

Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

Designation of Forest Trails in Aitkin, Anoka, Cass, Chisago, Isanti, Kanabec, Pine and Washington Counties of Minnesota.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes 2006, sec. 89.19, subd. 2*, the forest trails described in this order are designated for specified recreational uses.

WHEREAS:

1. *Minnesota Laws 2003, chapter 128, article 1, section 167 (as amended in 2005 and 2007)* directs the Commissioner of Natural Resources to complete a review of the classification of state forest lands with respect to motor vehicle use.
2. *Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 89.19, subdivision 2* authorizes the designation of forest trails by written order, requiring public notice and public meetings prior to trail designation.
3. The agency published its proposed forest classification and road/trail designations for state forest lands in Aitkin, Anoka, Cass, Chisago, Isanti, Kanabec, Pine and Washington Counties in July 2008. The agency held public meetings and solicited and received written comments and submissions regarding the public's use of forest lands, roads, and trails in these counties.
4. All public notice and public meeting requirements in *Minnesota Statutes*, and other applicable laws and rules have been met.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the forest trails described below are hereby designated pursuant to authority vested in me by Minnesota law:

1. Hunter Walking Trails – The 47.9 miles of trails depicted on the maps in *Exhibits A-1, A-2 and A-3*, attached hereto and incorporated herein, are designated primarily for use as hunter walking trails.
2. All-Terrain Vehicle (ATV) Trails - The 27.7 miles of trail depicted on the map in *Exhibit B-1*, attached hereto and incorporated herein, are designated primarily for use as ATV Trails.
3. All Terrain Vehicle (ATV) / Off-Highway Motorcycle (OHM) Trails – The 40.7 miles of trail depicted on the maps in *Exhibits C-1, C-2 and C-3* attached hereto and incorporated herein, are designated primarily for use as shared ATV and OHM trails.
4. Non-Motor Trails – the 85.4 miles of trail depicted in *Exhibits D-1, D-2 and D-3*, attached hereto and incorporated herein, are designated primarily for non-motorized recreational uses.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that these trail designations shall become effective September 1, 2009.

