

Motorized Recreation Grant Application

For: (choose all that apply)

Form 8700-159 (R 02/2024)

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Due Date: April 15

☒ ATV/UTV Trail Aid☐ Snowmobile Trail Aid

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Instructions: Applications may combine more than one source of funds. They may be submitted for consideration of traditional ATV, UTV, Snowmobile and Motorized Stewardship funding. Submit one copy of all forms and attachments. See Page 2 for necessary attachments. Send applications to your [Community Services Specialist](#).

DNR Use Only	
Category	Number

Section 1: Applicant Information

Applicant / Organization Name			Check Recipient: Individual other than authorized individual to act on behalf of the applicant. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Select if the same as applicant.		
Lincoln County Forestry, Land and Parks Department					
Individual Authorized to Act on Behalf of Applicant per Resolution			Check Recipient Name (Name to Appear on Check)		
Dean Bowe			Dean Bowe		
Title			Title		
County Forest Administrator			County Forest Administrator		
Address			Address		
801 North Sales Street Suite 106			801 North Sales Street Suite 106		
City	State	ZIP Code	City	State	ZIP Code
Merrill	WI	54452	Merrill	WI	54452
Telephone Number		Email Address			
(715) 539-1034		dean.bowe@co.lincoln.wi.us			

Section 2: Project Information Required for all Projects

Project Title					Current Funded Miles	New Miles (if applicable)
Cranefoot Summer ATV/UTV Reroute					47.4	
County	Township	Range	Section	¼ ¼	GPS Coordinates:	
Lincoln	34 N	8 <input checked="" type="radio"/> E <input type="radio"/> W	30	NW	Lat. 45.41	
					Long. -89.543	

Project Description Summary

Lincoln County is requesting funding to reroute a .6 mile segment of funded summer ATV/UTV trail in our Harrison Hills trail system. The relocated trail segment will be .4 miles long resulting in a decrease of .2 miles to Lincoln County's currently funded trail system. The trail segment that the county wishes to relocate is located on very steep topography that is prone to severe erosion. Installing broad based dips and using other soil stabilization techniques has not been successful in stopping the erosion. The trail segment also poses a safety risk because of the steepness itself and by limiting sighting distance to oncoming traffic. The proposed reroute is located on gentler topography which will reduce erosion and make the trail safer. The funds being applied for will help to pay for engineering, wetland delineation, applying for a storm water permit, grading, stumping, graveling, culvert installation, erosion control, and decommissioning the abandoned trail segment. Gravel depth will vary depending on location and existing material, but will average 3-4 inches. The trees in the rerouted corridor were harvesting in 2024 as part of a timber sale. Lincoln County employees and equipment will be used to complete the construction phase of the project.

☒ I certify that all maintenance land use agreements are on file.**Estimated Cost**

Maintenance	Acquisition	Insurance	Development	Bridge Rehab.	Trail Rehab.	Total Estimated Cost
			\$68,498.02			\$68,498.02

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Applicant Certification

Printed Name of Authorized Official	Official's Title
Dean Bowe	County Forest Administrator

As the applicant's authorized official, I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information in this application is true and correct.

Signature of Authorized Official

Date Prepared

Prepared by Lee J. McElroy

4/18/25

Appendix B – Required for Trail/Qualified Trout Rehab, Reroute, or Development

☐ Trail Rehab ☐ Qualified Trout ☐ New Trail ☒ Trail Reroute (Mandatory or Discretionary)

County	Township	Range	<input checked="" type="radio"/> E <input type="radio"/> W	Section	¼ ¼	¼	GPS Coordinates: Lat. 45.41 Long. -89.543
Lincoln	34 N	8		30	NW	NW	
Funded Trail Name or Number (SNARS if applicable): Harrison Hills-Cranefoot Segment				Has this trail ever received development or rehabilitation funds in the past? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No Year: \$			
Trail is located on: <input type="radio"/> Private property <input checked="" type="radio"/> Public property			Length of Easement or Landowner Use Agreement years			Expiration Date	
Landowner Where Trail is Located Lincoln County Forest						Telephone Number (715) 539-1034	

What other recreational trail uses are planned for this trail?

None

If there are other Recreational uses planned, how much of the trail development/rehab. cost will be paid for by other users?

