

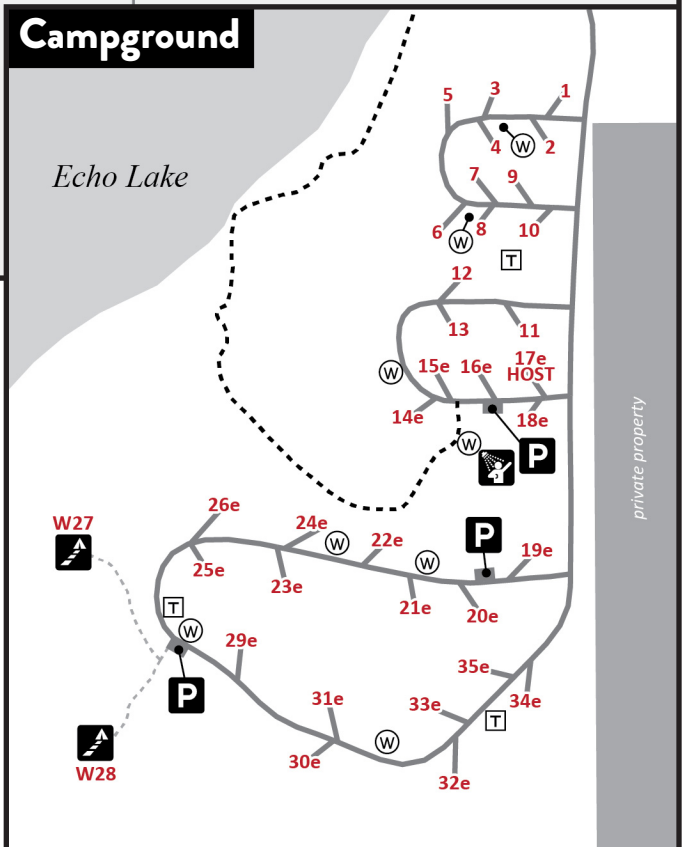
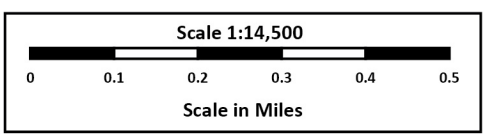
# MOOSE LAKE STATE PARK

## TRAILS

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| — Paved   | Picnic Area    | Campground       |
| - - - Hiking<br>(trails open but ungrooved in winter) | Shelter        | Walk-in Site     |
| — Hiking Club   | Trailer Access | Group Camp       |
| ***** Snowmobile                                      | Fishing Pier   | Restroom/Shower  |
|   | Swimming Beach | Primitive Toilet |
|   | Dam            | Drinking Water   |

## FACILITIES

- Park Buildings
- Parking



# MAP AND GUIDE: MOOSE LAKE STATE PARK

4252 COUNTY ROAD 137  
MOOSE LAKE, MN 55767  
CARLTON COUNTY  
218-460-7001



## VISITOR TIPS

- Prepare for mosquitoes, flies and ticks. Cover up, use bug spray and do a thorough tick check.
- The ranger station/Agate and Geological Center hours vary, please call ahead.
- In an emergency call 911.



## ONLY HAVE AN HOUR?

- Visit the Agate and Geological Center (at ranger station) to discover Minnesota's minerals and Lake Superior agates.
- Spend the afternoon at the beach. Play volleyball or horseshoes, build sandcastles or swim in Echo Lake.
- Wet a line from the accessible fishing pier. Echo Lake has great panfish habitat.
- Watch for birds, including resident trumpeter swans, along the Wildlife Pond Trail.



LOOKING FOR MORE TO DISCOVER?  
VISIT [MNDNR.GOV/MOOSELAKE](http://MNDNR.GOV/MOOSELAKE)

## ABOUT THE PARK

Moose Lake State Park was created in 1971 to offer additional camping opportunities in the area. Visit and you'll find so much more. Go for a quiet paddle on the lake or cast a line for bass, northern pike and panfish.

Pack a picnic lunch and relax, swim or watch for wildlife along the shores of Echo Lake. The lake itself was formed by large, melting blocks of ice left by the last glaciers. If minerals interest you, stop by the Agate and Geological Center for impressive displays.



Enjoy all the lake has to offer.

## TRAIL HIGHLIGHTS

### Wildlife Pond Trail

1.2-mile loop

Rolling hills • Mowed grass

Stroll through wooded and prairie habitats as you watch for migrating songbirds, nesting ducks, geese and trumpeter swans. Butterflies abound in the meadows, field edges and hardwood stands.

### Rolling Hills Trail (Hiking Club)

1.5-mile loop

Rolling hills • Mowed grass

Begin your hike beneath tall pines and eventually make your way through both wooded and prairie habitats.

### West Echo Lake Trail

0.9-mile loop

Some hills • Packed dirt • Mowed grass

This trail heads west from the picnic area along the lakeshore and then up a wooded hillside that overlooks Echo Lake. Splendid sunrise vistas await the early morning hiker.

## MORE TO EXPLORE AT THE PARK

- Bicycle the nearby Willard Munger State Trail to Hinckley or Duluth.
- Pack a picnic lunch and enjoy lake views.
- Checkout a free fishing kit, birding kit, GPS unit or Kid's Discovery Kit from the ranger station.
- Stay overnight at a drive-in campsite, walk-into campsite or group camp. Call 866-857-2757 or visit [MNDNR.GOV/RESERVATIONS](http://MNDNR.GOV/RESERVATIONS) to reserve.
- Rent a canoe, kayak or boat from the ranger station.

## SO EVERYONE CAN ENJOY THE PARK...

A full set of STATE PARK RULES AND REGULATIONS is available at [mndnr.gov](http://mndnr.gov).



### PARK OPEN

8 a.m.–10 p.m. daily.



### VEHICLE PERMITS

Permits required; purchase at park office or entrance kiosk.



### PETS WELCOME

Keep on 6-foot leash; pick up after; attend at all times; not allowed in buildings or at beaches.



### CAMPGROUND QUIET HOURS

10 p.m.–8 a.m.; only registered campers may be in campground during quiet hours.



### FIREWOOD

Must be purchased at this park or from vendors who sell wood approved for this park; no gathering firewood in the park.



CURIOUS ABOUT THE WILLARD MUNGER STATE TRAIL? VISIT [MNDNR.GOV/TRAILS](http://MNDNR.GOV/TRAILS)

## ? MORE INFORMATION

Minnesota Department of Natural Resources  
Information Center  
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888-646-6367 or [mndnr.gov/parks](http://mndnr.gov/parks)

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