

Stout Woods Nature Preserve (Samuel and Stella Stout)

County: Henry Size: 35.46 acres

Ownership: Purdue University



Location and Access

Pull-off parking. No trail. From the north side of New Castle take SR 38/Central Ave west about 1.7 miles to Sulfur Springs Rd and turn right (north). Sulfur Springs Rd eventually 'T's' with CR 300 W. Turn north. The preserve is just north of this intersection on the right. Park along CR 300 W.



Description: Stout Woods is a high quality example of a Central Till Plain Flatwoods, a forest type that once covered vast areas of central Indiana. Stout Woods has a rich diversity of species and a lack of invasives. There are wetlands, salamanders, sedges, white, red, and bur oaks, tulip trees, and other species. It was a gift to Purdue University from the Stout Family in 1964. It has been the subject of a continuing forest inventory since the 1920's.

Further Information:

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www.ag.purdue.edu/fnr/Pages/propstout.aspx

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