Date: 11.4.08



Mark Holsten, Commissioner
Department of Natural Resources

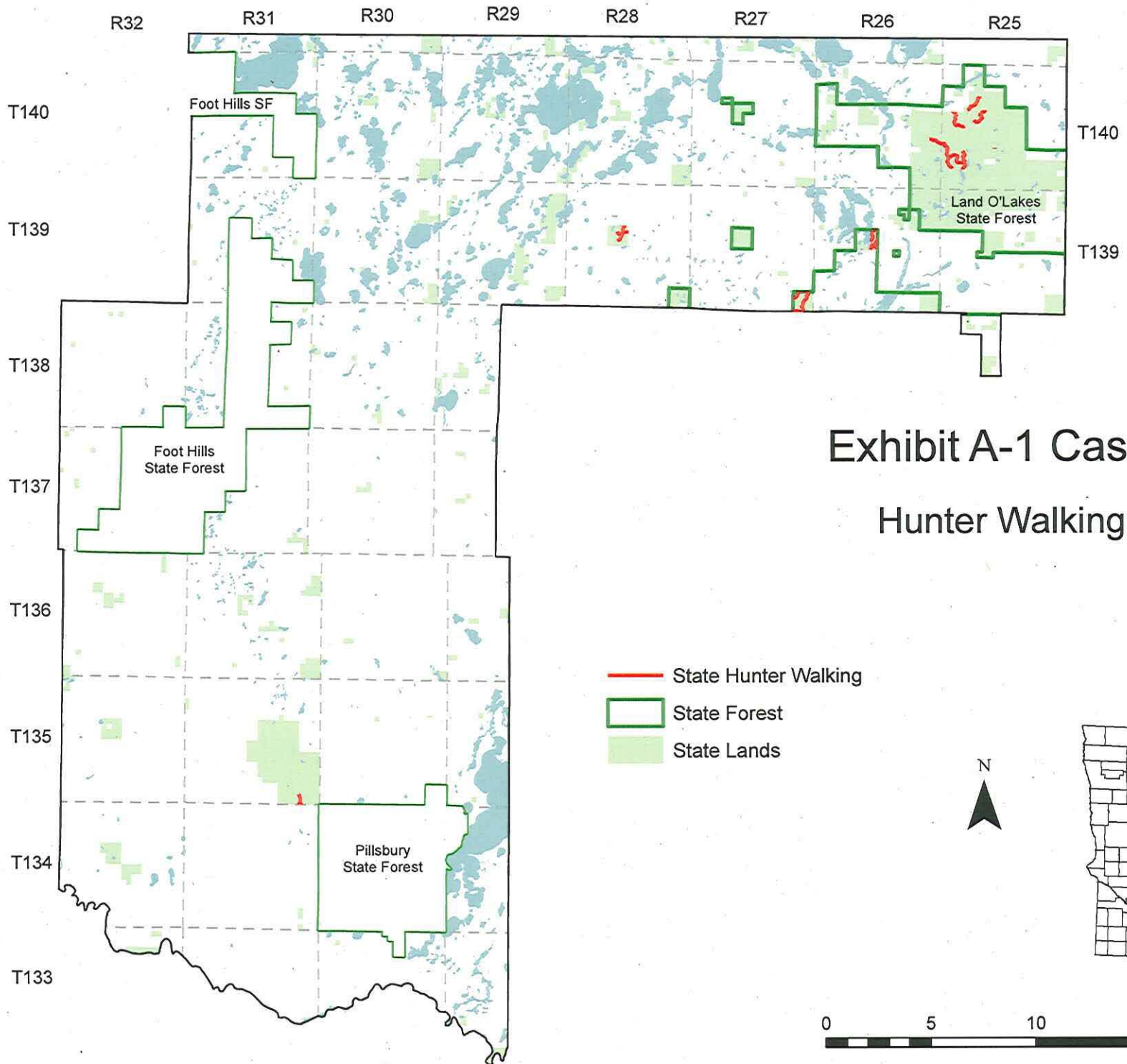


Exhibit A-1 Cass-South Hunter Walking Trails