How many miles would be affected if this project is not funded? 0	Will this result in closure of a trail? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
Is this a critical section to the overall trail system? <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Is there a reasonable alternative? This reroute is a best and most cost effective option.
Does any section of this trail contain a bridge? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	Will this bridge require rehabilitation now or in the next few years? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
What is the weight of your puller & drag/grading equipment? lbs.	

- ☐ Yes ☒ No Have you contacted your local [DNR Water Management Specialist \(WMS\)](#) regarding a permit?
- ☒ Yes ☐ No Is a permit needed? (Please provide any written correspondence from WMS.)
- ☐ Yes ☒ No Will this project be located near or cross any intermittent or perennial waterway? [Surface Water Data Viewer](#)
- ☒ Yes ☐ No Will this project be located near or cross any wetland?
- ☒ Yes ☐ No Will this project involve land disturbance – including clearing and grubbing – of 1 acre or more of land? (Less than 4/10th mile for a typical trail) [DNR Storm Water Contact List](#)

Trail Project Detailed Description

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Recreation Grant Project Cost Estimate Worksheet

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For use with Recreation Grant Application Forms

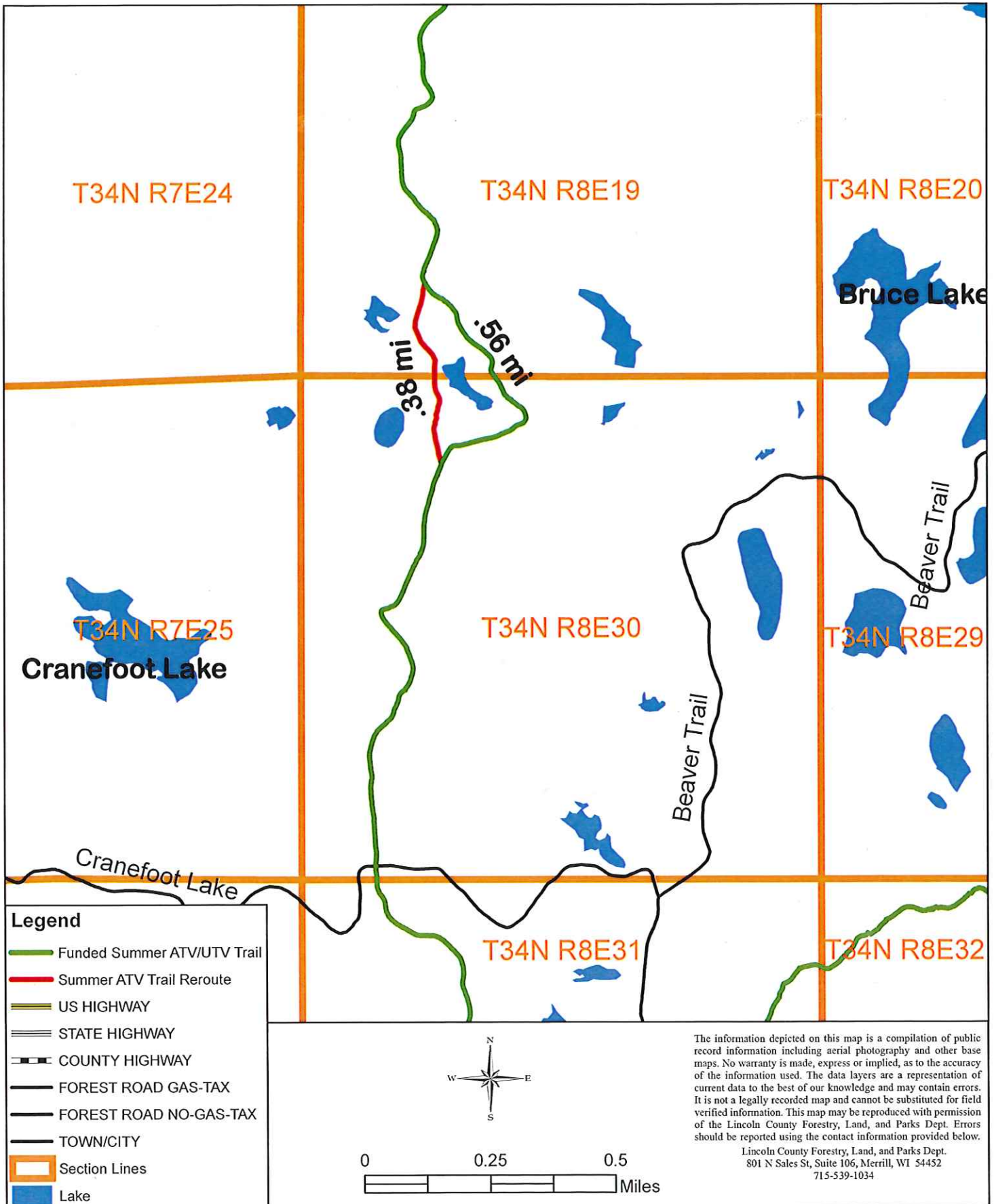
Project Name: Cranefoot Summer ATV UTV Reroute		Prepared By: Lee Rahlf	Date: 02/06/2025
County: Lincoln	Project Applicant: Lincoln County	Landowner Name: Lincoln County	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Public <input type="radio"/> Private

