera</i>	<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i>	<i>Maianthemum Canadensis</i>	
<i>Populus deltoides</i>	<i>Thuja occidentalis</i>	<i>Lonicera canadensis</i>	
<i>Populus tremuloides</i>	<i>Rhamnus alnifolia</i>	<i>Botrychium virginianum</i>	
<i>Fraxinus nigra</i>	<i>Acer spicatum</i>	<i>Streptopus spp.</i>	
<i>Acer rubrum</i>	<i>Ilex verticillata</i>	<i>Arisaema triphyllum</i>	
<i>Tsuga canadensis</i>	<i>Abies balsamea</i>	<i>Rubus pubescens</i>	
		<i>Mitella nuda</i>	
(5) <i>Acer saccharinum</i> / <i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i> swamp forest			
<i>Acer saccharinum</i>	<i>Fraxinus nigra</i>	<i>Menispermum canadense</i>	<i>Quercus bicolor</i>
<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i>	<i>Tilia americana</i>	<i>Smilax ecirrata</i>	
<i>Ulmus americana</i>	<i>Ulmus americana</i>		
<i>Populus deltoides</i>	<i>Prunus virginiana</i>		
<i>Acer rubrum</i>	<i>Cornus sericea</i>		
	<i>Viburnum opulus</i>		
(6) <i>Larix laricina</i> / <i>Carex fen</i>			
<i>Larix laricina</i>	<i>Alnus incana</i>	<i>Carex eburnea</i>	
<i>Thuja occidentalis</i>	<i>Fraxinus nigra</i>	<i>Gymnocarpum dryopteris</i>	
<i>Abies balsamea</i>	<i>Viburnum opulus</i>	<i>Carex disperma</i>	
<i>Populus balsamifera</i>	<i>Vaccinium myrtiloides</i>	<i>Carex paupercula</i>	
		<i>Calamogrostis canadensis</i>	
		<i>Rubus pubescens</i>	
		<i>Typha spp</i>	
		<i>Thelyptris palustris</i>	
		<i>Cystopteris bulbifera</i>	

Species characteristic of Habitat types of Carlsville Bluff Continued

Species occupying high estimated percentage of canopy	Common or distinguishing understory or shrub layer species (est. by number of individuals)	Commonly encountered ground cover species in habitat type	Other significant species
(7) <i>Salix</i> / <i>Cornus</i> shrub-carr			
<i>Cornus sericea</i>		<i>Eupatorium perfoliatum</i>	<i>Liparis loeselii</i>
<i>Salix</i> spp.		<i>Eupatorium maculatum</i>	
<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i>		<i>Impatiens capensis</i>	
		<i>Lysimachia thyrisifolia</i>	
		<i>Juncus tenuis</i>	
		<i>Carex pellita</i>	
		<i>Thelypteris palustris</i>	
		<i>Caltha palustris</i>	
		<i>Cypripedium calceolus</i> <i>var. parviflorum</i>	
(8) Escarpment free face and talus slope			
<i>Thuja occidentalis</i>	<i>Acer spicatum</i>	<i>Cystopteris bulbifera</i>	<i>Asplenium rhizophyllum</i>
<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i>	<i>Corylus Americana</i>	<i>Streptopus</i> spp.	<i>Adlumia fungosa</i>
<i>Betula papyrifera</i>	<i>Ribes lacustris</i>	<i>Solidago flexicaulis</i>	
<i>Tilia americana</i>	<i>Cornus rugosa</i>	<i>Osmorhiza claytonii</i>	
<i>Ostrya virginiana</i>		<i>Maianthemum canadensis</i>	
		<i>Galium triflorum</i>	
		<i>Epipactis helleborine</i>	
		<i>Polypodium virginianum</i>	
		<i>Dryopteris marginalis</i>	
		<i>Aquilegia canadensis</i>	
(9) Old field – includes the hawthorn meadow			
<i>Crataegus</i> spp.	<i>Lonicera</i> spp	<i>Bromus inermis</i>	<i>Aster lateriflorus</i>
<i>Populus tremuloides</i>	<i>Amelanchier</i> spp.	<i>Phleum pretense</i>	<i>Aster lowrieanus</i>
<i>Prunus serotina</i>	<i>Viburnum lentago</i>	<i>Daucus carota</i>	<i>Aster ericoides</i>
<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i>	<i>Rhus typhina</i>	<i>Trifolium agraium</i>	<i>Monarda fistulosa</i>
		<i>Trifolium pratense</i>	
		<i>Asclepias syriaca</i>	

Nomenclature follows Manual of Vascular Plants of Northeastern United States and Adjacent Canada, 2nd Edition; H. Gleason and A. Cronquist, 1991.

Appendix 4. 1995 – 2000 record of bird usage; Bayshore Blufflands landscape; compiled by author.

Species	Estimated Abundance	Suspected Site Usage
Wood duck	o	b,m
Mallard	c	b,m
Turkey vulture	o (May nest on outcrops)	b,m
Red-shouldered hawk	o (2 Nests, 1998)	b,m
Woodcock	o	b,m
Whip-poor-will	r	b,m
Ruby-throated hummingbird	o	b,m
Red-headed woodpecker	r	b,m
Northern flicker	c	b,m
Eastern kingbird	o	b,m
Wood pewee	c	b,m
Least flycatcher	c	b,m
Phoebe	c	b,m
Crested flycatcher	c	b,m
Tree swallow	c	b,m
Barn swallow	c	b,m
Brown creeper	o	b,m
House wren	o	b,m
Winter wren	c	b,m
Veery	c	b,m
Wood thrush	c	b,m
Hermit thrush	o	b,m
American robin	a	b,m
Gray catbird	c	b,m
Warbling vireo	c	b,m
Red-eyed vireo	a	b,m
Nashville warbler	r	b,m
Yellow warbler	c	b,m
Chestnut-sided warbler	o	b,m
Magnolia warbler	r	b,m
Black-throated green warbler	c	b,m
Blackburnian warbler	r	b,m
Pine warbler	o	b,m
Black & white warbler	c	b,m
American redstart	o	b,m
Ovenbird	a	b,m
Northern waterthrush	o	b,m
Mourning warbler	c	b,m
Common yellowthroat	c	b,m
Canada warbler	o	b,m
Scarlet tanager	o	b,m
Rose-breasted grosbeak	c	b,m
Indigo bunting	c	b,m
Chipping sparrow	c	b,m
Song sparrow	c	b,m
White-throated sparrow	c	b,m

Red-winged blackbird	c	b,m
Common grackle	c	b,m
Brown-headed cowbird	c	b,m
Northern oriole	r	b,m
Orchard oriole	r	b,m
Purple finch	r	b,m
American goldfinch	c	b,m
Goshawk	r (1? Nest, 1998)	b,r
Red-tailed hawk	o	b,r
Kestrel	c	b,r
Wild turkey	c	b,r
Ruffed grouse	c	b,r
Great horned owl	o	b,r
Barred owl	o	b,r
Rock dove	c	b,r
Mourning dove	c	b,r
Red-bellied woodpecker	c	b,r
Downy woodpecker	c	b,r
Hairy woodpecker	c	b,r
Pileated woodpecker	c	b,r
Blue jay	a	b,r
Northern raven	c	b,r
American crow	a	b,r
Black-capped chickadee	a	b,r
Red-breasted nuthatch	o	b,r
White-breasted nuthatch	o	b,r
Cedar waxwing	c	b,r
Starling	c	b,r
Cardinal	c	b,r
Willow flycatcher	o	b,m
Yellow-throated vireo	r	b?,m
Peregrine	r (1 for 1 day, 1998, Aten/Collin's tract)	m
Sharp-shinned hawk	r	m
Night hawk	r	m
Wilson's warbler	r	m
Palm warbler	c	m
White-crowned sparrow	c	m
Ring necked pheasant	r	r
Rough-legged hawk	o	w
Snowy owl	r (1 in April, 2000)	w
Dark-eyed junco	c	w
Pine siskin	o	w

a=abundant	b=breeding
c=common	m=migratory
o=occasional	r=resident
r=rare	w=winter

Appendix 5. Maps of areas surveyed in May 2014 for migratory birds

Map 1. Migratory Bird Survey Route 1. May 4, 2014



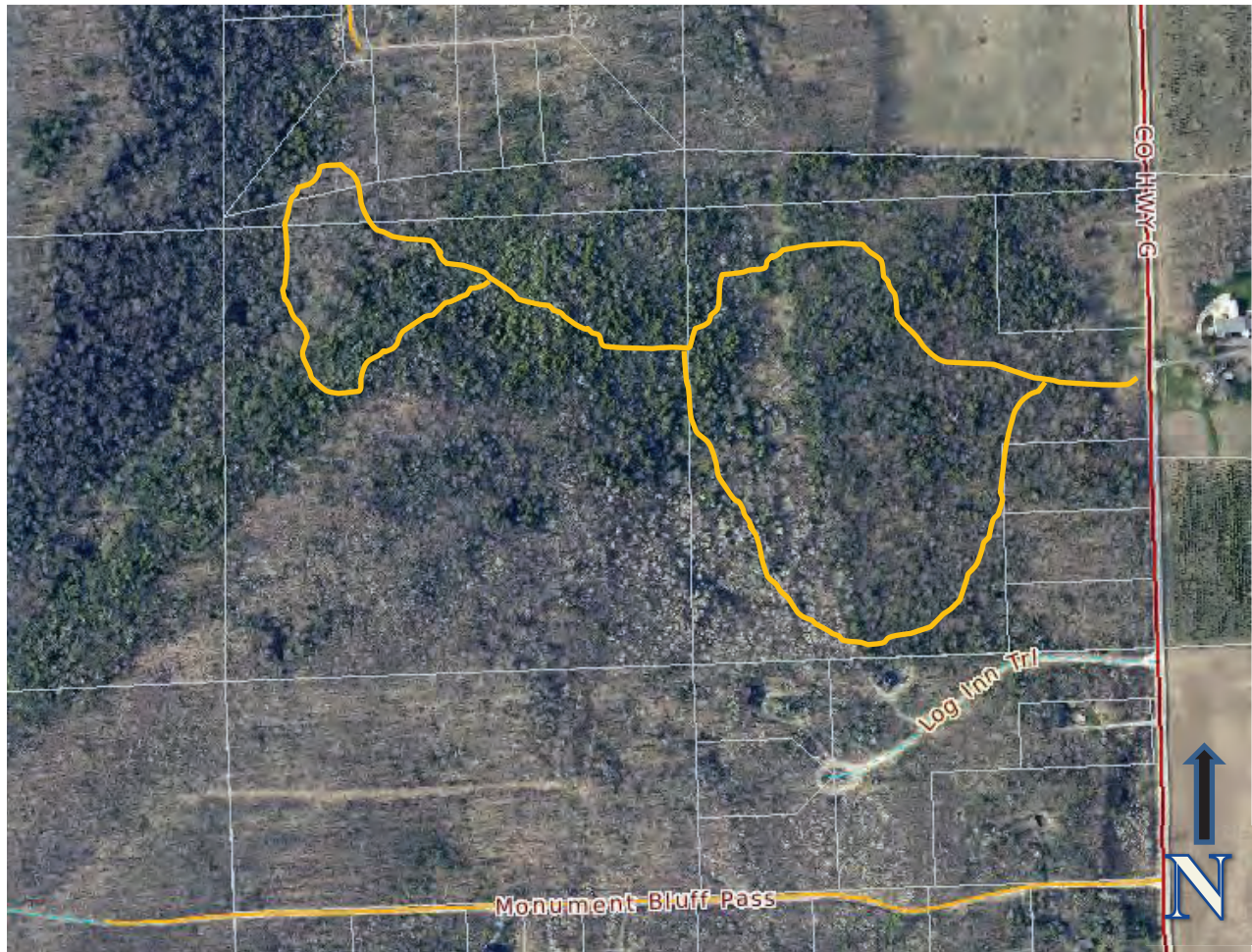
Time: 0730 – 0930

Approximate center of route: 44.9378; -87.3729

Clear sky, 39 F. Moderately strong wind from the west.

Habitats covered: 1, 9 (See [Appendix 1](#). Habitat Types referenced in migratory bird survey)

Map 2. Migratory Bird Survey Route 2. May 8, 2014



0700 – 0800. 45 F. Solid overcast, with light to moderate winds from west.

Approximate center of route: 44.9968; -87.3336

Habitats covered: 2, 5

Map 3. Migratory Bird Survey Route 3. May 9, 2014



0745 – 0900. 55 F. Solid to moderate overcast with a moderate to strong wind from the west.

Approximate center of route: 44.9849; -87.3571

Habitats covered: 2, 3, 4

Map 4. Migratory Bird Survey Route 4. May 10, 2014



0730-0830. 55 F. Clear, light wind from S.

Approximate center of route: 44.9527; -87.3702

Habitats covered: 1, 4

Map 5. Migratory Bird Survey Route 5. May 11, 2014



0700 – 0830. 60 F. Partly cloudy, moderate SW winds.

Approximate center of route: 44.9505; -87.3694

Notes: 2 tree deer stands were found just east of the loop road cut, with a trail camera, and bait. Red oval indicates approximate area of the deer stands.

Habitats covered: 1, 2, 3

Map 6. Migratory Bird Survey Route 6. May 17, 2014



0800 – 0900. 55 F. Clear, light to moderate winds from the west.

