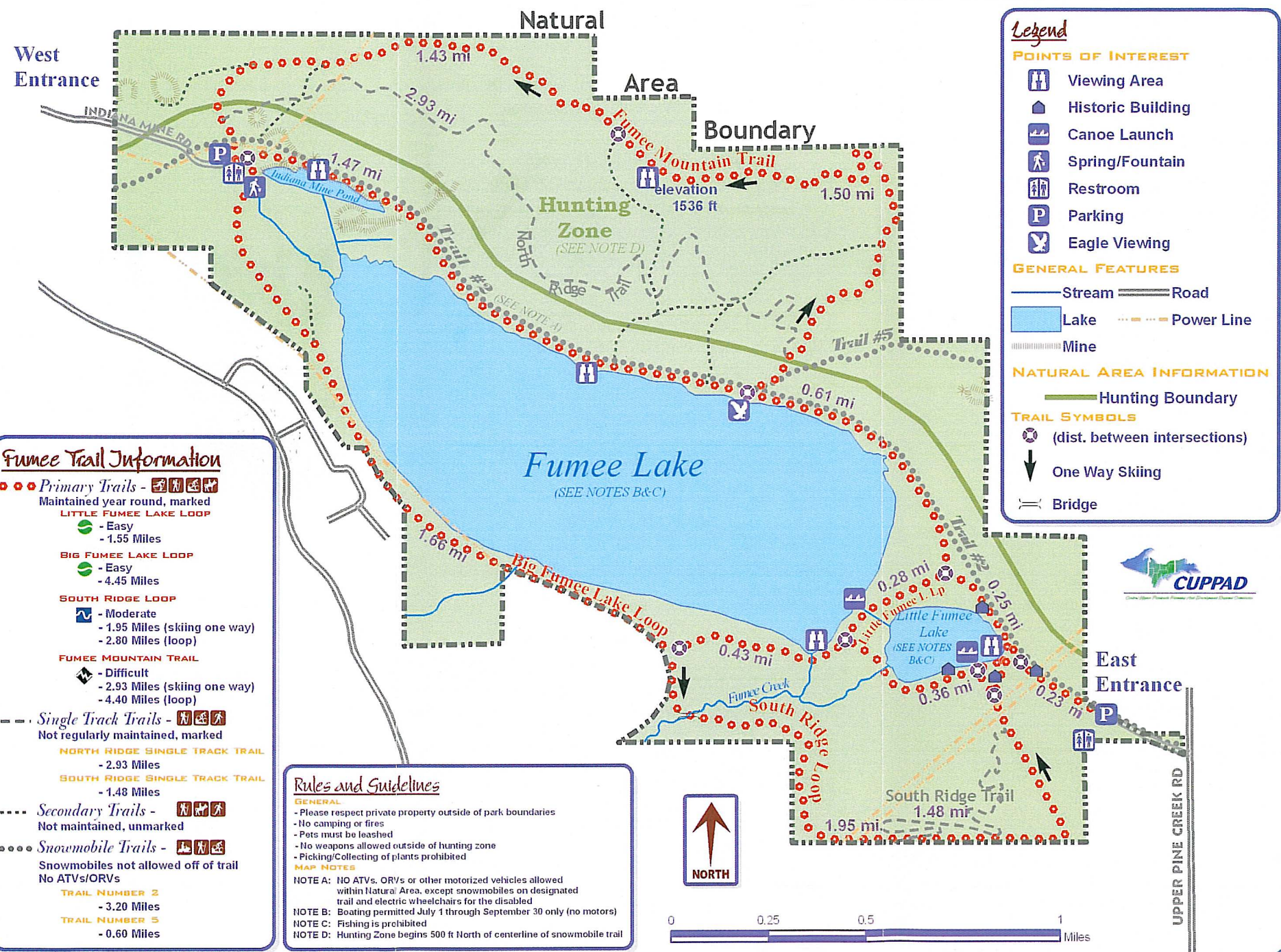


The Fumee Lake Natural Area

DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN



Legend

POINTS OF INTEREST

- Viewing Area
- Historic Building
- Canoe Launch
- Spring/Fountain
- Restroom
- Parking
- Eagle Viewing