- State Hunter Walking
- State Forest
- State Lands



Exhibit A-2 Aitkin

Hunter Walking Trails

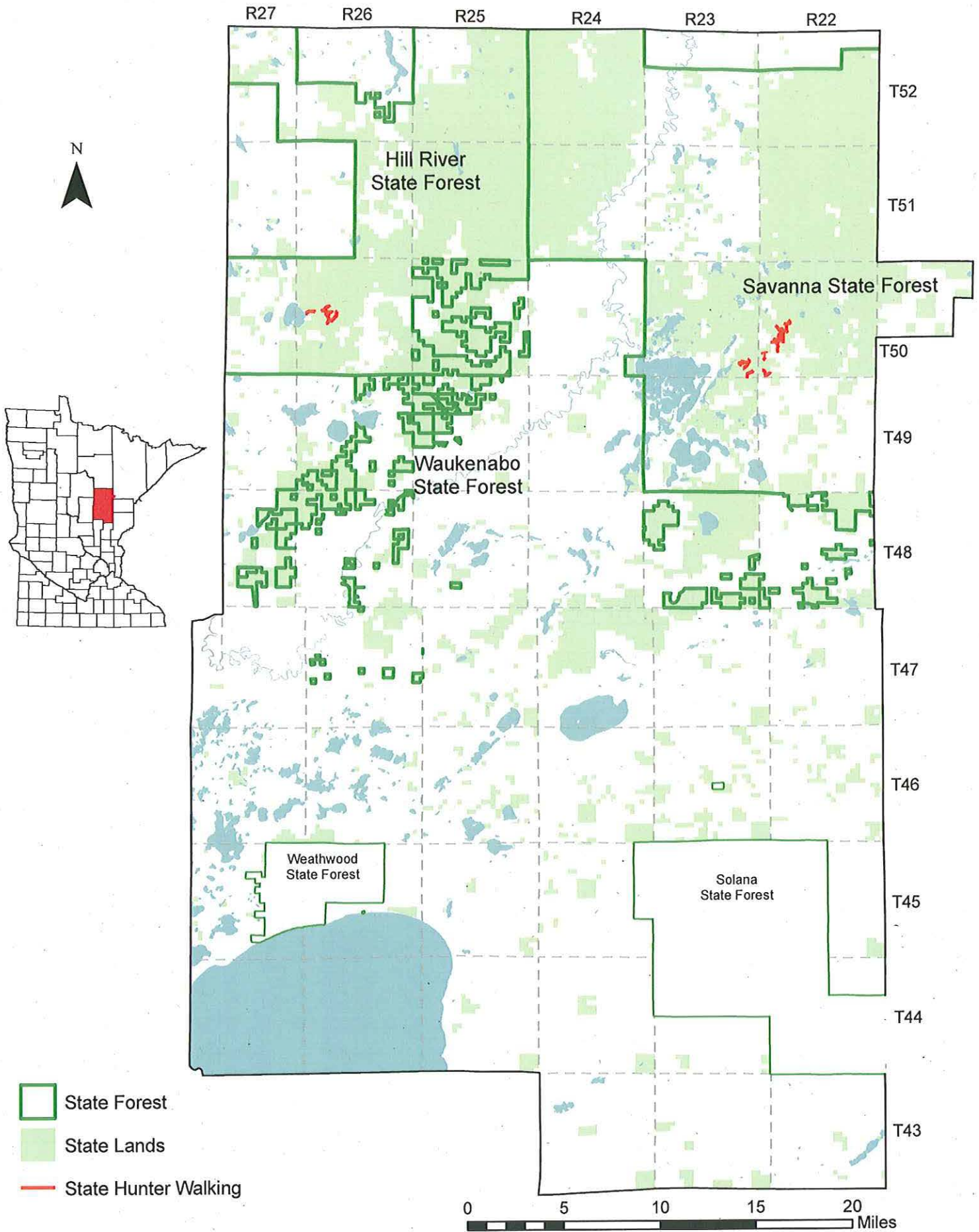
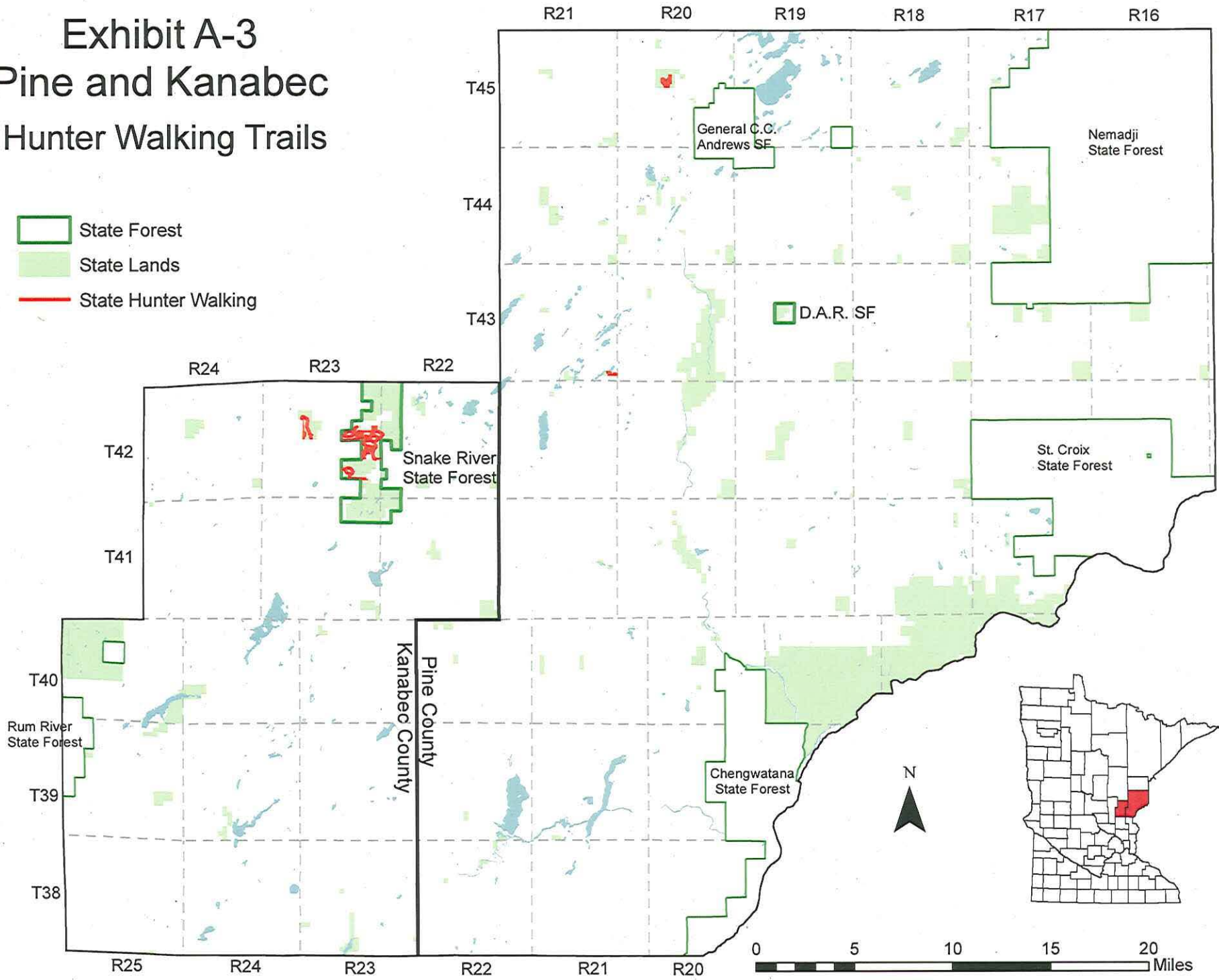