Approximate center of route: 44.9705; -87.3519

Habitats covered: 2

Map 7. Migratory Bird Survey Route 7. May 17, 2014

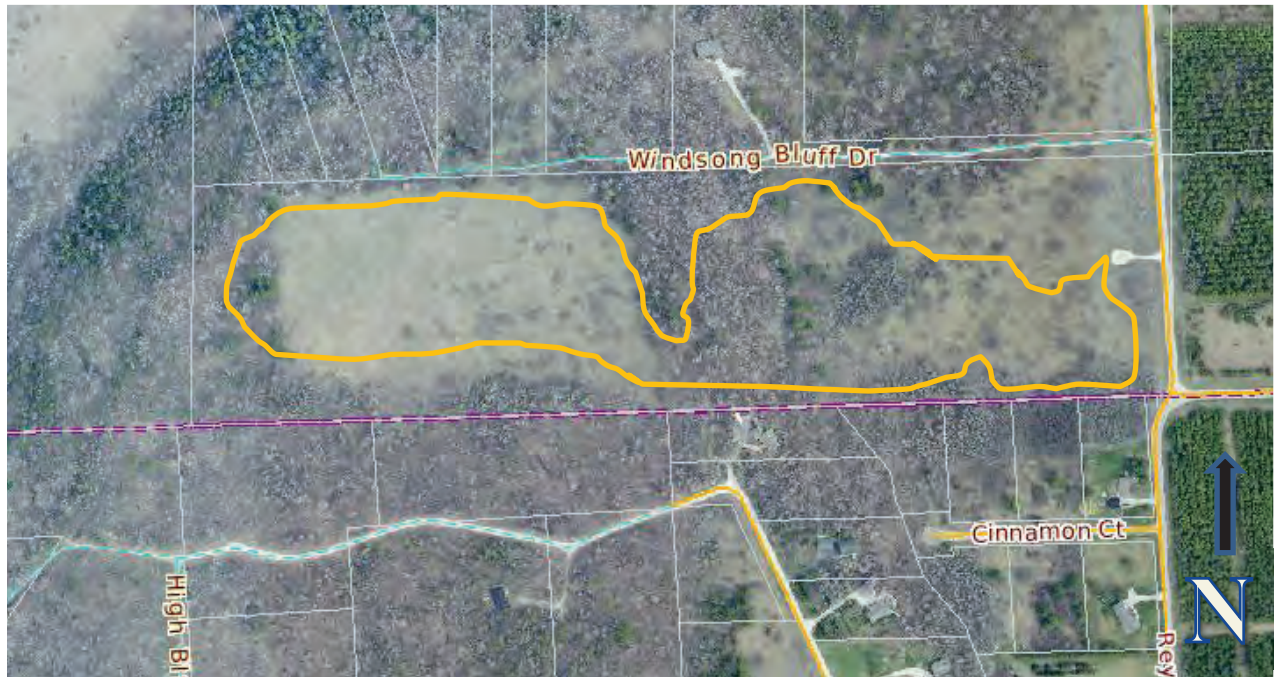


0915 – 1030. 60 F. Partly cloudy, light to moderate winds.

Approximate center of route: 44.9477; -87.3775

Habitats covered: 4, 6,

Map 8. Migratory Bird Survey Route 8. May 22, 2014



0715 – 0830. 60 F. Scattered clouds, light winds from west.

Approximate center of route: 44.9378; -87.3729

Habitats covered: 1, 9

Map 9. Migratory Bird Survey Route 9. May 26, 2014



0700- 0900. 60 F. Light overcast, with light winds.

Approximate center of route: 44.9483; -87.3768

Habitats covered: 3, 4, 6,

Map 10. Migratory Bird Survey Route 10. May 28, 2014

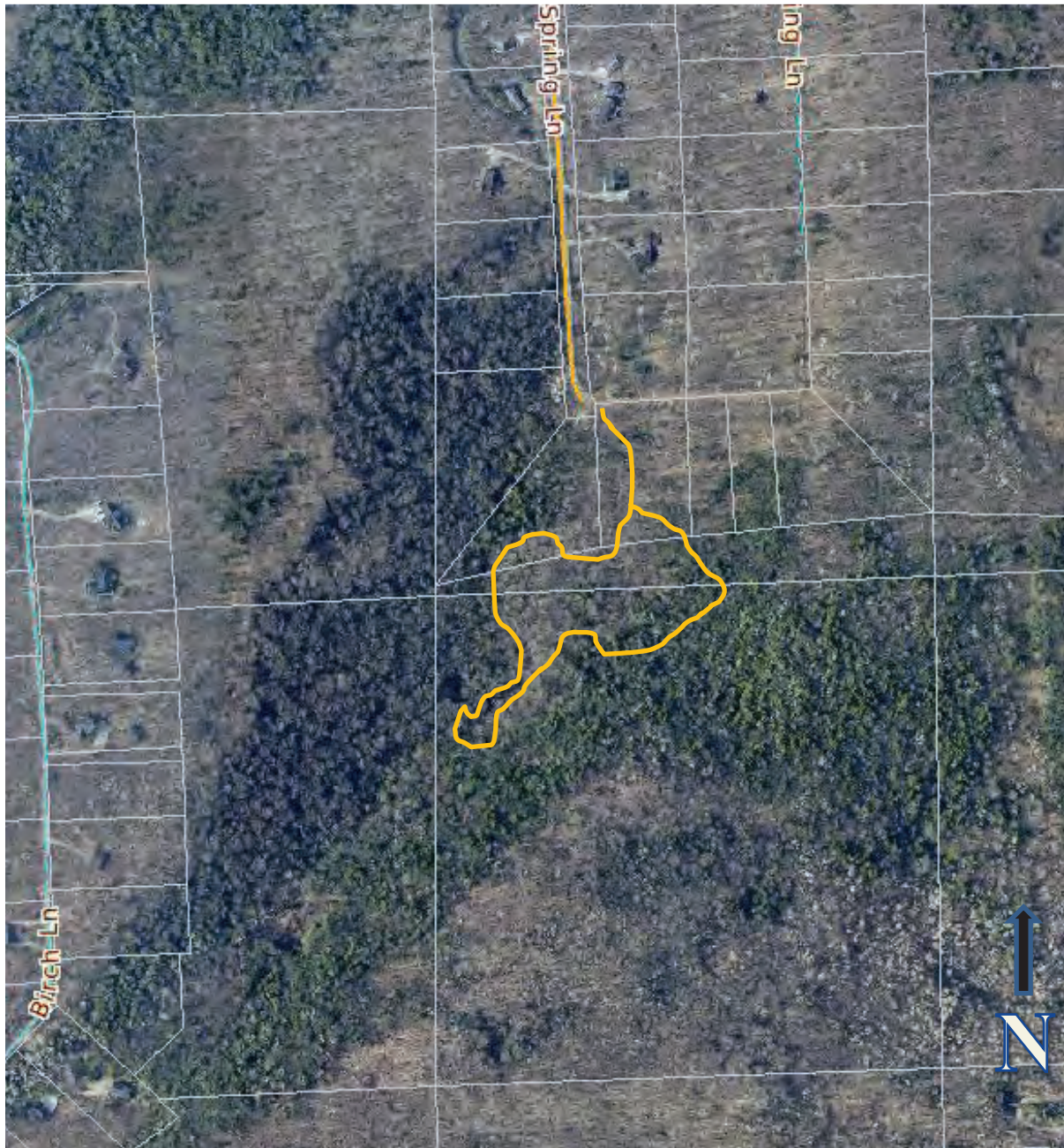


0700 – 0830. 60 F. Clear sky, light winds.

Approximate center of route: 44.9455; -87.3769

Habitats covered: 3, 4, 6, 7, 9,

Map 11. Migratory Bird Survey Route 11. May 29, 2014



0700 – 0830. 65 F. Partly cloudy, moderate winds from west.

Habitats covered: 2, 5

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Executive Summary

As a part of a 2013-2014 Wisconsin Coastal Management Program grant (Coastal Resource and Community Planning) awarded to the Door County Land Trust (DCLT), the Urban Ecology Center's Research & Citizen Science Team conducted small mammal surveys in four of the land trust's natural areas between the towns of Carlsville and Egg Harbor (Township 29, Range 26) in Door County. These natural areas are situated within the Northern Lake Michigan Coastal (NLMC) Ecological Landscape (WDNR, 2014). There are no known current formal mammal surveys for the Door County Land Trust natural areas aside from casual observations. This report offers a brief analysis of small mammal surveys performed from August 9th through August 11th, 2014 (and an extended wildlife camera session until August 21st) as well as monitoring recommendations for the Door County Land Trust Natural Areas. We observed 11 total mammal species (out of 40 theoretical). The final section of the report summarizes additional observations and probabilities of occurrences of the remaining 29 species.

Background

The Northern Lake Michigan Coastal (NLMC) Ecological Landscape encompasses 2,000 square miles of which 24% (488 square miles) is found in the Door Peninsula. Peninsula soils are calcareous, shallow and mostly stony loam to loam. The majority of the Door Peninsula land cover is agriculture, grassland, wetland (spring-fed ephemeral ponds, shrub swamps and sedge meadows) and forested upland (dry-mesic, mesic, wet-mesic) (WDNR, 2014). The Niagara Escarpment, a globally important resource and a conservation priority, runs through the Peninsula and consists of rock outcrops, cliffs and talus slopes.

The Door County Land Trust protects over 6,500 acres of land in 13 public and 12 private natural areas throughout the Door Peninsula. Habitat and vegetation types include open wetlands (tussock sedge wet meadow), forested wetlands (White Cedar-Boreal Conifer, Mesic, Maple-Ash-Elm Swamp), old fields, and mixed hardwood and conifer upland forests (Hemlock-Beech).

Kurta (1995) identifies 40 mammal species whose ranges cover part of the Door Peninsula. Two previous mammal surveys were conducted throughout the Peninsula by Johnson (1978) and Long (1990). There are nine mammalian Species of Greatest Conservation Need (SGCN) (WDNR, 2012) identified as important to the NLMC, four of which are bats that are not discussed in this report. Of the remaining five, only two species are found in the Door Peninsula (White-tailed Jackrabbit and Northern Flying Squirrel) and only one (Northern Flying Squirrel) is strongly associated with the NLMC communities in this report.

Small mammals are an important prey base for larger avian and mammalian predators, are primary and secondary consumers of vegetation and invertebrates, and play a crucial role as seed dispersers, thus serving an important ecological role in natural communities (Stephens and Anderson, 2014). Abundance and composition of small mammal communities also affect the structure, species composition, and successional trends of plant communities. Because small mammals are directly and indirectly impacted by changes to vegetation and because populations can change over relatively short periods of time, regular mammal surveys are ideal for measuring the impacts of restoration (Manley et al., 2006 and Sieg 1987).

The Urban Ecology Center’s Research & Citizen Science Team was asked to conduct preliminary surveys for several of the land trust’s natural areas. Table 1 indicates the natural areas, abbreviations used throughout the report, and includes habitat and vegetation cover type.

Table 1. Door County Natural Area Name Abbreviations, Habitat and Vegetation Cover Type.

Natural Area	Habitat	Abbreviation	Veg Cover Type
Lautenbach Woods	Upland Woods	LW_UW	Hemlock-Beech & Sugar Maple Aspen
	Lowland Woods	LW_LW	Silver Maple Swamp
Monument Point	Monument Point	MP	Hemlock-Birch-Maple
Bayshore Blufflands	Old Fields	BB_OF	Grain Grass & Hawthorne
Atens-Collins Property	Wetlands	BB_Wet	Conifer Swamp Or Ash-Sedge Meadow
	Niagara Escarpment	BB_NE	Cedar-Hemlock

Methods

Urban Ecology Center staff conducted small mammal surveys using three different capture methods.

Sherman Folding traps target small mammals that are attracted to bait, such as mice, voles and moles.

From August 8th through August 11th (three consecutive nights) we set out traps using a combination of bird seed (nuts, oats, seeds, mealworms) and a peanut butter/oats mixture as bait as follows:

Lautenbach Woods: 60 traps per night (30 each at both sites) for a total of 180 trap-nights[^].

Monument Point: 25 traps per night for a total of 75 trap-nights.

Bayshore Blufflands: Old Fields: 26 traps (nights 1 and 2) and 16 traps on night 3 for a total of 68 trap-nights.

Aten-Collins Property: 26 traps per night at Niagara Escarpment; 18 traps (night 1 and 2) and 16 traps (night 3) for a total of 198 trap-nights at the Aten-Collins Wetlands.

[^] A trap night is the product of the number of traps and the number of nights.

Transect orientations and lengths are shown in Figure 1 below and Appendix A.

Figure 1. Map of Sherman Trap Transects at four DCLT Natural Areas.



We checked traps each morning and recorded the condition of the trap. A trap that was closed with bait (CWB) either had an animal inside (successful capture), or was triggered by a visitation but the animal was not captured. A trap that was closed and had no bait (CNB) likely had a visitation but the animal escaped. A trap that was open with bait (OWB) likely did not receive a visitation, and a trap that was open with no bait (ONB) was the result of a visitation with a successful escape, or a malfunctioning trap. We also noted whether the trap had been knocked over or moved (molestation) likely by a larger animal (raccoon, porcupine).

For successful captures, we took a photo of the animal and recorded species, sex, breeding status (if female), picture number and weight, ear and tail length. On mornings 1 and 2 we marked animals (nail polish on the ear) using a different color each time. On mornings 2 and 3 we recorded whether the animal had previously been captured and on which night it was initially captured.

Pitfall traps target many of the same species as Sherman Folding Traps but also capture foraging animals that may not necessarily be attracted to bait. We installed 2 Pitfall Traps at Monument Point and 2 Pitfall Traps on the Aten-Collins property on Night 3 (both sites). All traps were baited with the same bait combinations used in the Sherman Folding Traps.

Wildlife Cameras target the widest variety of mammals, particularly larger mammals that don't fit in Sherman Folding Traps or Pitfall Traps, arboreal mammals (flying squirrels) and carnivores. We installed wildlife cameras in a variety of locations (Appendix A) and were able to leave them up for a period of time after completion of the other surveys.

All small mammal transects, pitfalls and wildlife cameras were geo-referenced using a handheld Topcon GMS-2 GPS using the State Plane NAD 1927 Wisconsin Central coordinate system and subsequently mapped using ESRI ArcGIS 10.2. Appendix A shows a map of Door County Land Trust natural areas, small mammal transects, pitfall traps and wildlife camera locations.

Data Analysis & Results

Sherman & Pitfall Trap Capture Rate

Over all four sites during the 3-day trapping sessions, 43 individuals were captured in the Sherman Folding Traps (42 *Peromyscus* mice and 1 shrew); 9 at BB, 13 at MP and 21 at LW. An additional shrew was captured in a pitfall trap. There were 0 recaptures at Bayshore Blufflands, 6 recaptures at Monument Point and 5 at Lautenbach Woods. Table 2 shows trapping success per location.