GENERAL FEATURES

- Stream
- Road
- Lake
- Power Line
- Mine

NATURAL AREA INFORMATION

- Hunting Boundary

TRAIL SYMBOLS

- (dist. between intersections)
- One Way Skiing
- Bridge

Fumee Trail Information

Primary Trails - Maintained year round, marked

- LITTLE FUMEE LAKE LOOP**
 - Easy
 - 1.55 Miles
- BIG FUMEE LAKE LOOP**
 - Easy
 - 4.45 Miles
- SOUTH RIDGE LOOP**
 - Moderate
 - 1.95 Miles (skiing one way)
 - 2.80 Miles (loop)
- FUMEE MOUNTAIN TRAIL**
 - Difficult
 - 2.93 Miles (skiing one way)
 - 4.40 Miles (loop)

Single Track Trails - Not regularly maintained, marked

- NORTH RIDGE SINGLE TRACK TRAIL** - 2.93 Miles
- SOUTH RIDGE SINGLE TRACK TRAIL** - 1.48 Miles

Secondary Trails - Not maintained, unmarked

- Snowmobile Trails** - Snowmobiles not allowed off of trail. No ATVs/ORVs
- TRAIL NUMBER 2** - 3.20 Miles
- TRAIL NUMBER 5** - 0.60 Miles

Rules and Guidelines

GENERAL

- Please respect private property outside of park boundaries
- No camping or fires
- Pets must be leashed
- No weapons allowed outside of hunting zone
- Picking/Collecting of plants prohibited

MAP NOTES

- NOTE A: NO ATVs, ORVs or other motorized vehicles allowed within Natural Area, except snowmobiles on designated trail and electric wheelchairs for the disabled
- NOTE B: Boating permitted July 1 through September 30 only (no motors)
- NOTE C: Fishing is prohibited
- NOTE D: Hunting Zone begins 500 ft North of centerline of snowmobile trail



The Fumee Lake Natural Area is located in Dickinson County, MI, between Norway and Iron Mountain. There are over 1800 acres of water and forest to explore. Miles of trails are open year around for a variety of non-motorized activities.

Facilities

Parking lots are located on both ends of the Natural Area. The west entrance is at the end of the Indiana Mine Rd, off the Lake Antoine Rd. The east entrance is on the Upper Pine Creek Rd off US2. Vault toilets are available at both parking lots. A water fountain is located near the west parking lot.

Hiking, Biking, Jogging, Snow Shoeing Cross Country Skiing, Horseback Riding

Trails vary in length, difficulty and terrain. From wide roadways to winding single tracks, there is something for everyone regardless of their interest or skill level.

Bird Watching, Wildlife, Wildflowers

At least 150 species of birds can be found in the Natural Area. Bald Eagles, Common Loons, Pileated Woodpeckers, and several warblers nest here. Numerous species of warblers, waterfowl and other birds can be observed in the Natural Area during their spring and fall migrations.

A variety of wildlife can be observed in the Natural Area. Frogs, turtles, bear, deer, beaver, and otters are just a few you might see. Many species of butterflies, dragonflies and other invertebrates can also be found.

Over 620 species of plants, including 17 species of orchids and 3 plants on Michigan's Threatened Species list are found within the Natural Area. Collecting or picking plants is prohibited.

Boating, Camping, Organized Events

Non-motorized watercraft are allowed on the lakes from July 1 – September 30 only. Boats are not permitted on the Indiana Mine pond.

Camping and organized events must be pre-approved by the Fumee Lake Commission.

Hunting, Fishing, Trapping

Hunting is only permitted within the hunting zone. The hunting zone starts 500ft north of the center-line of snowmobile trail #2 which is north of the lakes. Weapons are not permitted in any other part of the Natural Area.

Fishing is reserved for the birds and other wildlife who call the Natural Area home. County ordinance prohibits the possession of fishing equipment within the boundaries of the Natural Area.

Trapping is not permitted.

Motorized vehicles

Snowmobile trails #2 and #5 pass through the Natural Area. Snowmobiles are allowed on these designated trails only.

All other motorized vehicles are prohibited in the Natural Area; with the exception that persons with disabilities may use battery operated wheelchairs or similar devices.

Failure to comply with these and other rules may be in violation of County Ordinance or State law. Violations may result in fines and/or incarceration. A copy of the complete Fumee Lake Ordinance can be obtained at the Dickinson County Courthouse or by contacting The Fumee Lake Commission, PO Box 609, Iron Mountain, MI. 49801.

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TRAIL MAP

for the

FUMEE LAKE NATURAL AREA

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Phyllis Carlson/photo

*For the safety and comfort
of all users, pets must be
kept on a leash at all times*

**ORV's and ATV's are not
allowed in the Natural Area.
Snowmobiles must stay
on designated trails.**

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