Exhibit A-3 Pine and Kanabec Hunter Walking Trails

-  State Forest
-  State Lands
-  State Hunter Walking



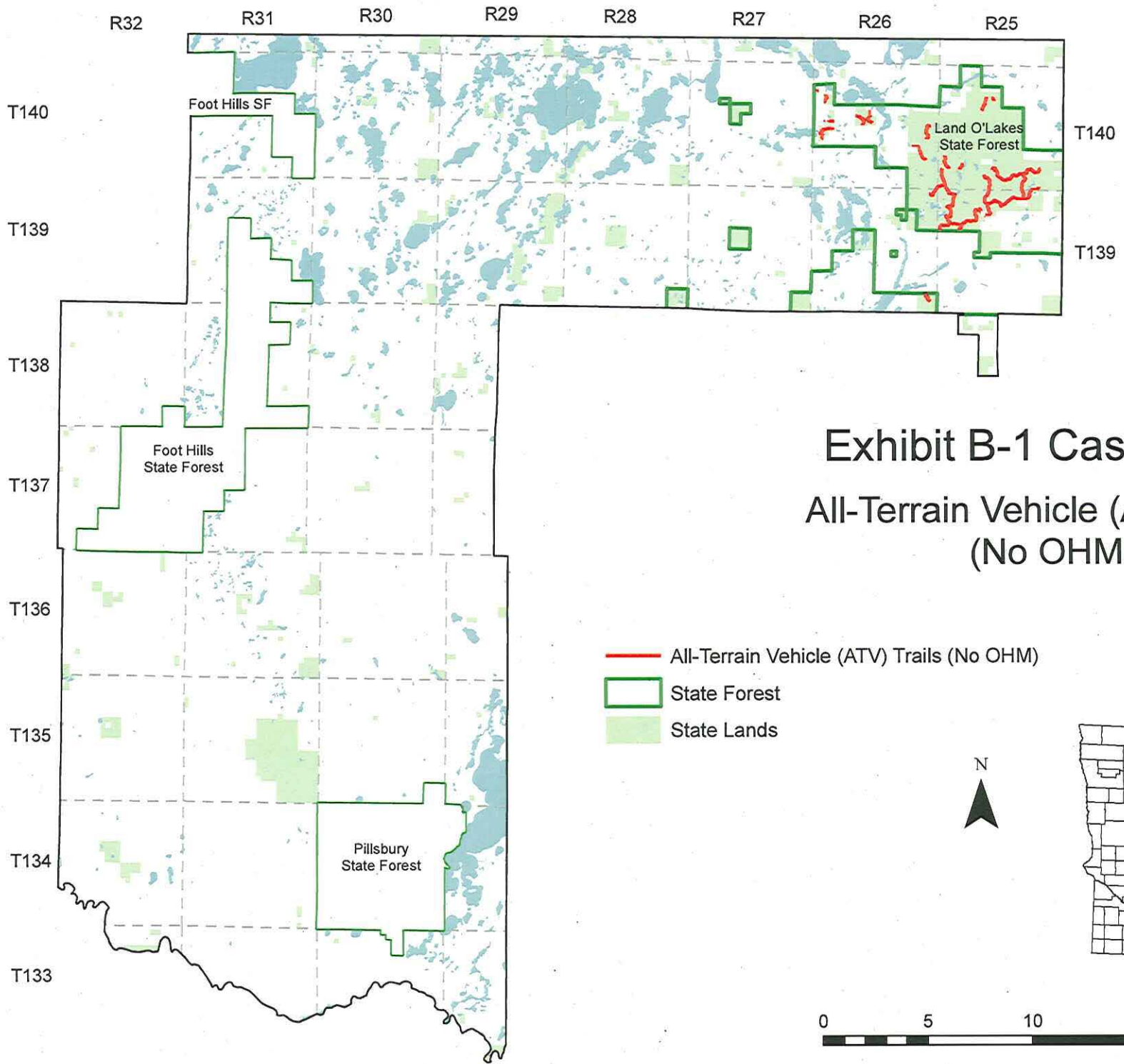
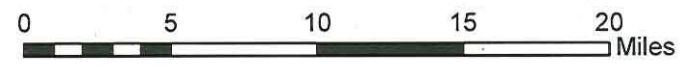


Exhibit B-1 Cass-South All-Terrain Vehicle (ATV) Trails (No OHM)