Table 2. Sherman Trap Capture rates per night per location for Door County Land Trust Natural Areas.

Location	Capture Rate			
	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Total
Lautenbach Woods				
LW_UW (30/night)	10%	10%	10%	10%
LW_LW (30/night)	23%	17%	0%	13%
Monument Point				
MP (25/night)	16%	20%	16%	17%
Pitfall Traps (3 set)			33%	
Bayshore Blufflands				
BB_OF (26/night)	0%	0%	13%*	
Atens-Collins Property				
BB_NE (26/night)	19%	0%	0%	6%
BB_Wet (18/night)	11%	0%	0%^	6%
Pitfall Traps (2 set)			0%	

* New old field location 3rd night with 16 traps set. ^New wetland location 3rd night with 16 traps set.

Trap Tampering

During the first night of trapping none of the traps were molested by mesopredators. During the second night of trapping, three out of six locations experienced obvious tampering, particularly the Niagara Escarpment and the Atens-Collins Wetlands where tampering was severe. During the third night, five of the six locations experienced obvious tampering, with the exception of the relocated Old Field location in Bayshore Blufflands. Table 3 shows the extent of tampering, which affects population modeling and other analyses.

Table 3. Trap Tampering per night per DCLT Natural Area.

	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3
LW_UW	0	3/30	30/30
LW_LW	0	0	18/30
MP	0	0	14/25
BB_OF	0	0	0*
BB_NE	0	26/26	21/26
BB_Wet	0	16/18	12/18*

* Indicates different location 3rd night of trapping.

Mark-Recapture Population Estimate Model

We used the Lincoln-Petersen Index to estimate population (Equation 1) based on two nights of mark-recapture trapping. This is a basic closed model estimate that doesn't account for immigration/emigration and births/deaths and assumes all members of community are equally likely to be captured and are normally distributed (Gotelli and Ellison, 2004).

Equation 1.
$$N = [(m1+1)(n+1)/(m2+1)] - 1$$

N = estimate of total population size

m1 = number of animals marked and released in the first session

n = number of animals captured on the second night

m2 = number of animals recaptured in the second night

Equation 2.
$$\text{St. dev.} = \text{SQRT} \frac{(n1 + 1)(n2 + 1)(n1 - m2)(n2 - m2)}{(m2 + 1)^2 (m2 + 2)}$$

A population estimate (Equation 1) with a 95% confidence interval (Equation 2) was calculated for each site for *Peromyscus* (White-footed Mouse/Deer Mouse) populations as seen in Table 4. Note that the Lautenbach Lowland Woods, according to these estimates had by far the highest density of mice.

Table 4. Lincoln-Petersen Mark-Recapture White-footed/Deer Mouse Population Estimate for DCLT.

	n1	n2	m2	N	SD	95% Lower CI	95% Upper CI
LW_UW	2	3	1	5	1.41	3.59	6.41
LW_LW	5	5	1	17	6.93	10.07	23.93
MP	4	5	3	6.5	0.87	5.63	7.37
BB_OF				no captures			
*BB_NE	4	0	0	4	0	4	4
*BB_Wet	2	0	0	2	0	2	2

* High tampering rate makes this calculation unsuitable.

Species Identification

Deer mice and White-footed mice are difficult to distinguish in the field. Therefore, measurements such as ear length, tail length, hind leg length and weight are recorded to help determine species (Stephens et al., 2014). We recorded all of these parameters except for hind leg length. We were not able to distinguish between the two species for four individuals at Lautenbach Woods, five individuals for Monument Point and three individuals for Bayshore Blufflands. Table 5 shows the range of values for tail length, ear length and weight for White-footed Mice and Deer Mice.

Table 5. Range of three measurements distinguishing features for White-footed Mouse and Deer Mouse

	Tail Length	Ear Length	Weight (g)
White-footed Mouse	56-92	12-17	9-33
Deer Mouse	66-103	16-20	7-27

Wildlife Camera Results

Five wildlife cameras were strategically placed at eight locations in the DCLT natural areas: two locations in Monument Point, five locations on the Aten-Collins property, and one location in the old fields of Bayshore Blufflands (Appendix A). Seven species were captured on camera as shown in Table 6.

Table 6. Wildlife Camera Image Captures

	Eastern Gray Squirrel	Thirteen-lined Ground Squirrel	Raccoon	Porcupine	White-tailed Deer	Opossum	Rodent spp.
Monument Point_WC1*	x						
Monument Point_WC2^	x		x				x
Aten-Collins Easement North			x		x	x	
Aten-Collins Easement South			x	x	x		
Aten-Collins Spring			x				
Aten-Collins Wetland			x		x		
Aten-Collins Trail	x		x		x		
Bayshore Blufflands Old Field		x					

Monument Point WC1 was aimed toward a beech tree shelf baited with bird seed and peanuts. Monument Point WC2 was aimed at a topped tree baited with carnivore pellets and bird seed. Aten-Collins Easement North and South were baited with blood meal and carnivore pellets. Aten-Collins Spring, Wetlands and Trail were not baited. Bayshore Blufflands Old Field was pointed at a small

mammal burrow and baited with mealworms. Wild turkeys (*Meleagris gallopavo*) at the Aten-Collins Easement) and a Great Blue Heron (*Ardea Herodias*) at the Aten-Collins Wetland were also captured on camera.

Data Results Summary

Of the 40 potential mammal species in the Door Peninsula (Kurta, 1995), we observed 11 (28%) during this 3-day survey period (Table 7). All mice and shrews were captured in the Sherman Folding Traps and a Pitfall Trap. The Thirteen-lined Ground Squirrel was observed on a wildlife camera baited with mealworms. Muskrat (Aten-Collins pond), Cottontail Rabbit (road right-of-way) and Striped Skunk (road kill) were casual observations during the course of the survey. Eastern Gray Squirrel, Common Porcupine, Common Raccoon, White-tailed Deer and Virginia Opossum were all observed on wildlife camera.

Table 7. Species Observed during DCLT small mammal surveys (August 8th-11th, 2014)

	Bayshore Blufflands	Monument Point	Lautenbach Woods
White-footed Mouse/Deer Mouse (<i>Peromyscus leucopus/maniculatus</i>)	X	X	X
Short-tailed Shrew (<i>Blarina brevicauda</i>)	X	X	
Thirteen-lined Ground Squirrel (<i>Spermophilis tridecemlineatus</i>)	X (OF)*		
Eastern Gray Squirrel (<i>Sciurus carolinensis</i>)	X	X*	X
Porcupine (<i>Erythizon dorsatum</i>)	X (NE)*		
Common Raccoon (<i>Procyon lotor</i>)	X (NE, Wet)*		X
Eastern Cottontail (<i>Sylvilagus floridanus</i>)	X (Wet)		
White-tailed Deer (<i>Odocoileus virginianus</i>)	X (Wet)*		
Virginia Opossum (<i>Didelphis virginiana</i>)	X (A-C Easement)*		
Striped Skunk (<i>Mephitis mephitis</i>)	X (road kill)		
Muskrat (<i>Ondatra zibethicus</i>)	X (Wet)		

Bayshore Blufflands communities: Old Field (OF); Niagara Escarpment (NE); and, wetlands on Aten-Collins property (Wet). * Seen on wildlife cameras.

[Discussion & Monitoring Recommendations](#)

The recommendations listed here represent a combination of personal experience of the authors and references of the US Forest Service Multi-species Inventory & Monitoring (MSIM) Technical Guide (Manley et al., 2006) and Mammals of the Great Lakes Region (Kurta, 1995).

The main objective of this survey was to provide preliminary presence/absence data to begin to inform land management practices. Considering the importance of long-term data sets and the powerful analyses that could be gleaned from such, we recommend the following:

- 1) Conduct repeated surveys of the areas included in this report to begin a long-term data set to look for population trends. This could start as early as late-June of 2015 (when it is consistently warm enough to safely trap small mammals). Factors such as seasonality, weather, trap bias, bait preference, etc. affects capture rates so multiple surveys at different times of years will help to build a more complete list. Long-term data sets of mammal abundance can help measure the success of changes in the landscaped, particularly species indicative of desired habitats.
- 2) Expand preliminary presence/absence surveys to include additional micro-habitat communities in each of the natural areas as well as additional Land Trust holdings. The highest potential for new species occurs during the first three nights of trapping and a minimum of a three-night trapping period should be conducted in each of these areas to reach an 84% chance of documenting all species present in an area. A fourth night of trapping increases the potential by 2% and is recommended if recording abundance (Manley et al. 2002). These sessions should be run on consecutive nights. If weather or other unforeseen circumstances prevent consecutive trapping nights, surveys should continue on the next available evening. A minimum of 20 Sherman traps (or other small live trap), placed a minimum of 10 meters apart, should be set within each micro-habitat, paired with a minimum of 2 pitfall traps. For future surveys we recommend recording breeding status of males and measuring hind leg length to better differentiate *Peromyscus* species. Larger live traps such as Tomahawk or Havahart could be used in conjunction with the others as certain species (Northern Flying Squirrels) are more inclined to be captured in them.
- 3) We recommend increasing efforts to document areas used by the Northern Flying Squirrel, a Species of Greatest Conservation Need that may be declining due to the aggressiveness of the encroaching Southern Flying Squirrel. Wildlife cameras aimed at nest boxes with feeding platforms (baited with peanuts) could increase the likelihood of detecting flying squirrels. Nest boxes are labor intensive to monitor and construct, but their erection could document a new species and become an extraordinarily popular project with the public. The aggressiveness of the Southern Flying Squirrel is being studied in Wisconsin and a flying squirrel project might also prove popular with scientists.
- 4) For this report we used a variety of small mammal transect types, such as a grid formation (Lautenbach Woods Lowland Woods location and Niagara Escarpment), meandering (Lautenbach Woods Upland Woods, Aten-Collins Wetlands), and straight line (Monument Point and Bayshore Bluffland Old Fields). A 50 m hexagonal transect is recommended by the Iowa

Multi Species Inventory and Monitoring guide for standardizing among protocols (Forest Service, Iowa and California) and covering a larger area (Kinkead, 2006) and should be used in future monitoring if space permits.

- 5) Wildlife cameras provide an excellent way of surveying remotely with minimal effort and can document the widest variety of mammal species. Primary efforts should focus on areas with obvious signs of wildlife (dens, volunteer trails). Carnivore pellets, blood meal, cat food, rabbit and poultry can be used as bait for larger predators (mustelids, canines) and seed and peanuts can be used to attract arboreal rodents (mice, flying squirrels).
- 6) Given the high trap molestation rate in many of these areas, likely by mesopredators (raccoons, skunks), future trapping using Sherman Folding Traps should include a mesopredator enclosure. The Urban Ecology Center has successfully deterred trap molestation for years using a modified plastic shoebox turned upside down and staked to the ground with sturdy stakes to protect the trap. A hole is cut on one end to allow animal entry. Preliminary analyses have found that molestation rates decrease with this method while capture rate is not affected. Additionally, we recommend using less aromatic bait such as good quality bird seed with grain, seed, fruit and nuts mixed with quick oats and freeze-dried mealworms. Peanut butter is less desirable for long-term studies because its aroma is a strong attractant for mesopredators.
- 7) When conducting live-trapping, bait should always be used. Small mammals have very fast metabolisms and need to eat constantly. Some small mammals have to consume their body weight in food every night and a depletion of food can quickly cause stress and hypothermia. Also, bedding should always be provided in traps to provide warmth (and prevent hypothermia). Natural bedding materials are the best option, but cosmetic cotton squares or pads work well as long they are placed in the traps in such a way so as not to hinder trap functionality.
- 8) Pitfall traps are a great way to document a wider variety of small mammals and we recommend installing a minimum of two per habitat, ideally one or two dozen. Shrews, for example, avoid Sherman traps by using echolocation. When installing pitfall traps, we recommend using screw-on lids, particularly in areas with heavy leaf litter and fallen debris, to allow for easy closure between monitoring sessions. These traps should be buried level with the ground and as close to logs as possible (which act as a natural funnel to the trap). All gaps around the edge of the pit traps should be filled with dirt to ensure no diminutive-sized mammals fall through. A sturdy cover should be erected over the traps during trapping sessions to prevent rain from entering the trap and to deter mesopredators from disturbing captured animals. These traps should be baited with a protein source such as live waxworms or mealworms. Shrews are particularly sensitive, stress out easily, and have extremely high metabolisms, so caution should be taken to minimize handling of these mammals if possible.

- 9) Increasing trapping sessions to two per day will allow for captures of both diurnal and nocturnal mammals. If this is done, extreme care should be taken to keep traps out of direct sunlight and to check traps at least every 12 hours.

- 10) Traps should be cleaned with soap and water after every survey session. This prevents the spread of disease between individuals and species and minimizes the spread of zoonotic diseases to humans. Also, urine and dirty traps increase the likelihood of capturing the same species (biasing effort). Many mammalogists also recommend cleaning traps with bleach and a soap solution after every three-day trapping period in areas where *Peromyscus maniculatus* is present to eliminate any possibility of spreading Hantavirus. A combination of diluted bleach and soap should ALWAYS be used to clean traps at the end of the field season. Hantavirus is a very serious and life-threatening pulmonary disease. Any volunteers helping with future surveys should be informed of the seriousness of the disease and be provided with appropriate materials regarding Hantavirus in the field and the likelihood of contracting the disease. Anyone working with small mammals and/or traps should be provided protective gloves and hand sanitizer. Precautionary measures such as minimizing the amount of time spent in close proximity to traps and being wary of wind direction in the field will minimize risk of contraction. Traps should always be handled in well-ventilated areas and hands should always be washed with soap and hot water post-surveys or before ingesting food or drink.

- 11) We strongly recommend engaging community volunteers in sampling efforts, particularly in collaboration with professional researchers. Larger survey crews allow for increased efforts in shorter time periods. Bioblitzes are good ways to attract new volunteers while still gathering important data.

- 12) Regular mammal walks around sunrise and/or sunset will increase the potential for detecting trap-shy and/or crepuscular mammals. This could be a pre-determined route "owned" by volunteers and documented with photographic evidence.

