

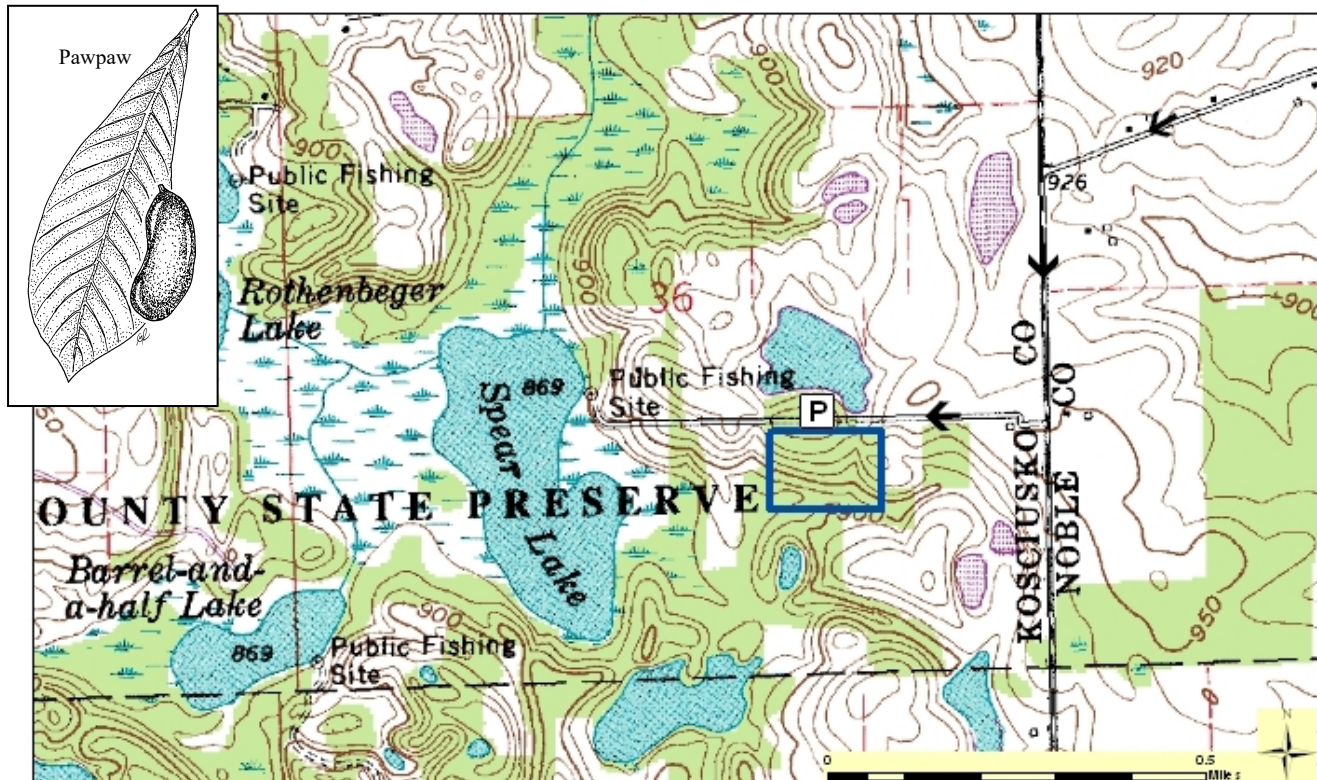
Greider's Woods Nature Preserve

County: Kosciusko Size: 10 acres
Ownership: Fish and Wildlife - IDNR



Location and Access

Parking and trail. Visitors are advised to check with the Property Manager at Tri-County Fish and Wildlife Area, as hunting is allowed in season. From the town of Indian Village on SR 5 in Noble County, take CR 100N southwest to a "T" intersection. Turn south and proceed about 0.3 mile to the first road west. Follow this road to a marked parking area on your left. A self-guiding trail traverses the area.



Description: This is an old second-growth oak-hickory forest, with interspersed sugar maple, black walnut, white ash, and tulip. Several trees exceed 30 inches in diameter including: white ash, black oak, chinquapin oak, and red oak. The shrub layer includes woodbine, smooth black haw, mapleleaf viburnum, greenbrier, pawpaw, hazelnut, grape, gooseberry, and raspberry. In the spring, the ground is carpeted with wildflowers including: spring beauty, bloodroot, anemones, mayapple, and beds of large-flowered trillium. Later species are true and false Solomon's seal, sweet cicely, bedstraws, nettle, and appendaged waterleaf.

Jethro Greider formerly owned this small woodlot. It was also once part of the Flatbelly Indian Reservation.

Further Information:

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