- All-Terrain Vehicle (ATV) Trails (No OHM)
- State Forest
- State Lands



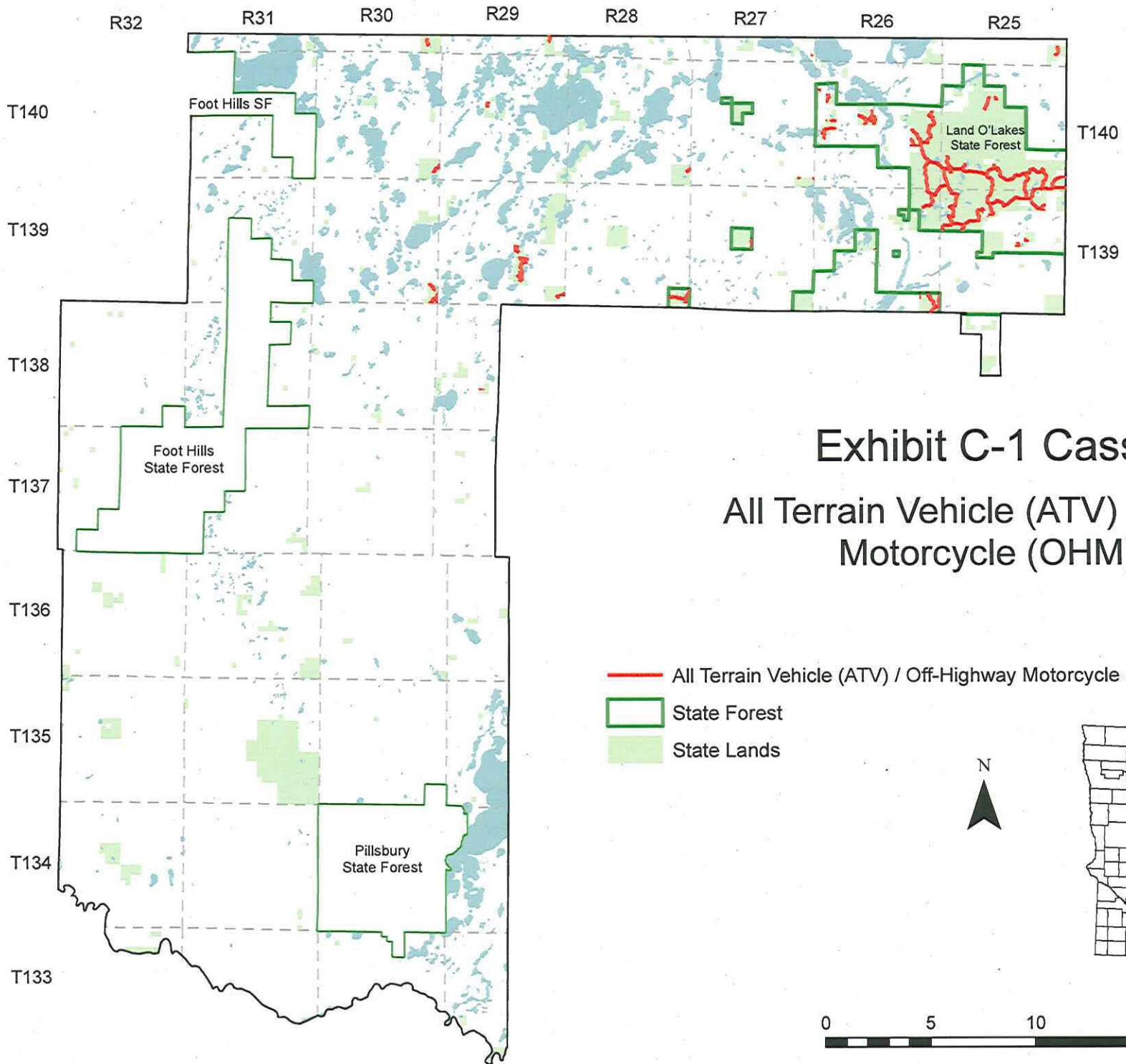


Exhibit C-1 Cass-South

All Terrain Vehicle (ATV) / Off-Highway Motorcycle (OHM) Trails

- All Terrain Vehicle (ATV) / Off-Highway Motorcycle (OHM) Trails
- State Forest
- State Lands



Exhibit C-2 Aitkin All Terrain Vehicle (ATV) / Off-Highway Motorcycle (OHM) Trails