Indicate - (C) Contract , (F) Force Acct., (D) Donated					
	DEVELOPMENT PROJECT ITEMS <i>List by individual item or break down by Use Areas (See Item List On Back Of This Form)</i>	Quantity	Unit of Measure	Component Costs	Estimated Total Item Cost
C	Post Approval Engineering	1	each	\$31,200.00	31,200.00
F	Labor	315	hr	\$51.62	16,260.30
F	Dozer 80 HP	40	hr	\$48.00	1,920.00
F	Loader 96 HP	20	hr	\$33.00	660.00
F	Excavator(rental)	80	hr	\$36.89	2,951.20
F	Quad Axle Dump Truck	100	hr	\$60.00	6,000.00
F	Platform Truck	10	hr	\$56.00	560.00
F	Big Tex Trailer	10	hr	\$26.00	260.00
F	Pickup	20	hr	\$16.00	320.00
F	Culvert 15"x30'	3	each	\$321.90	965.70
F	Culvert 15"x20'	4	each	\$214.60	858.40
F	Gravel	620	cu. yd	\$5.25	3,255.00
F	Rock	44	ton	\$20.00	880.00
F	E-Mat	15	roll	\$28.00	420.00
F	Wattle	16	each	\$21.50	344.00
F	Straw	40	bail	\$7.00	280.00
F	Mulcher	8	hr	\$80.00	640.00
F	Culvert Band	2	each	\$27.21	54.42
F	Wood Stake	100	each	\$0.44	44.00
F	Seed	1	each	\$500.00	500.00
F	Silt Fence	5	roll	\$25.00	125.00
TOTAL \$				\$68,498.02	