- 13) A database of mammal species can be augmented with Road kill surveys, particularly for species too large or too wary of traps. Identification of road kill "hotspots" serves dual purposes of identifying problem areas and providing background data for future management plans.

- 14) We recommend encouraging local residents and experts to submit their sightings to a shared database, encouraging photographic evidence when possible. If photographic evidence is not possible, we encourage live trapping or strategically placing wildlife cameras.

- 15) If access to a lab is available, hair traps placed in dens or Sherman Traps can increase species detection.

16) We included a very basic population estimate for the *Peromyscus* and it should be noted that this covers only one trapping session during one season. If population estimates are desired for any of the species in this report, we recommend regular surveys over a period of several years. The Jolly-Seber population estimate is a type of open capture-recapture model that accounts for survival, capture probability, population size and immigration and it requires at least three samples to estimate population size. Another more robust model is the Pollock model that combines attributes of both open and closed population models (Gotelli and Ellison, 2004). Other options include site occupancy models (Stephens and Anderson, 2014). Additionally, we recommend contracting with a population biologist and/or an ecological statistician.

Probability of Occurrence in Door County Land Trust Natural Areas

Below we provide information on the potential for the 40 species identified by Kurta (1995) to be observed in the DCLT natural areas. A brief analysis of Stephens & Anderson (2014) provides the probability of occurrence for species in different habitats. We use probabilities of $\geq 40\%$ for twelve small mammal species: Arctic Shrew, Masked Shrew, Pygmy Shrew, Short-tailed Shrew, Eastern Chipmunk, Thirteen-lined Ground Squirrel, Meadow Vole, Meadow Jumping Mouse, Southern Red-backed Vole, White-footed Mouse, Deer Mouse and Southern Bog Lemming. We indicate the Stephens and Anderson (2014) natural areas and provide the equivalent Door County Land Trust habitat. An x indicates a $\geq 40\%$ probability of occurring in that habitat. N/A indicates the animal would have $\leq 40\%$ probability of occurring in that habitat or would not be associated with the habitat. All other species habitat potential is based on Kurta (1995).

Each species falls in one of four categories and is denoted with the following superscript symbols: *Species documented for this report during the 3-day survey period (Aug 9-11). ^Species most likely present, based on previous sightings, commonality and historical records. ®Species that are probable based on historical records and current habitat. ✕Species with historical records that likely have been extirpated.

Table 8. Shrews and Moles

S&A, 2014 Natural Habitat	Equivalent DCLT NA	^Arctic Shrew	^Masked Shrew	✕Pygmy Shrew	*Short-tailed Shrew
Sedge Wetlands	BB_Wet	x	x	n/a	n/a
Shrub Wetlands	BB_Wet	x	x	n/a	n/a
Cedar Swamp	BB_Wet	n/a	x	x	x
Floodplain Forest	LW_LW	n/a	x	x	x
Northern Mesic Forest	LW_UW, MP	n/a	n/a	n/a	x
Dry Prairie	BB_Old Fields	n/a	x	x	n/a

Based on $\geq 40\%$ probability of occupancy from Stephens & Anderson (2014)

The ✕star-nosed mole is likely extirpated from Door County, but prefers the borders of swamps, lakes, streams, and isolated areas of poor drainage.

Table 9a. Squirrels, Beavers, Mice, Porcupines

S&A, 2014 Natural Habitat	Equivalent DCLT NA	^Eastern Chipmunk	*Thirteen-lined Ground Squirrel
Sedge Wetlands	BB_Wet	n/a	n/a
Shrub Wetlands	BB_Wet	n/a	n/a
Cedar Swamp	BB_Wet	n/a	n/a
Floodplain Forest	LW_LW	n/a	n/a
Northern Mesic Forest	LW_UW, MP	n/a	n/a
Dry Prairie	BB_Old Fields	n/a	x

Based on >=40% probability of occupancy from Stephens & Anderson (2014)

Table 9b. Squirrels, Beavers, Mice, Porcupines

DCLT NA	^Wood-chuck	*Eastern Gray Squirrel	^Eastern Fox Squirrel	^Red Squirrel	^Northern Flying Squirrel
LW_UW	n/a	x	n/a	x	x
LW_LW	n/a	x	n/a	n/a	n/a
MP	n/a	x	n/a	n/a	x
BB_OF	x	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
BB_NE	n/a	x	n/a	x	x
BB_Wet	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

The Eastern Fox Squirrel prefers edge habitats and urban areas.

Door County Residents of the area have reported observations of Northern Flying Squirrels at residential bird feeders (Joe Henry personal communication). Johnson (1978) also reports observations of this species at Toft Point, near Bailey’s Harbor. WDNR species guidance indicates northern flying squirrels prefer old growth conifer forests; sites such as Lautenbach Woods, Monument Point and portions of the Niagara Escarpment would be ideal places for monitoring. Conservation of the mature conifer forests and cultivation of younger conifers would increase the likelihood of a successful Northern Flying Squirrel population. Live trapping for monitoring purposes requires state licensing and an Endangered Resources review must be completed to verify protocols and personnel qualifications. Tomahawk or Havahart traps are superior to Sherman folding traps due to this species’ size.

Table 9c. Squirrels, Beavers, Mice, Porcupines

Natural Habitat	Equivalent DCLT NA	^Meadow Vole	®Meadow Jumping Mouse	®Southern Red-backed Vole	*White-footed Mouse	*Deer Mouse	®Southern Bog Lemming
Sedge Wetlands	BB_Wet	x	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Shrub Wetlands	BB_Wet	x	x	n/a	x	n/a	n/a
Cedar Swamp	BB_Wet	n/a	x	x	x	x	x
Floodplain							
Forest	LW_LW	x	x	x	x	n/a	n/a
Northern Mesic Forest	LW_UW, MP	n/a	x	n/a	x	x	n/a
Dry Prairie	BB_Old Fields	n/a	x	n/a	x	x	n/a

Based on >=40% probability of occupancy from Stephens & Anderson (2014)

Southern bog lemming was historically found on Washington and Rock Islands, but in general this species is fairly uncommon in Wisconsin (Long, 1990).

Table 9d. Squirrels, Beavers, Mice, Porcupines

	^American Beaver	*Muskrat	*Common Porcupine
LW_UW	n/a	n/a	x
LW_LW	n/a	n/a	n/a
MP	n/a	n/a	n/a
BB_OF	n/a	n/a	n/a
BB_NE	n/a	n/a	x
BB_Wet	x	x	n/a

The House Mouse prefers residential areas and actively cultivated areas.

Table 10. Rabbits, Hares & Opossum

	*Opossum	*Eastern Cottontail	^Snowshoe Hare	®White-tailed Jackrabbit
LW_UW	n/a	n/a	x	n/a
LW_LW	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
MP	n/a	n/a	x	n/a
BB_OF	x	x (with lot brushy cover)	n/a	x grasslands
BB_NE	n/a	n/a	x	n/a
BB_Wet	x	n/a	x (Cedar Bogs)	n/a

Based on >=40% probability of occupancy from Stephens & Anderson (2014)

Table 11. Carnivores

	*Common Raccoon	^Ermine	®Long- tailed Weasel	^Least Weasel	^Mink	^American Badger	*Striped Skunk	^Northern River Otter
LW_UW	x	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	x	n/a
LW_LW	x	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
MP	x	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	x	n/a
BB_OF	x	n/a	x	x	n/a	x	x	n/a
BB_NE	x	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	x	n/a
BB_Wet	x	n/a	n/a	n/a	x	n/a	n/a	n/a

Based on >=40% probability of occupancy from Stephens & Anderson (2014)

Ermine prefer riparian woodlands. Long-tailed weasels prefer forest-field edges and places with brushy cover. The least weasel is a habitat generalist. Minks prefer streams, ponds, and lakes with brushy cover. The northern river otter requires moderately deep water of ponds, lakes and streams.

We did not cover fox, larger cats, wolves, black bear or deer in this report, though their ranges cover Door County.

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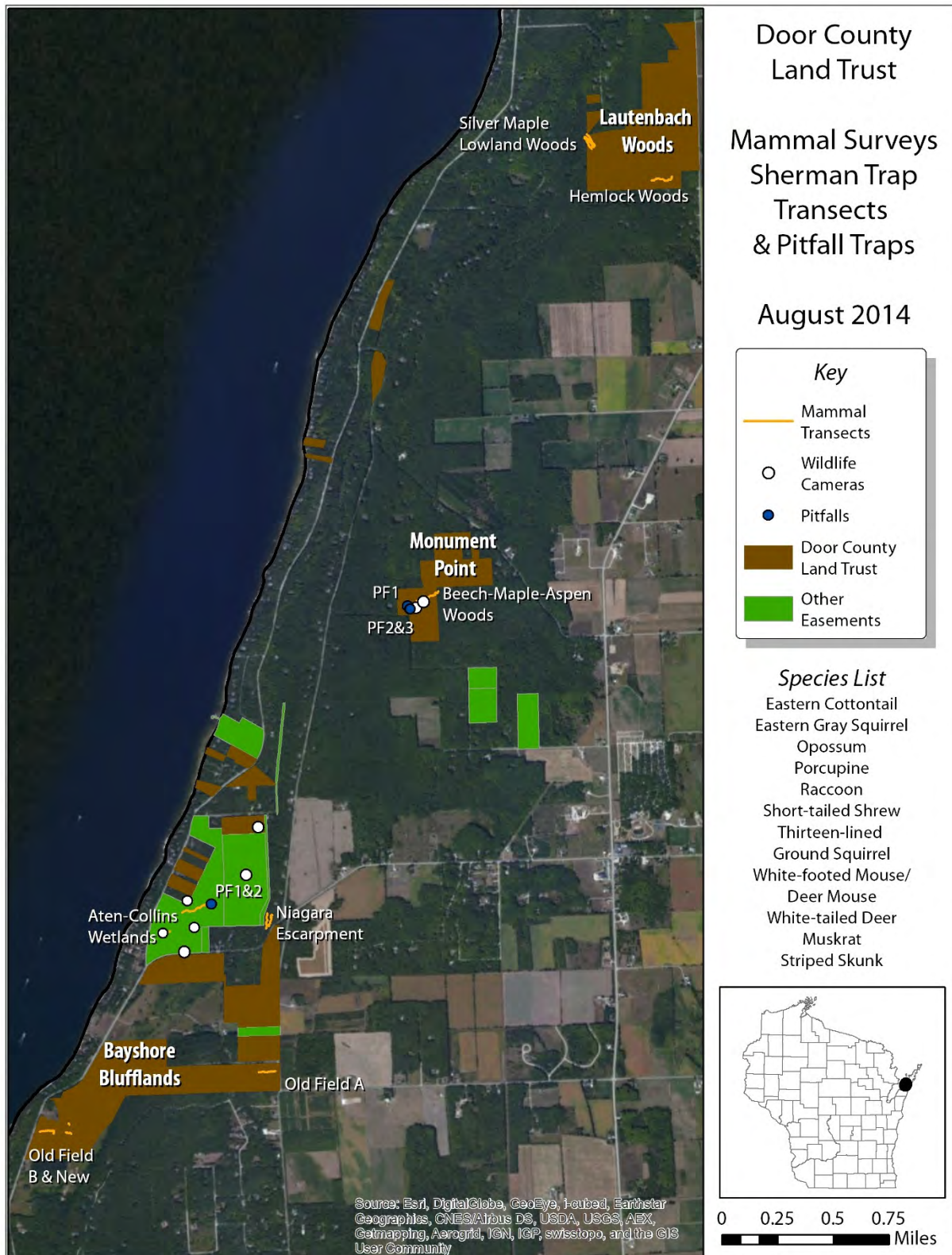
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Appendix A. Map of the Door County Land Trust Small Mammal Surveys (Aug 8-11, 2014).



Weather Data

Location	Day 1		8/9/14		8/10/14		Ear Marking	
	Start Time	Sky	Wind	Temp	Wind	Temp	Night 1	Night 2
Lautenbach Woods_Lowlands	7:15	0	0	62			Night 1	Blue
Lautenbach Woods_Uplands	8:00	0	1	68			Night 2	Orange
Monument Point	9:12	0	1	71			PB	Peanut Butter
Bayshore Blufflands_Old Field A	10:25	0	1	75			BS	Bird Seed
Bayshore Blufflands_Old Field B	10:00	0	1	73				
Niagra Escarpment	10:45	0	1	75				
Aten Wetlands	11:29	0	2	75			<u>WIND</u>	
Average		0	1	71			0	Less than 1 km/h; calm; smoke rises vertically
Location	Day 2:	8/10/14					1	1-5 km/h (1-3 m/h); smoke drift shows wind direction
	Time	Sky	Wind	Air Temp			2	6-11 km/h (4-7 m/h); leaves rustle, wind is felt on face
Lautenbach Woods_Lowlands	6:50	0	0	63			3	12-19 km/h (8-12 m/h); leaves, small twigs in constant motion; light flag extend
Lautenbach Woods_Uplands	7:40	0	0	66			4	20-28 km/h (13-18 m/h); raises dust, leaves, loose paper; small branches in motion
Monument Point	8:16	0	0	66			5	23-38 km/h (19-24 m/h); small trees in leaf sway
Bayshore Blufflands_Old Field A	8:57	0	1	70			6	39-49 km/h (25-31 m/h); larger branches in motion; whistling heard in wires
Bayshore Blufflands_Old Field B	9:10	0	1	70			7	50-61 km/h (32-38 m/h); whole trees in motion; resistance felt walking against trees
Niagra Escarpment	9:32	0	1	72			8	62-74 km/h (39-46 m/h); twigs, small branches broken off trees; walking generally difficult
Aten Wetlands	9:53	0	0	72			9	Greater than 75 km/h (47 m/h) Why are you still surveying?!
Average		0	0	68				
Location	Day 3:	8/11/14					<u>SKY CODE</u>	
	Time	Sky	Wind	Temp			0	Clear; 0-15% cloud cover
Lautenbach Woods_Lowlands	6:37	2	0	64			1	Partly cloudy; 16-50% cover
Lautenbach Woods_Uplands	7:15	3	0	66			2	Mostly cloudy; 51-75% cover
Monument Point	7:58	2	0	70			3	Overcast; 76-100% cover
Bayshore Blufflands Old Field	9:10	2	1	72			4	Wind-driven sand, dust; snow
Niagra Escarpment	8:46	2	1	72			5	Fog or haze
Aten Wetlands New	9:38	2	2	72			6	Drizzle
Average		2	1	69			7	Rain
							8	Snow
							9	Thunderstorm; with or without precipitation