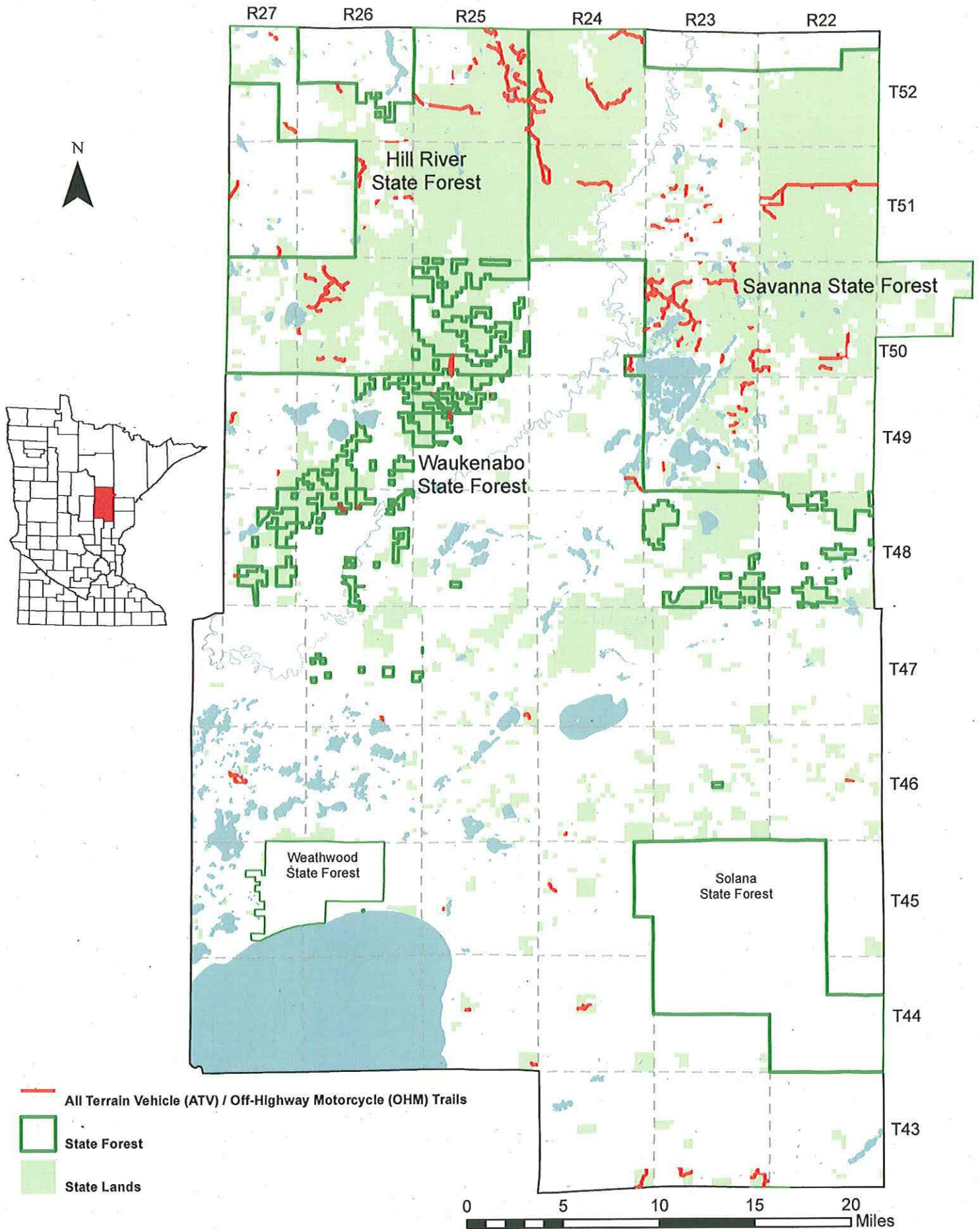



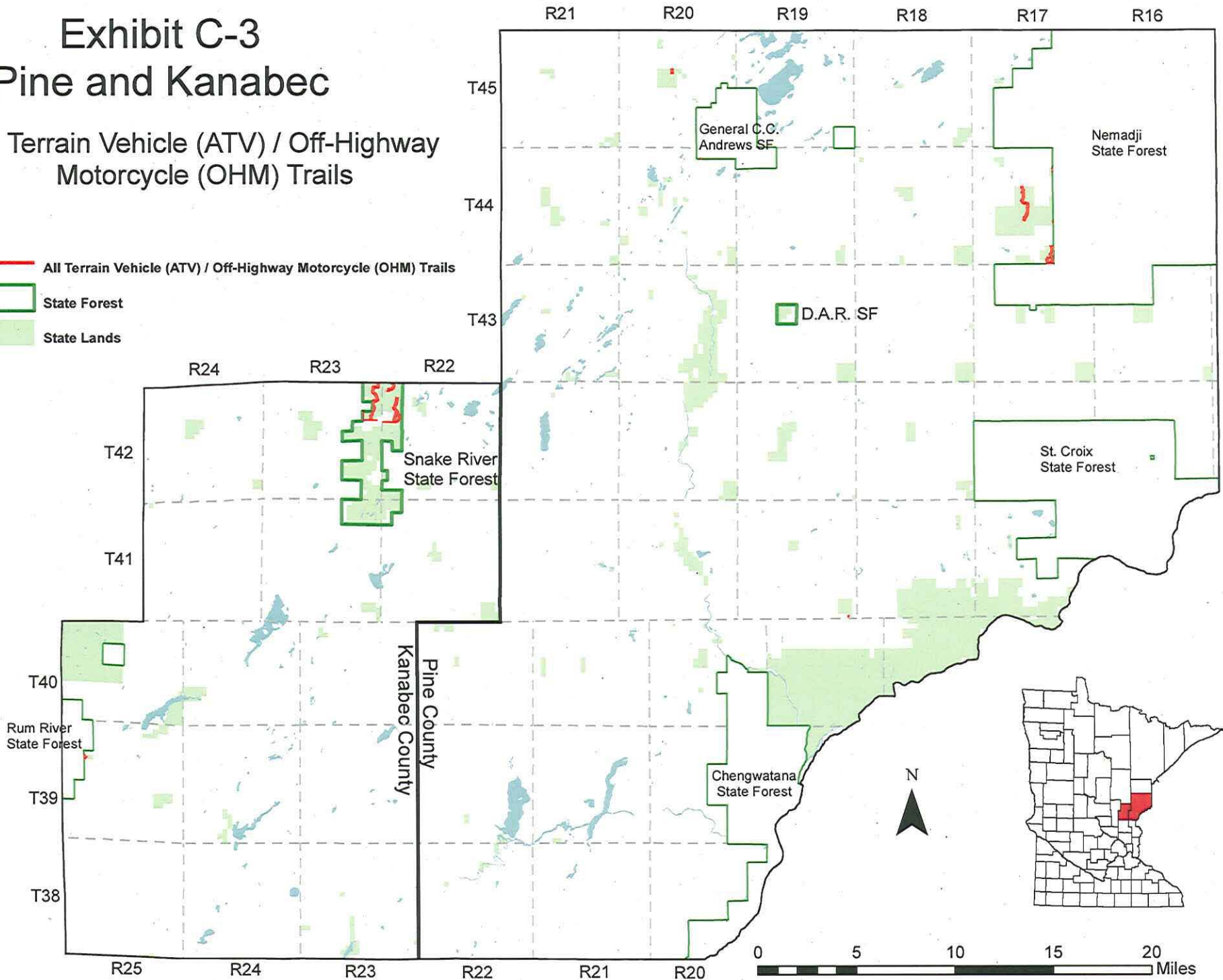


Exhibit C-3 Pine and Kanabec

All Terrain Vehicle (ATV) / Off-Highway Motorcycle (OHM) Trails

-  All Terrain Vehicle (ATV) / Off-Highway Motorcycle (OHM) Trails
-  State Forest
-  State Lands