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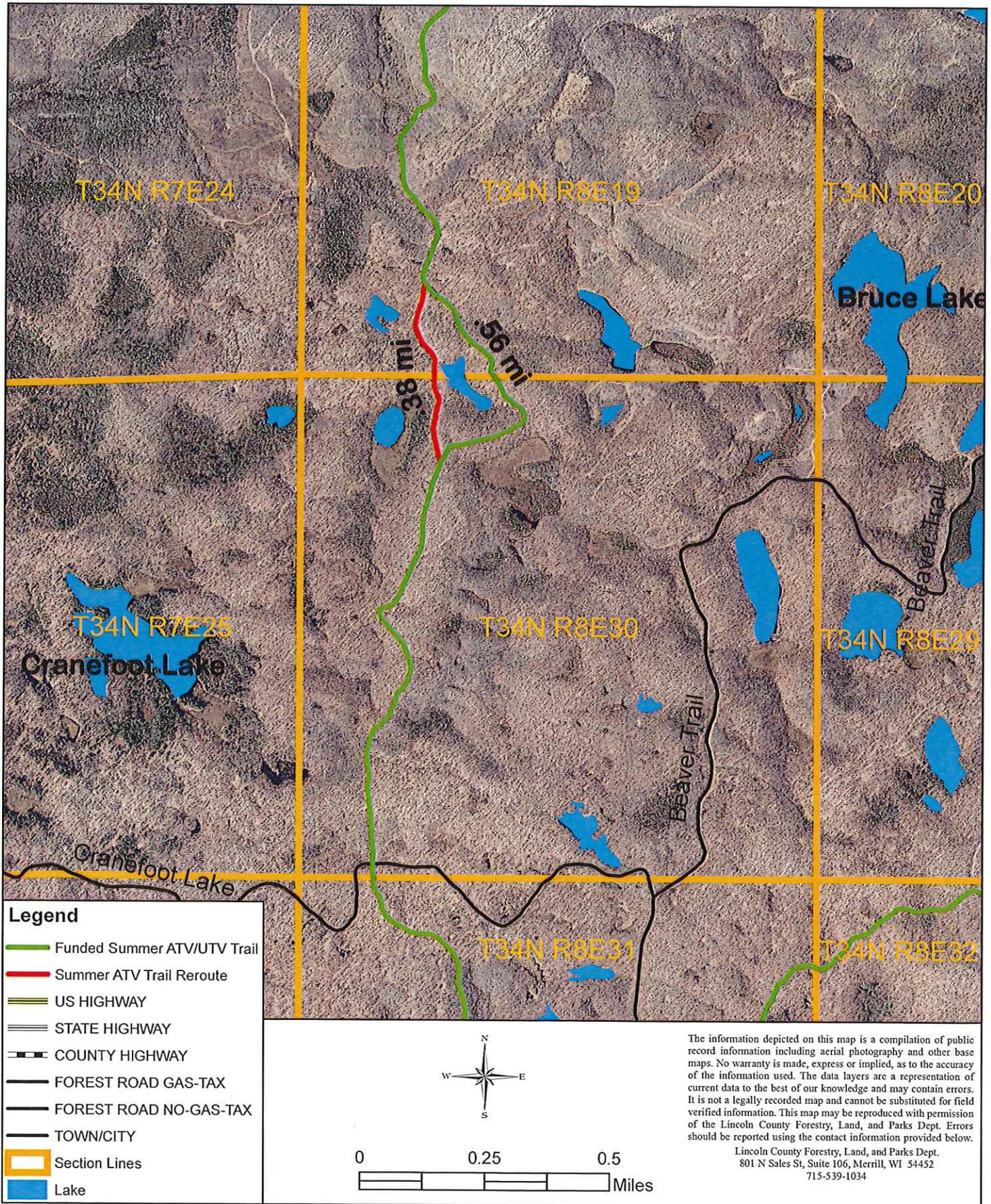
- For development projects, contingency and indirect costs are not eligible expenses.
- For acquisition projects, complete the Acquisition Project Cost Estimate Section of this form.