Bay Shore Blufflands

Location	Door County Land Trust: Bayshore Bluff															
Bait	PB & Bird seed															
Observers	J. Callaghan and D. Loedding (processors); T. Vargo & D. Collins (check traps); A. Reis (Data recorder)															
Day	Old Field B		Total Time		Old Field A		Total Time		Niagra Escarpment (NE)		Total Time & Aten_Wet & Aten_BW		Total Time			
Day 1	Start Time:	10:00 AM	0:15:00	Start Time:	10:25 AM	0:10:00	Start Time:	10:45 AM	0:29:00	Start Time:	11:29 AM	0:23:00				
Day 1	Stop Time:	10:15 AM		Stop Time:	10:35 AM		Stop Time:	11:14 AM		Stop Time:	11:52 AM					
Day	Old Field B		Total Time		Old Field A		Total Time		Niagra Escarpment (NE)		Total Time & Aten_Wet & Aten_BW		Total Time			
Day 2	Start Time:	9:10	9m	Start Time:	8:57	6m	Start Time:	9:32	10m	Start Time:	9:53	12m				
Day 2	Stop Time:	9:19		Stop Time:	9:03		Stop Time:	9:42		Stop Time:	10:05					
Day	New Old Field		Total Time		Niagra Escarpment (NE)		Total Time		Aten Wetlands (Aten_Wet & Aten_BW)		Total Time					
Day 3	Start Time:	9:10	15m	Start Time:	8:46	13m	Start Time:	9:38	7m	Start Time:	9:38	7m				
Day 3	Stop Time:	9:25		Stop Time:	8:59		Stop Time:	9:45		Stop Time:	9:45					
Station	Trap Night	Species	Sex	Age	Marked	Habitat	Recap	Weight (g)	Trap Condition	Bait	Tampered	Notes	Pregn ant	Tail Length (mm)	Ear Length (mm)	Picture Num
BB_OFB_1	1								OWB	PB						
BB_OFB_2	1								OWB	BS						
BB_OFB_3	1								OWB	PB						
BB_OFB_4	1								OWB	BS						
BB_OFB_5	1								OWB	PB		chewed				
BB_OFB_6	1								OWB	BS						
BB_OFB_7	1								OWB	PB						
BB_OFB_8	1								OWB	BS						
BB_OFB_9	1								OWB	PB						
BB_OFB_10	1								OWB	BS						
BB_OFB_11	1								OWB	PB						
BB_OFB_12	1								OWB	BS						
BB_OFB_13	1								OWB	PB						
BB_OFA_1	1								OWB	BS		earwigs				

Bay Shore Blufflands

BB_OFA_2	1									OWB	PB								
BB_OFA_3	1									OWB	BS								
BB_OFA_4	1									OWB	PB								
BB_OFA_5	1									OWB	BS								
BB_OFA_6	1									OWB	PB								
BB_OFA_7	1									OWB	BS								
BB_OFA_8	1									OWB	PB								
BB_OFA_9	1									OWB	BS								
BB_OFA_10	1									OWB	PB								
BB_OFA_11	1									OWB	BS								
BB_OFA_12	1									OWB	PB								
BB_OFA_13	1									OWB	BS								
NE1	1	Blarina br	F	A		Tail		Cedar-† No		14	CWB	PB	Yes	24			1757-17		
NE2	1									OWB	BS								
NE3	1									OWB	BS	scat							
NE4	1									CWB	PB								
NE5	1									OWB	BS								
NE6	1									OWB	PB								
NE7	1	Peromysc	F	A		Right Ear		Cedar-† No		29	CWB	BS	Yes	76			15	1759.jpg	
NE8	1									OWB	PB								
NE9	1									OWB	BS								
NE10	1									OWB	PB								
NE11	1									OWB	BS								
NE12	1	Peromysc	M	SA		Unknown		Cedar-† No		19	CWB	PB					15	1760.jpg	
NE13	1	Peromysc	M	A		Left Ear		Cedar-† No		22	CWB	PB					13	1761.jpg	
NE14	1									CWB	PB								
NE15	1									CWB	BS								
NE16	1									ONB	PB								
NE17	1									OWB	BS								
NE18	1									ONB	PB								
NE19	1	Peromysc	M	A		Left Ear		Cedar-† No		23	CWB	BS					17	1763.jpg	
NE20	1									CNB	U								
NE21	1									CWB	PB								
NE22	1									CNB	BS								
NE23	1									CNB	PB								
NE24	1									CWB	BS								
NE25	1									CWB	PB								
NE26	1									CNB	PB								
Aten_Wet_1	1									OWB	PB								
Aten_Wet_2	1									OWB	BS								

Aten_Wet_3	1									OWB	PB								
Aten_Wet_4	1									OWB	BS								
Aten_Wet_5	1	Peromysc M	SA		Left Ear	Cedar SNo				16	CWB	PB	83						16 1764.jpg
Aten_BW_6	1									CNB	BS								
Aten_BW_7	1									CNB	PB								
Aten_BW_8	1									CNB	BS								
Aten_BW_9	1									CNB	PB								
Aten_BW_10	1									CWB	BS								
Aten_BW_11	1									ONB	PB								
Aten_BW_12	1									ONB	BS								
Aten_BW_13	1									ONB	PB								
Aten_BW_14	1									ONB	BS								
Aten_BW_15	1									CNB	BS								
Aten_BW_16	1									CWB	PB								
Aten_BW_17	1									Lost	U								
Aten_BW_18	1	Peromysc F	A		Right Ear	Ash-SecNo				21	CWB	BS	Yes	76					16 1765.jpg
BB_OFB_1	2									OWB	PB								
BB_OFB_2	2									OWB	BS								
BB_OFB_3	2									OWB	PB								
BB_OFB_4	2									OWB	BS								
BB_OFB_5	2									OWB	PB								
BB_OFB_6	2									OWB	BS								
BB_OFB_7	2									OWB	PB								
BB_OFB_8	2									OWB	BS								
BB_OFB_9	2									OWB	PB								
BB_OFB_10	2									OWB	BS								
BB_OFB_11	2									OWB	PB								
BB_OFB_12	2									OWB	BS								
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BB_OFA_2	2									OWB	BS								
BB_OFA_3	2									OWB	PB								
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BB_OFA_7	2									OWB	PB								
BB_OFA_8	2									OWB	BS								
BB_OFA_9	2									OWB	PB								
BB_OFA_10	2									ONB	BS								
BB_OFA_11	2									OWB	PB								

BB_OFA_12	2								OWB	BS											
BB_OFA_13	2								OWB	PB											
NE1	2								CWB	PB	Yes										
NE2	2								CNB	BS	Yes	mouse scat									
NE3	2								CNB	PB	Yes	scat									
NE4	2								CNB	BS	Yes	scat on top									
NE5	2								CNB	PB	Yes										
NE6	2								CWB	BS	Yes										
NE7	2								CWB	PB	Yes										
NE8	2								CNB	BS	Yes										
NE9	2								CWB	PB	Yes										
NE10	2								OWB	BS	Yes										
NE11	2								CWB	PB	Yes										
NE12	2								CWB	BS	Yes	scat									
NE13	2								OWB	PB	Yes	scat									
NE14	2								CWB	BS	Yes										
NE15	2								CNB	PB	Yes										
NE16	2								CNB	BS	Yes										
NE17	2								CWB	PB	Yes	scat									
NE18	2								CWB	BS	Yes										
NE19	2								CWB	PB	Yes										
NE20	2								CNB	BS	Yes										
NE21	2								CNB	PB	Yes										
NE22	2								CWB	BS	Yes										
NE23	2								ONB	PB	Yes										
NE24	2								CWB	BS	Yes										
NE25	2								CNB	PB	Yes										
NE26	2								OWB	BS	Yes										
Aten_Wet_1	2								CNB	PB	Yes										
Aten_Wet_2	2								CNB	BS	Yes	stick jammed in trap									
Aten_Wet_3	2								CNB	PB	Yes										
Aten_Wet_4	2								CNB	BS	Yes										
Aten_Wet_5	2								CNB	PB	Yes										
Aten_BW_6	2								OWB	BS	Yes										
Aten_BW_7	2								CNB	PB	Yes										
Aten_BW_8	2								CNB	BS	Yes										
Aten_BW_9	2								CWB	BS	Yes										
Aten_BW_10	2								ONB	PB	Yes										
Aten_BW_11	2								CNB	BS	Yes										
Aten_BW_12	2								ONB	PB	Yes										
	2								CNB	BS	Yes										

Aten_BW_13	2									ONB	PB	Yes			
Aten_BW_14	2									CWB	BS	Yes			
Aten_BW_15	2									CNB	PB	Yes			
Aten_BW_16	2									Lost	BS				
Aten_BW_17	2									ONB	PB	Yes			
Aten_BW_18	2									CWB	BS				
BB_OFNEW_1A	1									OWB	BS				
BB_OFNEW_1B	1									OWB	PB				
BB_OFNEW_2A	1									OWB	BS				
BB_OFNEW_2B	1									OWB	PB				
BB_OFNEW_3A	1									OWB	BS				
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BB_OFNEW_6B	1									OWB	PB				
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NE1	3									ONB	BS				
NE2	3									ONB	BS	Yes			
NE3	3									CWB	BS	Yes			
NE4	3									CWB	BS	Yes			
NE5	3									CWB	BS				
NE6	3									OWB	BS	Yes			
NE7	3									OWB	BS				
NE8	3									ONB	BS	Yes			
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NE10	3									CWB	BS	Yes			
NE11	3									CNB	BS	Yes			
NE12	3									CNB	BS	Yes			
NE13	3									OWB	BS			Scat	
NE14	3									CNB	BS	Yes			
NE15	3									CWB	BS	Yes			
NE16	3									CWB	BS	Yes			
NE17	3									CWB	BS	Yes			
NE18	3									CNB	BS	Yes			

Location	Door County Land Trust: Lautenbach Woods																	
Bait	Peanut Butter and Bird Seed																	
Observers	J. Callaghan and D. Loedding (processors); T. Vargo & D. Collins (check traps); A. Reis (Data recorder) transition zone																	
Day 1	Lowland Woods	Total Time	Upland Woods	Total Time														
Start Time:	7:15		8:36		1h 21m includes walking time from LW to UW													
Stop Time:																		
Day 2	Lowland Woods	Total Time	Upland Woods	Total Time														
Start Time:	6:50		7:40		18m													
Stop Time:	7:21		7:58															
Day 3	Lowland Woods	Total Time	Upland Woods	Total Time														
Start Time:	6:37		7:15		18m													
Stop Time:	6:55		7:33															
Station	Trap Night	Species	Sex	Age	Marked	Habitat	Recap	Wt (g)	Trap Condition	Bait	Tampered	Notes	Pregnant	Tail Length (mm)	Ear Length (mm)	Picture Num	Range WFM	Range DM
LW_LW_N1	1								ONB	BS								
LW_LW_N2	1								ONB	BS		larger scat						
LW_LW_N3	1								CNB	BS								
LW_LW_N4	1								CNB	BS								
LW_LW_N5	1								OWB	BS								
LW_LW_N6	1								OWB	BS								
LW_LW_N7	1								OWB	BS						1736-1		
LW_LW_N8	1	Peromyscus	F	A	No	Silver Maple Swamp	No	26	CWB	BS			Yes	74	14	737.jpg	WFM	
LW_LW_N9	1	Peromyscus	M	A	No	Silver Maple Swamp	No	21	CWB	BS				75	15	740.jpg	WFM	
LW_LW_N10	1								OWB	BS								
LW_LW_M1	1	Peromyscus	F	A	L	ear	No	30	CWB	PB			Yes	79	18	1744.jp		
LW_LW_M2	1								OWB	PB								
LW_LW_M3	1								OWB	PB								
LW_LW_M4	1								CWB	PB								
LW_LW_M5	1	Peromyscus	U	A	R	ear	No	19	CWB	PB		bot fly	No	64	14	1743.jp	WFM	
LW_LW_M6	1	Peromyscus	F	A	L	ear	No	22	CWB	PB			Yes	70	13	1742.jp	WFM	

LW_LW_M7	1	Peromyscus F	A	R ear	Silver Maple Swamp	No	18	CWB	PB					1741.jp	14 g	WFM
LW_LW_M8	1							OWB	PB	scat						
LW_LW_M9	1							OWB	PB							
LW_LW_M10	1							OWB	PB							
LW_LW_S1	1							OWB	PB							
LW_LW_S2	1	Peromyscus F	A	L ear	Silver Maple Swamp	No	23	CWB	BS		Yes			1745.jp	15 g	WFM
LW_LW_S3	1							OWB	PB							
LW_LW_S4	1							CWB	BS							
LW_LW_S5	1							OWB	PB							
LW_LW_S6	1							ONB	BS							
LW_LW_S7	1							OWB	PB							
LW_LW_S8	1							OWB	BS							
LW_LW_S9	1							OWB	PB							
LW_LW_S10	1							OWB	BS	scat						
LW_UW_1A	1	Peromyscus M	A	L ear	Beech-Hemlock	No	21	CWB	PB		No			1746-4	13 8.jpg	WFM
LW_UW_1B	1	Peromyscus F	A	L ear	Beech-Hemlock	No	22	CWB	BS	scat	Yes			1749.jp	15 g	WFM
LW_UW_2A	1							OWB	PB							
LW_UW_2B	1							OWB	BS							
LW_UW_3A	1							OWB	PB							
LW_UW_3B	1							OWB	BS							
LW_UW_4A	1							OWB	PB							
LW_UW_4B	1							CWB	BS							
LW_UW_5A	1							OWB	PB							
LW_UW_5B	1							OWB	BS							
LW_UW_6A	1							OWB	PB							
LW_UW_6B	1							OWB	BS							
LW_UW_7A	1							OWB	PB							
LW_UW_7B	1							OWB	BS							
LW_UW_8A	1							OWB	PB							
LW_UW_8B	1							OWB	BS							
LW_UW_9A	1							OWB	PB							
LW_UW_9B	1							OWB	BS							
LW_UW_10A	1							OWB	PB							
LW_UW_10B	1							OWB	BS							
LW_UW_11A	1							OWB	PB							
LW_UW_11B	1							OWB	BS							
LW_UW_12A	1							OWB	PB							
LW_UW_12B	1							OWB	BS							