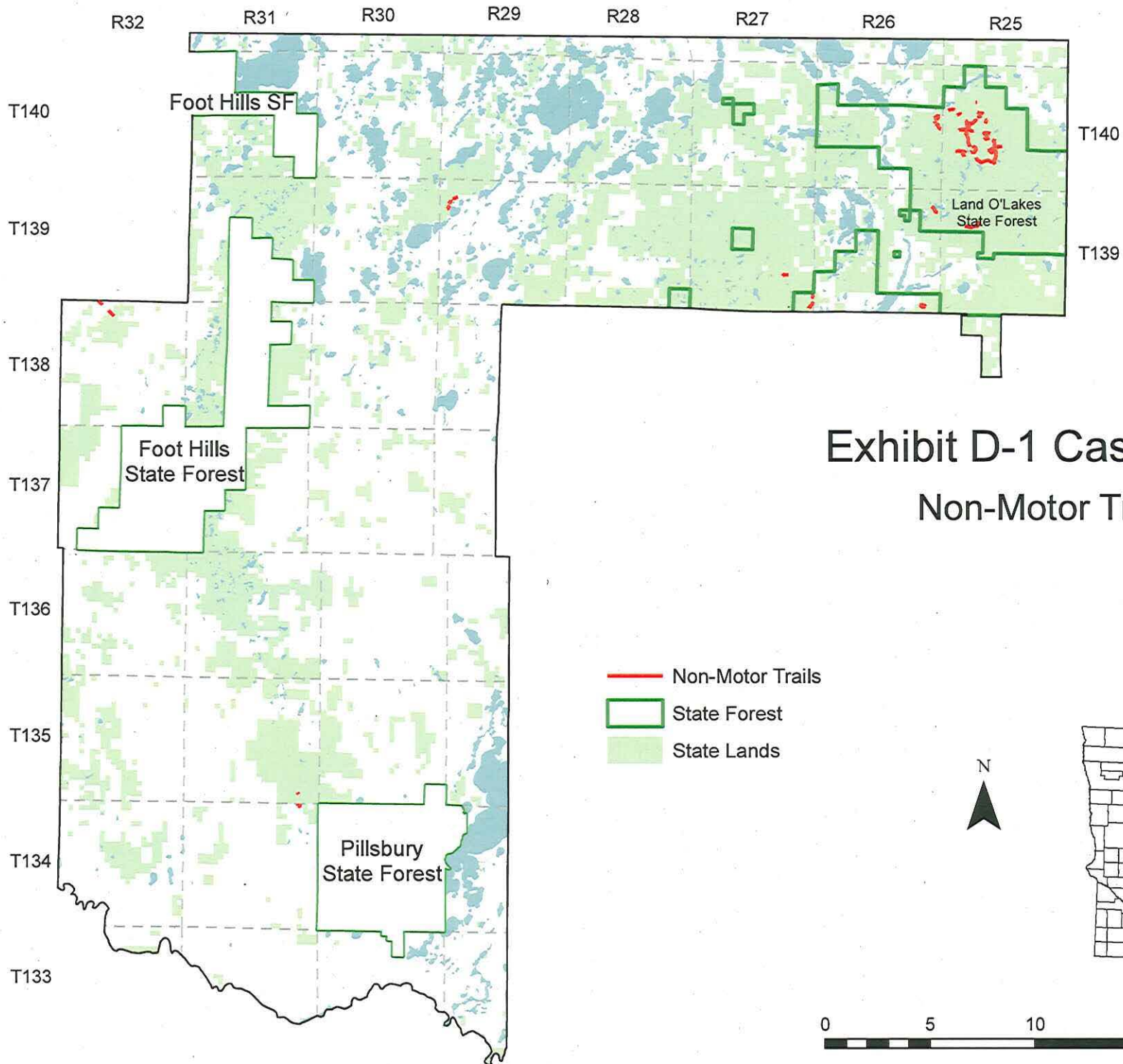


Exhibit D-1 Cass-South Non-Motor Trails



Exhibit D-2 Aitkin

Non-Motor Trails