Lincoln County Cranefoot Summer ATV/UTV Trail Reroute



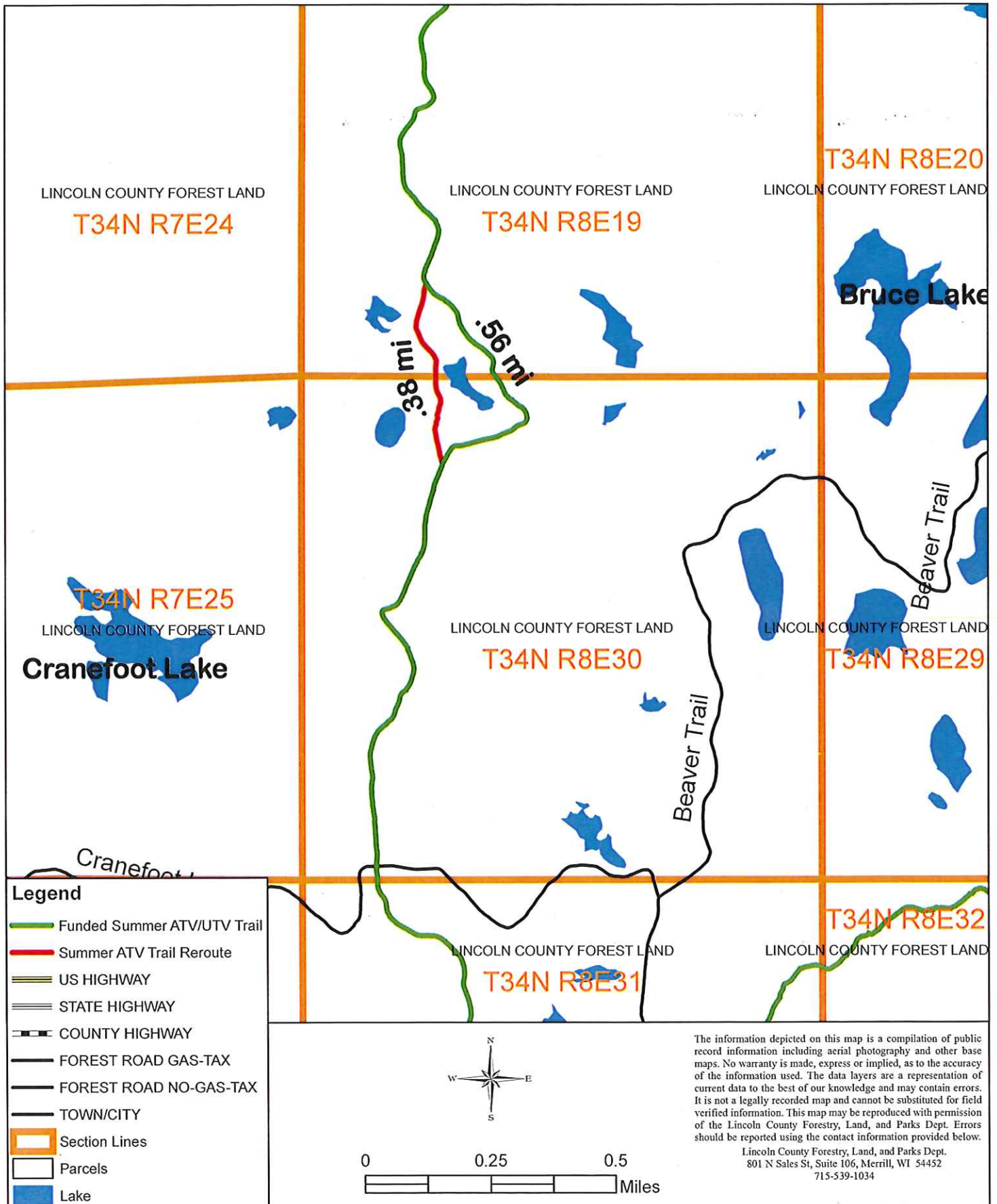
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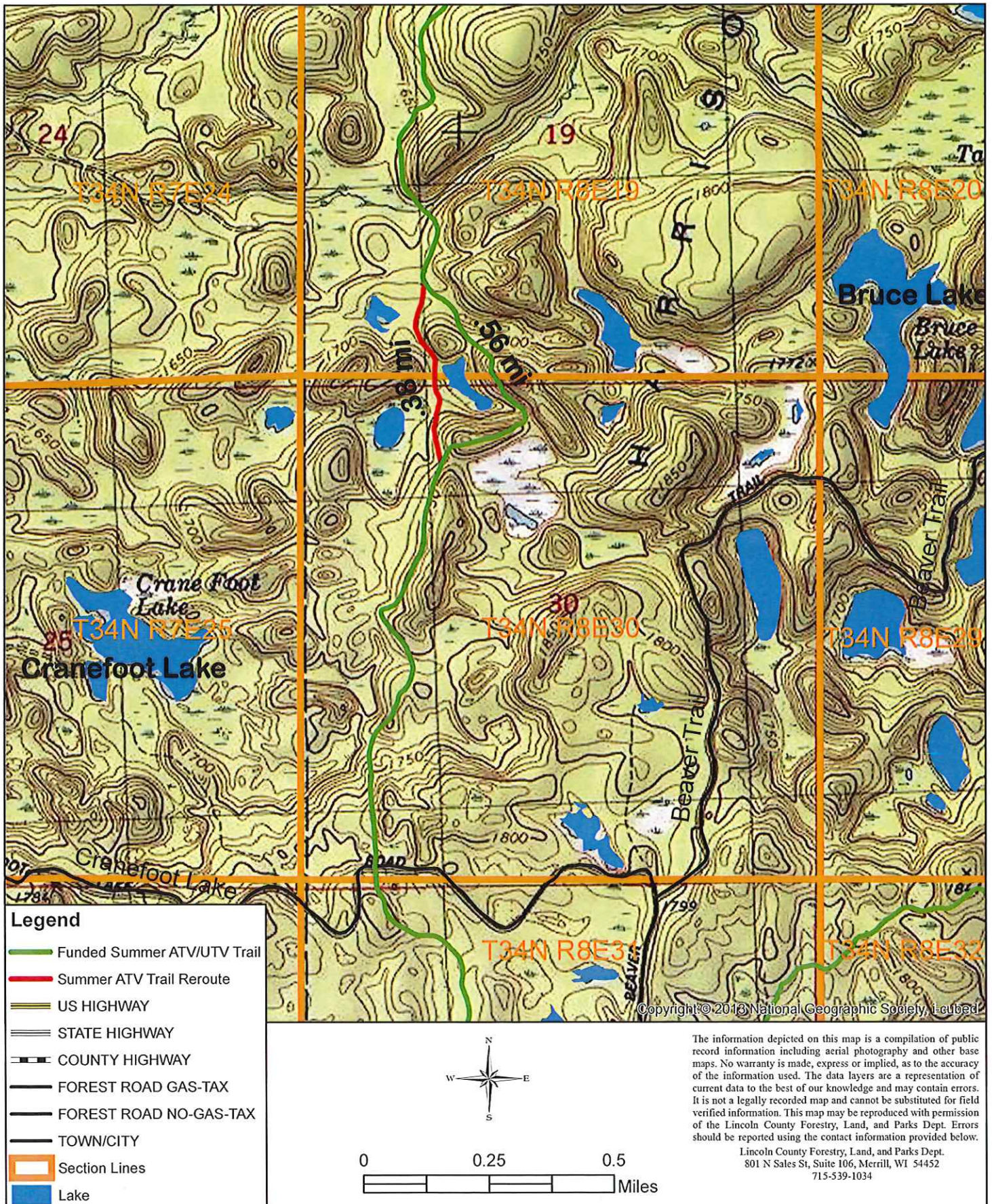
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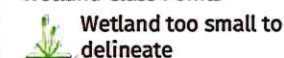
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Wetland Class Points

