## **Marion's Woods Nature Preserve**

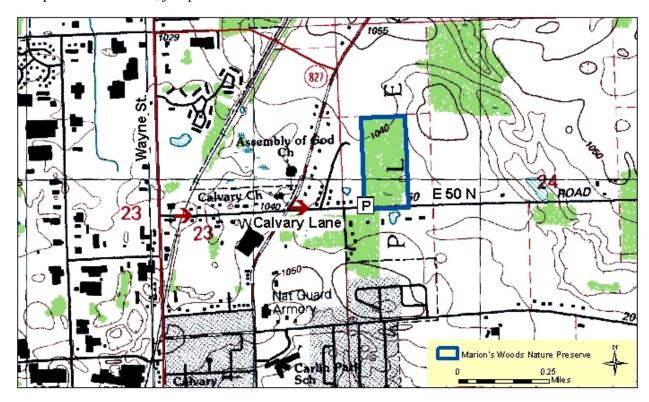
County: Steuben Size: 19.5 acres

Ownership: ACRES Land Trust

## **Location and Access**

**Parking and trails.** Parking lot with trailhead, 0.5 mile trail. From Angola take US 20 (Maumee St.) east 0.25 miles to SR 827 (Williams St.) and turn left (north). Travel 1.1 miles to Calvary Lane (50 N) and turn right (east). Travel 0.2 miles to the preserve on the left, just past Beckland Dr.





**Description**: The preserve protects a mesic upland oak-hickory forest with small wetland depressions that are breeding areas for woodland frogs and salamanders and is an important urban oasis located only two blocks from the city trail and close to schools. It is named after the beloved and long-time resident, Marion Eberhardt. The Eberhardt family in partnership with the City of Angola, the Indiana Heritage Trust and ACRES Land Trust worked for several years to acquire and dedicate this nature preserve.

## **Further Information:**

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