LW_UW_1B	2	Peromyscus	F	A	R ear	Beech-Hemlock	D1	20	CWB	PB			Yes	73	1771.jp 17 g	WFM	DM
LW_UW_2A	2								OWB	BS							
LW_UW_2B	2								OWB	PB							
LW_UW_3A	2								CWB	BS							
LW_UW_3B	2								OWB	PB							
LW_UW_4A	2								OWB	BS							
LW_UW_4B	2								OWB	PB							
LW_UW_5A	2								OWB	BS							
LW_UW_5B	2								CWB	PB							
LW_UW_6A	2								ONB	BS							
LW_UW_6B	2								OWB	PB							
LW_UW_7A	2								CWB	BS							
LW_UW_7B	2								CWB	PB							
LW_UW_8A	2								OWB	BS							
LW_UW_8B	2								CNB	PB							
LW_UW_9A	2								OWB	BS							
LW_UW_9B	2								OWB	PB							
LW_UW_10A	2								OWB	BS							
LW_UW_10B	2								OWB	PB							
LW_UW_11A	2								OWB	BS							
LW_UW_11B	2	Peromyscus	F	SA	L ear	Maple Sugar-Aspen	v No	17	CWB	PB				73	1772.jp 16 g	WFM	DM
LW_UW_12A	2								OWB	BS							
LW_UW_12B	2								OWB	PB							
LW_UW_13A	2	Peromyscus	F	A	L ear	Maple Sugar-Aspen	v No	25	CWB	BS			Yes	73	1773.jp 15 g	WFM	
LW_UW_13B	2								OWB	PB							
LW_UW_14A	2								OWB	BS							
LW_UW_14B	2								OWB	PB							
LW_UW_15A	2								CWB	BS		scat & nest					
LW_UW_15B	2								OWB	PB							
LW_LW_N1	3								CNB	PB	Yes						
LW_LW_N2	3								CNB	PB	Yes	slug					
LW_LW_N3	3								CNB	PB	Yes						
LW_LW_N4	3								CNB	PB	Yes						
LW_LW_N5	3								CWB	PB	Yes						
LW_LW_N6	3								CNB	PB	Yes						
LW_LW_N7	3								CNB	PB	Yes						
LW_LW_N8	3								CNB	PB	Yes						
LW_LW_N9	3								CNB	PB	Yes						

	Eastern Gray Squirrel	Thirteen-lined Ground Squirrel	Raccoon	Porcupine	White-tailed Deer	Opposum	Rodent sp.
Monument Point_WC1*							
Monument Point_WC2^	x		x				x
Aten-Collins Easement North			x		x		
Aten-Collins Easement South			x		x		
Aten-Collins Spring			x				
Aten-Collins Wetland			x		x		
Aten-Collins Trail	x		x		x		
Bayshore Blufflands Old Field		x					
*(beech tree shelf with bird seed and peanut butter)							
^(topped tree with carnivore pellets and bird seed)							

Conservation Master Plan for Bay Shore Blufflands State Natural Area

December 2014

Draft Plant Species List 2014, Dan Collins and Nancy Aten



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Period:	Field observations 2001 through 2014
Location:	Door County, Wisconsin, USA, Bayshore Blufflands (southern unit), SNA #377, Includes parts of T28N-R26E, Sections 5 and 6, and parts of T29N-R26E, Sections 29, 31, 32. Location town and range may need to add Standish easment tracts and others
Area:	Approximately 500 acres, 1236 hectares
Last update:	26-Dec-2014
Key use on species list:	
NA	Nancy Aten
PM	Paul Mahlberg
MS	Mary Standish
A-C	Aten-Collins Tracts, 120 acres
BB	Bayshore Bluffland DCLT, Standish tracts
	Green highlighted items need verification
Notes:	FQA values (mean C and FQI) for a site must be considered in relation to other sites within the same region. As this method becomes more widely used and the range of FQA values for a given region becomes known, future site values will be more meaningful. In order to develop a database of site values across the state, we encourage users of the WFQA methodology to share their results with us and the Wisconsin DNR via a reporting page that will be developed for this website. A computer program to apply the Wisconsin Floristic Quality Assessment method is currently under development by the Wisconsin DNR. A reporting page for collecting WFQA results is also being developed. These will both be accessible from the WIS-DNR's website in the future.

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<i>Abies balsamea</i> (L.) Mill.	Balsam fir	5	NA, PM	A-C, BB			
<i>Acer negundo</i> L.	Boxelder	0	NA	A-C, BB			
<i>Acer rubra</i>	Red Maple	5	DC	BB	Upper BB trail, s. edge		
<i>Acer saccharinum</i> L.	Silver Maple	2	bb wiki	BB			
<i>Acer saccharum</i> Marshall var. <i>saccharum</i>	Sugar maple	5	NA, PM	A-C, BB		Sugar maple	2010October10DoorCounty#5532 035737709300178
<i>Acer spicatum</i> Lam.	Mountain Maple	6	NA	A-C			
<i>Actaea pachypoda</i> Elliott	White baneberry	6	NA	A-C			
<i>Actaea rubra</i>	Red baneberry	7	NA	A-C			
<i>Adiantum pedatum</i> L.	Maidenhair fern	7	NA	A-C		Maidenhair fern	2010May31DoorCounty#5477582 810761902066
<i>Adlumia fungosa</i> (Aiton) Greene ex Britton, Sterns & Poggenb.	Climbing fumitory	7	NA	A-C		Climbing fumitory	2010November16DoorCounty#55 42836452703214498
<i>Alopecurus aequalis</i>	Short-awn foxtail	6	NA	A-C	e. end eph, n. of new bw		
<i>Allium tricoccum</i> Sol.	Wild leek	6	NA, DC	A-C		Wild leek	
<i>Alnus incana</i> (L.) Moench subsp. <i>rugosa</i> (Du Roi) R.T.Clausen	Swamp alder	4	PM	A-C	Speckled Alder per pm		
<i>Amelanchier laevis</i> Wiegand	Amelanchier	6	NA	A-C		4-Jul-10	
<i>Amphicarpaea bracteata</i>	Hog peanut	5	PM, DC	A-C			
<i>Anemone acutiloba</i> (DC.) G.Lawson	Sharp-lobed hepatica	7	NA, DC	A-C, BB		Sharp-lobed hepatica	
<i>Anemone canadensis</i> L.	Canada anemone	4	NA	A-C			
<i>Anemone cylindrica</i>	Thimbleweed	6	DC	BB	south boundary trail		
<i>Anemone quinquefolia</i> L. var. <i>quinquefolia</i>	Wood anemone	6	MS			Wood anemone	
<i>Anemone virginiana</i>	Tall Thimbleweed	5	DC	A-C	d'way, removed A. cylindrica		
<i>Apocynum androsaemifolium</i> L.	Dogbane	5	NA				
<i>Aquilegia canadensis</i> L.	Columbine	5	NA	A-C		Columbine	2010May31DoorCounty#5477574 256110308610
<i>Aralia nudicaulis</i> L.	Wild sarsaparilla	6	NA, PM	A-C		Wild sarsaparilla	2010May24DoorCounty#5476331 761192536274
<i>Aralia racemosa</i>	Spikenard	7	NA	A-C		Spikenard	2002JulySeptemberDoorCounty# 5484705288658156994
<i>Arisaema triphyllum</i> (L.) Schott subsp. <i>triphyllum</i>	Jack-in-the-pulpit	5	NA	A-C			
<i>Asclepias incarnata</i>	Swamp Milkweed	5	NA	A-C	300' e. of b'shore at t'pole		pic exists
<i>Asclepias exaltata</i>	Poke milkweed	7				7-Aug-13 4-Jul-10	
<i>Asclepias syriaca</i> L.	Common milkweed	1	NA	A-C		Walking fern	
<i>Asplenium rhizophyllum</i> L.	Walking fern	10	NA, other			Walking fern	2010November16DoorCounty#55 42836449407101586
<i>Aster boreale</i>	Northern bog aster	10	NA	A-C	far side Myst bridge	6-Sep-11	
<i>Aster cordifolius</i>	Common blue wood aster	6	NA	A-C	Maybe a. ciliolatus, a. cordifolius not known in D.C.		
<i>Aster drummondii</i>	Drummond's aster	4	NA	A-C	Above Escarpment at C'ville & Ledge Rd	photo 11/8/2012	
<i>Aster lateriflorus</i> (L.) Britton	Goblet aster	3					
<i>Aster macrophyllum</i> L.	Largeleaf aster	4	NA, PM	A-C		Largeleaf aster	2003September06DoorCounty#5 484708013717192402
<i>Aster novae-angliae</i>	New England aster	3	DC				
<i>Athyrium filix-femina</i> (L.) Roth ex Mert. var. <i>angustum</i> (Willd.) G.Lawson	Lady Fern	5	NA	A-C			
<i>Bidens frondosus</i>		1	NA	A-C	walk toward myst bridge	9/6/2011 photo	
<i>Bidens connatus</i>		6	NA	A-C	walk toward myst bridge	9/6/2011 photo	

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<i>Bidens cernuus</i>	Nodding burr-marigold	4	NA	A-C	walk toward myst bridge	9/6/2011 photo	
<i>Betula papyrifera</i> Marshall	Paper Birch	3	NA	A-C			
<i>Bolboschoenus fluviatilis</i> (Torr.) Soják	River bulrush	6			Herb. Specimen	River bulrush	2010August28DoorCounty#55510 904365917101522
<i>Botrychium virginianum</i> (L.) Sw.	Rattlesnake fern	6	NA, PM	A-C		Rattlesnake fern	
<i>Bouteiouda curtispindula</i>	Side oats grama	6					
<i>Calamagrostis canadensis</i> (Michx.) P.Beauv.	Blue joint grass	5	DC				
<i>Caltha palustris</i> L.	Marsh marigold	6	NA	A-C		Marsh marigold	
<i>Campanula aparinnoides</i>	Marsh bellflower	7	NA			22-Jul-07	
<i>Cardamine bulbosa</i>	Spring cress	6			Needs verification		
<i>Carex aquatilis</i> Wahlenb. var. <i>aquatilis</i>	Water sedge	7	DC	A-C	Herb. Specimen		
<i>Carex arcta</i> Boott	Bear sedge	8	MS	A-C	MS Notebook as arietinum companion with ? On 4/30/01		
<i>Carex aurea</i> Nutt.	elk sedge, golden fruited sedge	5	NA	A-C	Herb. Specimen		
<i>Carex comosa</i> Boott	Bristly sedge	5	DC	A-C	Herb. Specimen		
<i>Carex cryptolepis</i>	small yellow sedge	8	JK	A-C	Herb. Specimen	s. myst bridge	
<i>Carex bebbii</i>	Bebb's Sedge	4					
<i>Carex blanda</i> Dewey	Wood sedge	3	NA	A-C			
<i>Carex cephalophora</i>	Short-headed sedge	4	DC	A-C	Herb. Specimen		
<i>Carex deweyana</i> Schwein. var. <i>deweyana</i>	Dewey's sedge	7	DC	A-C	Herb. Specimen		
<i>Carex disperma</i>		10	DC, NA	A-C	Herb. Specimen, high tuft / log pile in eph.		
<i>Carex diandra</i>	check this specimen	9	DC	A-C	Herb. Spec. w. edge pond, forming tussock		
<i>Carex eburnea</i> Boott	Bristle-leaf sedge	8	NA, PM	A-C			
<i>Carex gracillima</i>	Graceful Sedge	5	NA	A-C	Herb. Specimen, e. of old board walk		
<i>Carex granularis</i>	limestone meadow sedge	3	DC	A-C	Herb. Specimen		
<i>Carex hirtifolia</i>		5	DC				
<i>Carex hystericina</i>	Porcupine sedge	3	DC	A-C	Herb. Specimen		
<i>Carex interior</i>	Interior Sedge	7	DC	A-C	Herb. Spec. front pond s.		
<i>Carex intumescens</i>	Shining Bur sedge	5	DC	A-C	Herb. Specimen, e. of old board walk		
<i>Carex lacustris</i>	Common lake sedge	6	DC		e. of Bay Shore	Common lake sedge	
<i>Carex lasiocarpa</i> Ehrh. subsp. <i>americana</i> (Fernald) D.Löve & Bernard		9	NA	A-C	Herb. Specimen		
<i>Carex lupulina</i>	Penn sedge	6	DC	A-C	checking with Anton		
<i>Carex pensylvanica</i> Lam.	cypress-like sedge	3	NA	A-C	Herb. Spec.		
<i>Carex pseudocyperus</i>	Common Fox sedge	8	DC	A-C	Herb Spec, trail behind lodge		
<i>Carex stipata</i>	Tussock sedge	2	DC	A-C	Herb. Specimen		
<i>Carex stricta</i>	Marsh straw sedge	7	NA	A-C	Herb. Specimen		
<i>Carex tenara</i>	Early oak sedge	4	DC	A-C	Herb. Specimen		
<i>Carex umbellata</i>	Fox sedge	6	DC	A-C	Herb. Specimen		
<i>Carex vulpinoidea</i> Michx.	Muscle wood, Blue beech	2	DC	A-C	Herb. Specimen		
<i>Carpinus caroliniana</i> Walter subsp. <i>virginiana</i> (Marshall) Furlow		6			esc. at curve in W. Carlsville Rd.		
<i>Ceanothus americanus</i>	New Jersey Tea	9	NA	A-C			