 **Wetland Class Areas** Wetland Indicators

24K Lakes and Open Water

— 24K Streams and Rivers

Latest Leaf Off Imagery




County and Local Roads

== Local Road



Notes:



Map: 

Service Layer Credits:
Wisconsin Wetland Inventory NWI (cached): Wetland Indicators & Soils: Surface Water Data Viewer Team,
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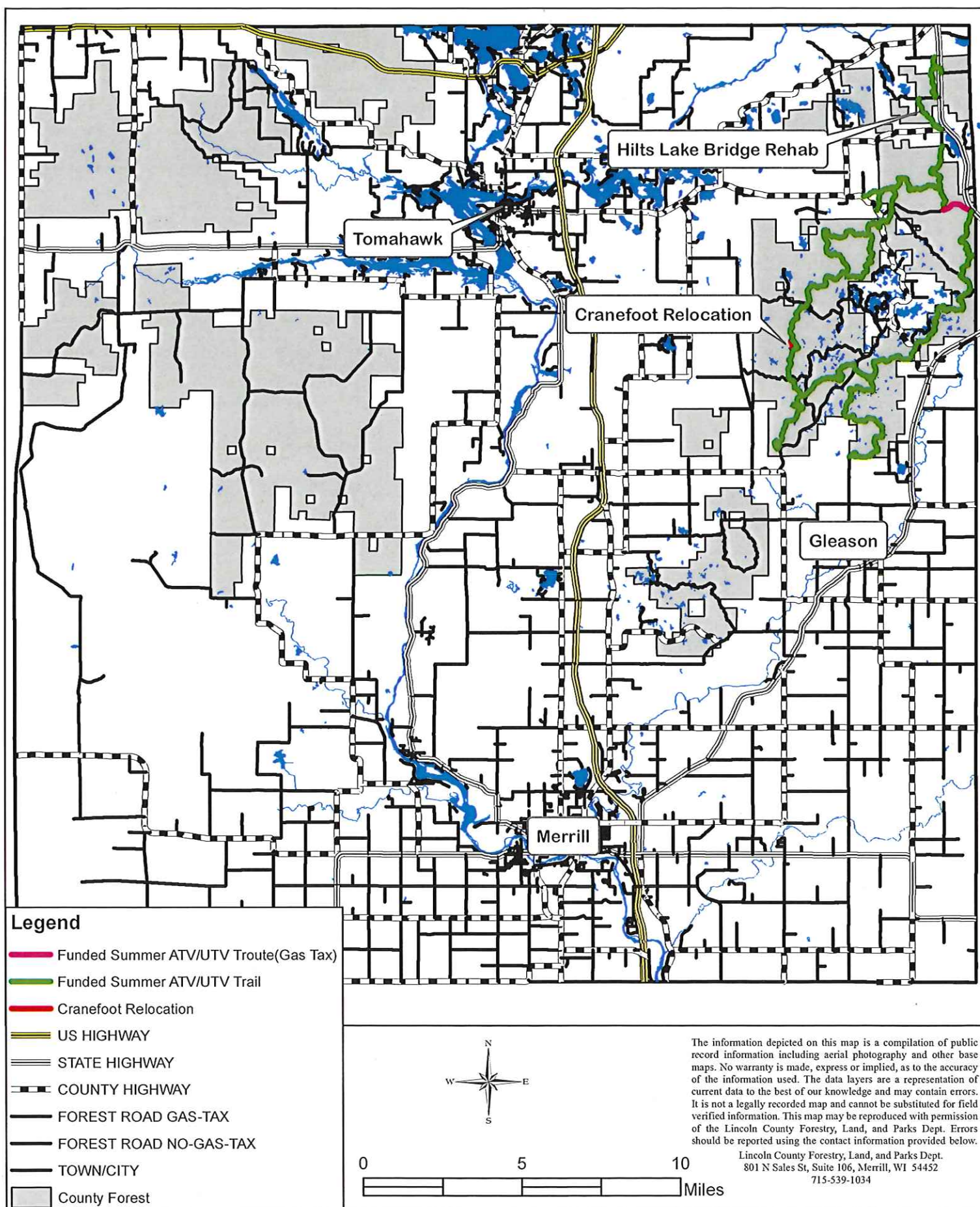
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Lincoln County 2025 Funded Summer ATV/UTV Trail and Troute with Projects