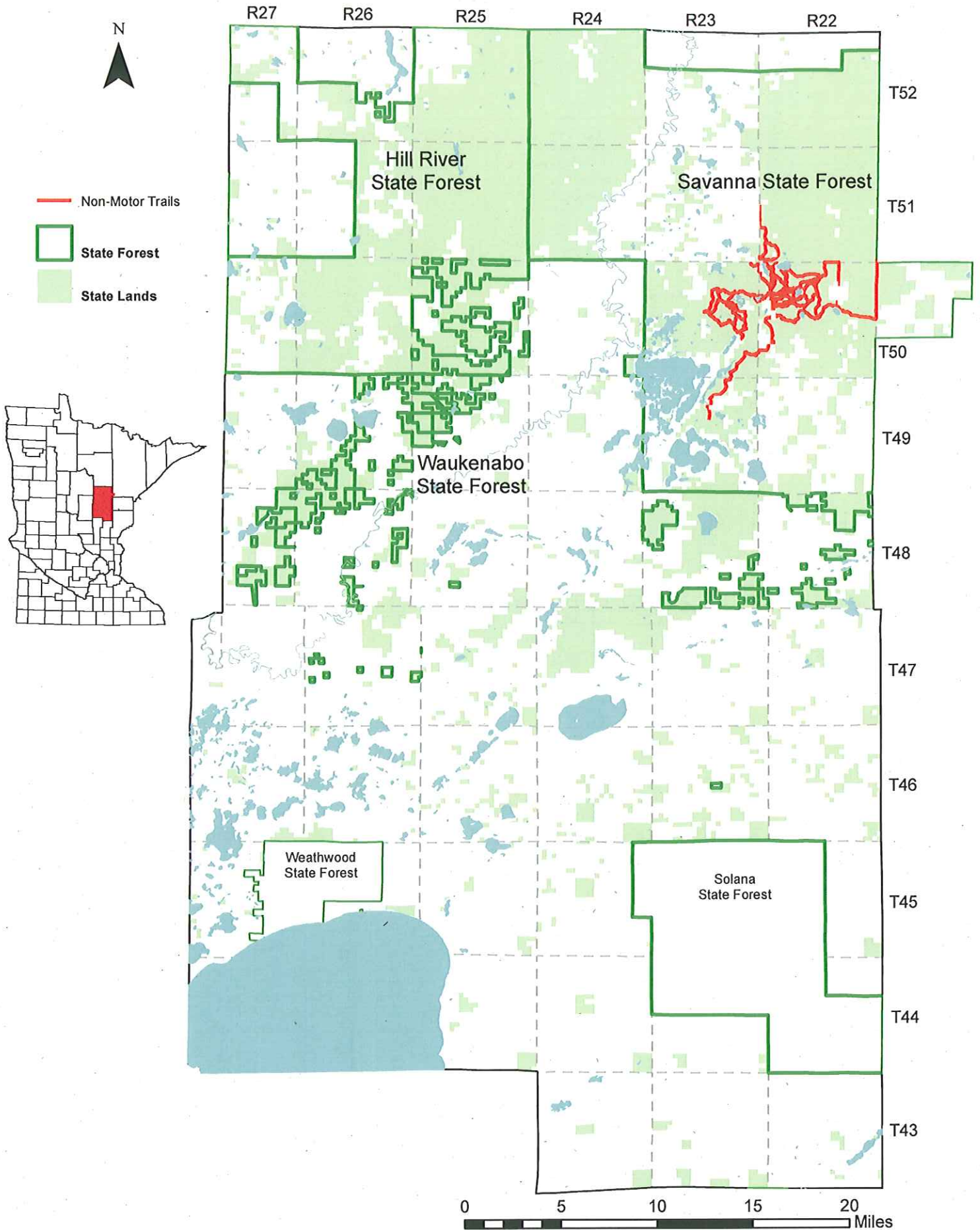


Exhibit D-3 Pine and Kanabec Non-Motor Trails

- Non-Motor Trails
- State Forest
- State Lands