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<i>Celastrus scandens</i> L.	Bittersweet	3				Bittersweet	2010October10DoorCounty#5532 036082265794258
<i>Chelone glabra</i>	Turtlehead	7	DC			Turtlehead	2010September12DoorCounty#5 516602271340000434
<i>Circaea alpina</i> L. subsp. <i>alpina</i>	Alpine Enchanter's Nightshade	7	NA, PM	A-C			
<i>Circaea luteiflora</i> L. subsp. <i>canadensis</i> (L.) Asch. & Magnus	Enchanter's Nightshade	2	PM	A-C			
<i>Clinopodium vulgare</i>	Wild Basil	3	DC	A-C	d'way		
<i>Clintonia borealis</i> (Aiton) Raf.	Blue-bead-lily	7	PM		Upland 1/4 m. e. of lost creek		
<i>Comandra umbellata</i> (L.) Nutt. subsp. <i>umbellata</i>	Bastard-toadflax	6	NA, MS	A-C		Bastard-toadflax	2009May26DoorCounty#5476361 430614809906
<i>Comarum palustre</i> L.	marsh cinquefoil	8					
<i>Conyza canadensis</i> (L.) Cronquist var. <i>canadensis</i>	Fieabane	0			Needs verification	16-Jul-10	
<i>Coptis trifolia</i> (L.) Salisb.	Goldthread	8	NA	A-C			
<i>Corallorhiza maculata</i> (Raf.) Raf.	Spotted coralroot	7	MS				
<i>Corallorhiza striata</i> Lindl. var. <i>striata</i>	Striped coralroot	9	MS	White C.	F per MS 2001 notes "across (White) Cedar from Brooks"	25-May-02	
<i>Corallorhiza trifida</i> Châtel.	Early coralroot	7	MS, DC	White C.	F per MS notes 5/28/01 on Standish		
<i>Cornus alternifolia</i> L.f.	Alternate-leaved dogwood	7					
<i>Cornus amomum</i> Mill. var. <i>schuetzeana</i> (C.A.Mey.) Rickett	Silky dogwood	4					
<i>Cornus canadensis</i> L.	Bunch berry	7	PM	A-C		Bunch berry	2010May31DoorCounty#5477579 458908937010
<i>Cornus racemosa</i> Lam.	Gray dogwood	2					
<i>Cornus rugosa</i>	Round-leaved dogwood	7	NA	A-C		10-Oct-10	
<i>Cornus stolonifera</i> Michx.	Red osier dogwood	3	NA	A-C			
<i>Corylus americana</i> Walter	American Hazelnut	5	PM	A-C			
<i>Crataegus</i> L.	Hawthorn sp.	2	NA		3 spp per Aten		
<i>Cryptotaenia canadensis</i> (L.) DC.	Canadian Honewort	4	NA	A-C		7/2/11	
<i>Cynoglossum boreale</i> Fernald	Northern wild comfrey	8	NA, PM	A-C			
<i>Cypripedium arietinum</i> R.Br.	Ram's Head Lady-slipper	10	NA, PM	undiscl sed		Ram's Head Lady-slipper	2009May26DoorCounty#5476365 236266188082
<i>Cypripedium parviflorum</i> Salisb. var. <i>makasin</i> (Farw.) Sheviak	Small yellow lady-slipper	9	DC	undiscl sed			
<i>Cypripedium parviflorum</i> Salisb. var. <i>pubescens</i> (Willd.) O.W.Knight	Large yellow lady-slipper	9	PM	undiscl sed		Large yellow lady-slipper	2009May26DoorCounty#5476364 064228959890
<i>Cystopteris bulbifera</i> (L.) Bernh.	Bulblet fern	8	NA, PM	A-C		Bulblet fern	2010May24DoorCounty#5476331 763264109506
<i>Deschampsia cespitosa</i>	tufted hair grass	10	NA	A-C	Herb. Spec.		south end eph. Wetland, in wet area with spearwart
<i>Desmodium glutinosum</i> (Muhl. ex Willd.) A.W.Wood	pointed tick-trefoil	6	NA	BB	photo at BB on 7/29/2001		
<i>Dianella ioniceria</i> Mill.	Northern bush honeysuckle	6	NA, PM	A-C			
<i>Diphasiastrum complanatum</i> (L.) Holub	running cedar,	7	DC	A-C	Herb. Specimen		
<i>Dirca palustris</i> L.	Leatherwood	9	NA, DC			Leatherwood	2010October10DoorCounty#5532 036087455656498
<i>Dryopteris cristata</i> (L.) A.Gray	Crested wood fern	7	PM	A-C			

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<i>Dryopteris intermedia</i> (Muhl.)	Spiny woodfern	7	DC	A-C	Verify name/fqi w/ above, Hebr. Spec.		
<i>Eleocharis acicularis</i> (L.) Roem. & Schult.	Needle spike-rush	5				Needle_spike-rush	2010August10DoorCounty#5504 978972717615170
<i>Eleocharis palustris</i> (L.) Roem. & Schult.	common spike-rush	6			Herb. Specimen		
<i>Elymus hystrix</i>	Bottlebrush grass	6			below escarpment in large beechs		
<i>Epifagus virginiana</i>	Beechdrops	9	NA	A-C	Stream margine, bell bridge path, Herb spec.		
<i>Epilobium ciliatum</i>	Hairy Willow-herb	3	NA	A-C			
<i>Equisetum arvense</i> L.	Common horsetail	1	DC				
<i>Equisetum scirpoides</i> Michx.	Dwarf scouring rush	7		A-C			
<i>Equisetum variegatum</i> Schleich. ex F. Weber & D. Mohr subsp. <i>variegatum</i>	Variagated horsetail	7	bb wiki				
<i>Erigeron strigosus</i>	daisy fleabane	2	NA	A-C			
<i>Erigeron philadelphicus</i> L.	Common fleabane	2	NA				
<i>Erythronium albidum</i> Nutt.	Trout Lily, White	7	DC	BB	escarpment base, may be yellow	Jun-11	
<i>Eupatorium perfoliatum</i>	Common boneset	6				12-Sep-10	
<i>Eupatorium purpureum</i>	Purple joe-pye weed	6				12-Sep-10	
<i>Euthamia graminifolia</i>	Grass-Leaved Goldenrod	4		A-C	n. woods trail, e. side		
<i>Fagus grandifolia</i> Ehrh.	American beech	8	PM	A-C		American beech	2010October10DoorCounty#5532 035747032068322
<i>Fragaria virginiana</i> Duchesne	Wild Strawberry	1	NA	A-C		Wild Strawberry	2009May26DoorCounty#5476360 708601122866
<i>Fraxinus nigra</i> Marshall	Black ash	8				Black ash	
<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i> Marshall	Green ash	2					
<i>Galium lanceolatum</i> Torr.	Lance leaved wild licorice	7	NA	A-C		7/2/11	
<i>Galium triflorum</i> Michx.	Sweet-scented bedstraw	5					
<i>Geranium bicknellii</i>	Bicknell's Cranesbill	4		A-C		5/31/99	
<i>Geranium maculatum</i> L.	Geranium	4					
<i>Geranium robertianum</i> L.	Herb robert	2					
<i>Geum canadense</i> Jacq.	White avens	2					
<i>Glyceria borealis</i> (Nash) Batch.	Northern manna grass	8				Northern manna grass	2010September25DoorCounty#5523901238548123826
<i>Glyceria septentrionalis</i> Hitchc.	floating manna grass	8			Needs verification		
<i>Glyceria striata</i> (Lam.) Hitchc.	fowl manna grass	4	NA	A-C	Board walk		
<i>Gymnocarpium dryopteris</i> (L.) Newman	Oak Fern	7	NA	A-C			
<i>Hackelia virginiana</i> (L.) I.M. Johnst.	Stickseed	3			Needs verification		
<i>Hamamelis virginiana</i> L.	Witchhazel	7	NA	A-C		Witchhazel	2010October10DoorCounty#5532 035414787398530
<i>Heracleum lanatum</i> Michx.	Cow parsnip	3					
<i>Hippuris vulgaris</i> L.	Mare's tail	10	NA	A-C	Herb. Specimen		
<i>Huperzia lucidula</i> (Michx.) Trevis.	Shining club moss	7					
<i>Hydrophyllum appendiculatum</i> Michx.	Great waterleaf	8					
<i>Hydrophyllum virginianum</i> L.	Virginia waterleaf	4					
<i>Hypericum pyramidatum</i>	Great St. John's wort	6					
<i>Ilex mucronata</i> (L.) M. Powell, V. Savolainen & S. Andrews	Mountain Holly	8		A-C	At Gifts rock, needs spp. Verif.		
<i>Impatiens capensis</i> Meerb.	Jewelweed	2	PM	A-C		12-Sep-10	
<i>Iris lacustris</i> Nutt.	Dwarf Lake Iris	9	MS	Standish			

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<i>Iris versicolor</i> L.	Blue flag	5	DC				
<i>Juncus alpinoarticulatus</i> Chaix	Northern green rush	6	JK			Northern_green_rush	2010May31DoorCounty#5477586 032198511170
<i>Juncus tenuis</i>	path rush	1			everywhere		
<i>Juniperus communis</i> L. var. <i>depressa</i> Pursh	Common juniper	3	NA	A-C			
<i>Juniperus horizontalis</i> Moench	Creeping juniper	9	DC	BB	S. of Carlsville, 1/4 m e. of Bayshore		
<i>Lactuca canadensis</i> L.	Wild lettuce	2	PM	A-C			
<i>Larix laricina</i> (DuRoi) K.Koch	Tamarack	8	NA	A-C			
<i>Lathrus venosus</i>	Forest pea	6	NA	A-C	Talus slope		
<i>Lemna minor</i>	Small Duckweed	4	DC	A-C	Pond		
<i>Leucophysalis grandiflora</i> (Hook.) Rydb.	Large-flowered ground-cherry	5	NA, MS				
<i>Lilium philadelphicum</i> L.	Wood lily	9	DC, PM	DCLT on B'shore		7/3/2006, 6/30/2011 Twin flower	2010May31DoorCounty#5477582 803423773234
<i>Linnæa borealis</i> L. subsp. <i>americana</i> (Forbes) Hultén ex R. T. Clausen	Twin flower	9	NA, PM	A-C		American Fly Honeyeats	2010May31DoorCounty#5477582 804691031474
<i>Lonicera canadensis</i> W.Bartram ex Marshall	American Fly Honeyeatsuckle	8	PM	A-C			
<i>Ludwigia palustris</i> (L.) Elliott	Marsh purslane	4	DC	A-C	Herb. Spec. Found at wet creek at d'way w.		
<i>Lycopodium clavatum</i> L.	Running pine	6	DC	A-C		2-Jul-11	
<i>Lycopus americanus</i> Muhl. ex W.P.C.Barton	Water-Horehound	4	NA	A-C			
<i>Lysimachia ciliata</i> L.	Fringed loosestrife	5	NA	A-C		Fringed loosestrife	2007DoorCounty#548041563890 0867362
<i>Lysimachia thyrsiflora</i> L.	Swamp loosestrife	7				Swamp loosestrife	2010June27DoorCounty#548786 9622758908642
<i>Maianthemum canadense</i> Desf.	Canada Mayflower	5	NA, PM	A-C		2-May-10	Canada Mayflower
<i>Maianthemum racemosum</i> (L.) Link subsp. <i>racemosum</i>	False Solomon's seal	5	NA, PM	A-C	foot of esc. at bend in W Carlsville		
<i>Maianthemum stellatum</i> (L.) Link	Starry false Solomon's seal	5	NA, PM	A-C		Starry false Solomon's seal	
<i>Maianthemum trifolium</i> (L.) Sloboda	three-leaf Solomon's-seal	10	DC	A-C	Trail to Myst & s.w. pond margin		
<i>Matteuccia struthiopteris</i> (L.) Todaro var. <i>pennsylvanica</i> (Willd.) C.V.Morton	Ostrich fern	5	NA, PM	A-C			
<i>Mentha arvensis</i> L. var. <i>canadensis</i> (L.) Kuntze	Wild Mint	3	PM				
<i>Mitella diphylla</i>	Two-leaved mitrewort	8	DC	A-C	Herb. Specimen	Two-leaved mitrewort	2011May30DoorCounty#5612946 253227949490
<i>Mitella nuda</i> L.	naked miterwort, small bishop's-cap	9	NA			naked miterwort_small	2010May24DoorCounty#5476332 479922612114
<i>Monarda fistulosa</i> L. subsp. <i>fistulosa</i>	Wild Bergamot	3					
<i>Monotropa uniflora</i>	Indian-pipe	5	NA		Stage-coach tail, per NA		
<i>Muhlenbergia glomerata</i> (Willd.) Trin.	Marsh mully	9	DC	A-C	Herb. Specimen (tb confirmed)		
<i>Oenothera parviflora</i>	Small-Flowered Evening-Primrose	2	DC	A-C	d'way		
<i>Onoclea sensibilis</i> L.	Sensitive fern	5	NA, PM	A-C			
<i>Onyzopsis asperifolia</i> (Michx.) Osmorhiza claytonii (Michx.) C.B.Clarke	Rough-leaved rice grass	6	DC	A-C	Herb. Specimen		
<i>Osmorhiza claytonii</i> (Michx.) C.B.Clarke	Hairy Sweet cicely	5	other				