SCOPE OF SERVICES

Summer ATV Trail Crane Foot Reroute

Lincoln County Forestry

I. PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Lincolns County Forestry will be applying for trail funding to reroute an ATV trail north of Crane Foot Lake Rd for approximately 0.38 miles. The project will provide a plan to facilitate permitting with WDNR and construction. Construction is anticipated to be completed by Lincoln County forces.

II. ENGINEERING SERVICES (LUMP SUM) \$31,200

MSA Professional Services proposes to complete the following services:

1. Provide wetland delineation services.
2. Provide topographic survey of trail route cleared with previous timber sale. Estimated at 75-feet wide for 0.38 miles.
3. Design approx. 2000-feet of ATV/UTV trail to meet guidelines published by Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources Pub PR-391 V.07.01.22.
4. Develop typical sections for level 2 trail construction. The trail width is 14-feet wide. Corners will be widen to 16-18-feet wide.
5. Develop 11"x 17" plan sheets using a 1" = 100' (half size) for the project length. Provide cover sheet, design details, and cross sections. Approx. 2000-feet total trail located on Lincoln County property.
6. Develop erosion control plans.
7. Prepare NOI permit and submit it to DNR for approval.

III. SCHEDULE

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| 1. Grant application | Spring 2025 |
| 2. Grant approval (tentative) | Late Summer 2025 |
| 3. Topographic survey | Fall 2025 |
| 4. Design service and permitting | Winter 2025/2026 |
| 5. Begin Construction | Summer 2026 |
| 6. End Construction | Fall 2026 |

IV. ASSUMPTIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SERVICE

1. Bidding is not included in this scope of services. Should it be required it will be considered additional services.
2. This project will not require easements or Right-of-Way. The project will take place on lands owned by Lincoln County.
3. There are no existing utility encroachments.
4. This proposal does not include boundary information. MSA assumes that these lands are owned by Lincoln County and the project will not require any additional property for construction.
5. Soil borings are not required.
6. The following additional studies and reports are not included:
 - a. Archaeological Survey.
 - b. Real Estate or Right-of-way transactions.
7. Only permit applications listed in this scope of services are included.
8. The project will follow the previously cleared corridor.
9. If project coordination meetings are required, they will be considered as additional services and completed on a time and material basis.
10. MSA is not responsible for the timeliness or outcome of agency reviews or approvals.
11. If the client requests work beyond this Scope of Services or if there is a change to work in progress, the client will be advised of the scope of the additional services and the estimated corresponding fee for approval prior to starting the work. A written contract amendment will be provided for approval by the Owner.
12. Only work specifically called out in the scope is included all other services will be considered additional services.
13. All work will be done in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in the contract. Items not specifically mentioned in the scope of services are not a part of this contract.
14. Lump sum costs include the cost of reimbursable expenses such as: fax, telephone, mileage, equipment, photocopying, and plan reproduction.
15. No construction services are included.
16. All fees are the responsibility of the owner.





