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<i>Osmorhiza longistylis</i> (Torr.) DC.	Sweet cicely	4			could be <i>O. claytonii</i> , at foot of esc. at bend in W. Carlsville Rd		
<i>Osmunda cinnamomea</i> L.	Cinnamon fern	7	NA	A-C		Royal fern	2010May31DoorCounty#5477586
<i>Osmunda regalis</i> L. var. <i>spectabilis</i> (Willd.) A. Gray	Royal fern	7					033715699122
<i>Ostrya virginiana</i> (Mill.) K. Koch	Ironwood	5				Ironwood	2006July03DoorCounty#5484692 590879000594
<i>Oxalis stricta</i> L.	Wood sorrel	0					
<i>Panax quinquefolius</i> L.	American Ginseng	10				American Ginseng	2010July4DoorCounty#54909639 65853262562
<i>Parthenocissus quinquefolia</i> (L.) Planch.	Virginia creeper	5	NA	A-C			
<i>Pedicularis canadensis</i> L. subsp. <i>canadensis</i>	Swamp Lousewort, Wood-betony	8	NA	A-C		Swamp Lousewort, W.	2009May26DoorCounty#5476364 47123868370
<i>Petasites frigidus</i> (L.) Fr. var. <i>palmaris</i> (Aiton) Cronquist	Northern sweet-colt's-foot	7	NA, PM	A-C		Northern sweet-colt's-f	2002May25DoorCounty#5484701 311440123090
<i>Phragmites australis</i> (Cav.) Trin. ex Steud.	Giant reed grass	1	NA	A-C	"Native"		
<i>Picea glauca</i> (Moench) Voss	White spruce	7	NA	A-C			
<i>Picea mariana</i> (Mill.) Britton, Sterns & Poggenb.	Black spruce	8	NA	A-C			
<i>Pilea pumila</i>	Canada Clearweed	3	DC	A-C			
<i>Pinus resinosa</i> Aiton	Red pine	7	NA, PM	A-C		Red pine	2010October10DoorCounty#5532 036496523843938
<i>Pinus strobus</i> L.	White pine	5	NA, PM	A-C			
<i>Platanthera hookeri</i> (Torr. ex A. Gray) Lindl.	Hooker's Orchid	9	NA, PM			Hooker's Orchid	2009May26DoorCounty#5476363 104277057602
<i>Polygala paucifolia</i> Willd.	Gaywings	7	NA	A-C			
<i>Polygonatum biflorum</i> (Walter) Elliott	Solomon's seal	4	PM				
<i>Polygonum amphibium</i> L.	Water smartweed	5	DC			Water smartweed	2010August10DoorCounty#55504 978970316720994
<i>Polypodium virginianum</i> L.	Common polypodium	9	NA	A-C			
<i>Populus balsamifera</i> L. subsp. <i>balsamifera</i>	Balsam poplar	4	DC	A-C	s. of eph margin at trail		
<i>Populus deltoides</i> Bartram ex Marshall subsp. <i>moniflora</i> (Aiton) Eckenw.	Cottonwood	2	DC				
<i>Populus grandidentata</i> Michx.	Large tooth aspen	3	MS				
Creeping spearwort	Quaking aspen	2	NA	A-C			
<i>Prenanthes alba</i>	White lettuce	5	NA, PM	A-C			
<i>Prunella vulgaris</i>	Heal-All	1	DC	A-C	d'way		
<i>Prunus pensylvanica</i> L. f.	Pin cheery	4	DC	BB	n. of upper parking lot		
<i>Prunus serotina</i> Ehrh.	Black cherry	3	NA	A-C	Needs verification		
<i>Prunus virginiana</i> L. var. <i>virginiana</i>	Chokecherry	3					
<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i> (L.) Kuhn var. <i>latiusculum</i> (Desv.) Underw. ex A. Heller	Bracken fern	2	NA, PM	A-C			
<i>Pyrola chlorantha</i>	Green-Flowered Shin-Leaf	7	NA	A-C	E of Girls Rock, sp. needs conf.		photo exists, 6/4/2011
<i>Quercus bicolor</i> Willd.	Swamp white oak	7	bb wiki		Needs verification, near driveway and Carlsville, not listed in DC		
<i>Quercus rubra</i> L.	Red oak	5				10-Oct-10	

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<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>	Bur Oak	5	DC	A-C	might have been planted?		c'ville rd, just e. of 6040 d'way
<i>Rhamnus alnifolia</i>	Alder leaved buckthorn	8	NA	A-C	Herb spec		s. end of eph wetland
<i>Ranunculus flammula</i> var. <i>reptans</i>	Creeping spearwort	9	DC	A-C	Herb. Specimens, both reptans & ovalis	photo	
<i>Ranunculus sceleratus</i>	Cursed crowfoot	3	DC	A-C	inlet, muddy flat	Cursed crowfoot	2011May30DoorCounty#5612945
<i>Ranunculus aquatilis</i> L. var. <i>diffusus</i> With.	white water crowfoot	8				white water crowfoot	515842027618
<i>Ranunculus fiabellaris</i> Raf.	Yellow water crowfoot	8				picture 6/6/11	2010August10DoorCounty#55504
<i>Ranunculus hispidus</i> Michx. var. <i>nitidus</i> (Chapm.) T.Duncan	Swamp buttercup	5				Swamp buttercup	979224197273474
<i>Ranunculus recurvatus</i> Poir. var. <i>recurvatus</i>	Hooked Buttercup	5	NA		Herb. Specimen		2010June27DoorCounty#548767
<i>Ratibida pinnata</i>	Yellow Coneflower	4	DC	A-C	near drive, (or cut-leaved?)need var.		0119515990098
<i>Rhus hirta</i> (L.) Sudw.	Staghorn sumac	2	NA	A-C			
<i>Ribes americanum</i> Mill.	American black currant	4	NA	A-C	Lost Creek, herb spec,	American black currant	2011May30DoorCounty#5612946
<i>Ribes cynosbati</i> L.	Prickly wild gooseberry	3	NA	A-C			360184744978
<i>Rosa blanda</i> Aiton	Rose	4	NA	A-C	Check sp.		
<i>Rubus idaeus</i> L. var. <i>strigosus</i> (Michx.) Maxim.	Red raspberry	3	DC	A-C			
<i>Rubus occidentalis</i> L.	Black raspberry	2	DC	A-C			
<i>Rubus parviflorus</i> Nutt.	Thimble Berry	7	DC	A-C			
<i>Rubus pubescens</i> Raf.	Dwarf Red Raspberry	7	NA	A-C		Dwarf Red Raspberry	2010June27DoorCounty#548766
<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i>	Black-eyed Susan	4	DC	A-C	d'way		9115172091154
<i>Rumex</i> (xx)	Water Dock	2		A-C	could be R. britannica (outlet) or verticillatus		
<i>Salix candida</i>	Sage Willow	10	DM	A-C	Herb. Specimen		
<i>Salix bebbiana</i> Sarg.	Beaked willow, Bebb's willow	7	DC	A-C	Herb. Specimen		
<i>Salix discolor</i> Muhl.	Pussy willow	2	NA	A-C			
<i>Salix lucida</i>	Shining willow	5	NA	A-C	e. of Bay Shore 10m		
<i>Salix nigra</i> Marshall	Black willow	4		A-C	Needs verification		
<i>Sanguinaria canadensis</i>	Bloodroot	6	NA	A-C	At curve in road on escarpment		
<i>Sanicula gregaria</i>	Clustered snakeroot	3	NA	A-C	Above Escarpment at C'ville & Ledge Rd	7-Jun-12	
<i>Sanicula marilandica</i> L.	Black snakeroot	5	NA	A-C			
<i>Schoenoplectus acutus</i> (Muhl. ex Bigelow) A.Löve & D.Löve var. <i>acutus</i>	hard-stem bulrush	6	DC	A-C		hard-stem bulrush	2010June27DoorCounty#548766
<i>Scutellaria galericulata</i> L.	Marsh skullcap	5		A-C			
<i>Scutellaria laeiflora</i> L.	Mad-dog skull cap	5	NA	A-C	path at bell bridge, Herb. Spec.		
<i>Shepherdia canadensis</i> (L.) Nutt.	Russet buffalo-berry	7	NA, PM	A-C		12-Sep-10	
<i>Sium suave</i> Walter	water-parsnip	5	NA		E of Girls Rock, sp.		
<i>Smilax ecirrhata</i> S. Watson	upright carrion-flower	5	DC		Not known in DC, photo by J. Sitefel		
<i>Smilax herbacea</i> L.	Carrion flower	5	PM		Needs verification		
<i>Smilax lasioneura</i> Hook.	Carrion flower	4					

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<i>Solidago canadensis</i>	Common goldenrod	1					
<i>Solidago flexicaulis</i> L.	Zigzag goldenrod	6	PM	A-C			
<i>Solidago gigantea</i>	Smooth goldenrod	3	NA	A-C	e. of Bay Shore 30m	photo on 7/25/12	
<i>Solidago speciosa</i>	Showy goldenrod	5	NA	A-C			
<i>Sorghastrum nutans</i>	Indian grass	5			Needs verification		
<i>Sparganium angustifolium</i>	Narrow-leaved burr read	9	NA	A-C	Near outlet of pond,	Narrow-leaved burr read	2010August10DoorCounty#5504979231662906050
<i>Staphylea trifolia</i> L.	American bladdernut	7			Needs verification		
<i>Streptopus lanceolatus</i> (Aiton) Reveal var. <i>longipes</i> (Fernald) Reveal	Twisted stalk	7	PM	A-C	Called Streptopus roseus Michx. By PM	Twisted stalk	2009May26DoorCounty#5476361899254134034
<i>Symphoricarpos albus</i> (L.) S.F.Blake	Snowberry	7	NA, PM	A-C			
<i>Taxus canadensis</i> Marshall	Canada yew	10		A-C	Near bell bridge		
<i>Thalictrum dioicum</i> L.	Early meadow-rue	7	NA	A-C			
<i>Thuja occidentalis</i> L.	white cedar	9	NA	A-C			
<i>Tilia americana</i> L. var. <i>americana</i>	Basswood	5	NA	A-C			
<i>Toxicodendron radicans</i> (L.) Kuntze subsp. <i>negundo</i> (Greene) Gillis	Poison ivy	4	NA, PM	A-C			
<i>Trientalis borealis</i> Raf. subsp. <i>borealis</i>	Starflower	7	NA, PM	A-C		Starflower	2010May31DoorCounty#5477586849320468434
<i>Trillium grandiflorum</i> (Michx.) Salisb.	Large Flowered Trillium	6	NA, PM	A-C		Large Flowered Trillium	
<i>Triosteum aurantiacum</i> E.P.Bicknell	Orange fruited Horse gentian	5	NA	A-C		Orange fruited Horse gentian	2010May24DoorCounty#5476333328347403330
<i>Tsuga canadensis</i> (L.) Carrière	Hemlock	8	DC				
<i>Typha latifolia</i> L.	Broad-leaved cattail	1	DC				
<i>Ulmus americana</i> L.	American elm	3					
<i>Ulmus rubra</i> Muhl.	Slippery elm	4			Needs verification		
<i>Uvularia grandiflora</i>	Bellwort	7	NA, PM	A-C		2-May-10	
<i>Vaccinium myrtilloides</i> Michx.	Low Blueberry	6	NA	A-C	Vaccinium vacillans per Aten		
<i>Veronica americana</i>	American speedwell	9	NA	A-C	Cville Rd spring to creek	7-Jun-12	
<i>Veronica scutellata</i>	Marsh speedwell	5	NA	A-C	Herb. Spec. Found at wet creek at outlet of eph.		
<i>Viburnum acerifolium</i> L.	Maple-leaved viburnum	7	NA			Jun-11	
<i>Viburnum lentago</i> L.	Nannyberry	4	PM				
<i>Viburnum opulus</i> L. var. <i>trilobum</i> (Marshall) McAtee	Highbush cranberry	6	NA, PM	A-C		Highbush cranberry	2010May31DoorCounty#5477586971289395266
<i>Viburnum rafinesquianum</i> Schult.	Downy Arrowwood	7	NA	A-C			
<i>Viola blanda</i>	Sweet White Violet	5	NA	A-C	Trail e. end of eph, herb. spec.		
<i>Viola cucullata</i> Aiton	Blue marsh violet	7	NA	A-C	Myst bridge trail		
<i>Viola labradorica</i> Schrank	alpine violet, dog violet	4	NA	A-C	<i>Viola conspersa</i> per Aten		
<i>Viola pubescens</i> Aiton	Yellow violet	5	NA	A-C		Yellow violet	2009May26DoorCounty#5476363580134991698
<i>Viola renifolia</i> A.Gray	kidney-leaved violet, white violet	7	NA	A-C	Rock garden trail?		
<i>Viola rostrata</i> Pursh	Long-spurred violet	8	bb wiki				
<i>Viola sororia</i> Willd.	Common blue violet	3					
<i>Vitis riparia</i> Michx.	Grape	2					
<i>Zizia aurea</i> (L.) W.D.J.Koch	common golden alexanders	7	NA	A-C			

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	sum of Cs	1587					
	n	290		08/24/14			
	sqrt n	17.03					
	mean C	5.47					
	FQI (meanC * sqrt n)	93.19	87.36	40771			
Unlikely but reported, or possible but not confirmed							
<i>Cystopteris protrusa</i> (Weath.) Blasdel	Fragile fern	6			Needs verification		
<i>Lycopodium clavatum</i> or <i>Lycopodium</i> spp.	running pine				Species confirmation		
<i>Orobanch uniflora</i> L.	Cancer root	6					
<i>Thalictrum dasycarpum</i>	Tall meadow-rue						
<i>Urtica dioica</i>	Stinging nettle						
<i>Verbena hastata</i>	Blue Vervain						
<i>Carex oligosperma</i> Michx.	Few seeded hop sedge	10			Called "Bog sedge" by PM, not know in Door County, maybe in 5/26/09 photo In BB, F south of creek pool	Not sure if this is anyth Few seeded hop sedge	
<i>Silax sericia</i>	Silkey willow						
<i>Salix eriocephala</i> Michx.							
<i>Lobelia kalmii</i> L.	Kalm's lobelia	9					
<i>Betula alleghaniensis</i> Britton	Yellow Birch	7	PM	A-C			
<i>Carya cordiformis</i>	Yellowbud hickory						
<i>Chara</i> sp.	Muskgrasses, in pond		DC	A-C	We have it, but no FQI found		
<i>Agrostis stolonifera</i>	Spreading bent grass				We have it, seems like native, but no FQI		
<i>Claytonia caroliniana</i> Michx.	Spring Beauty	6			Needs verification		
<i>Muhlenbergia racemosa</i>							
<i>Juniperus virginiana</i> L. var. <i>virginiana</i>	Red Cedar	3					
<i>Lathyrus Ochroleucus</i>	Pale vetchling	6			On escarpment, tbd.		
<i>poa palludigena</i>							

