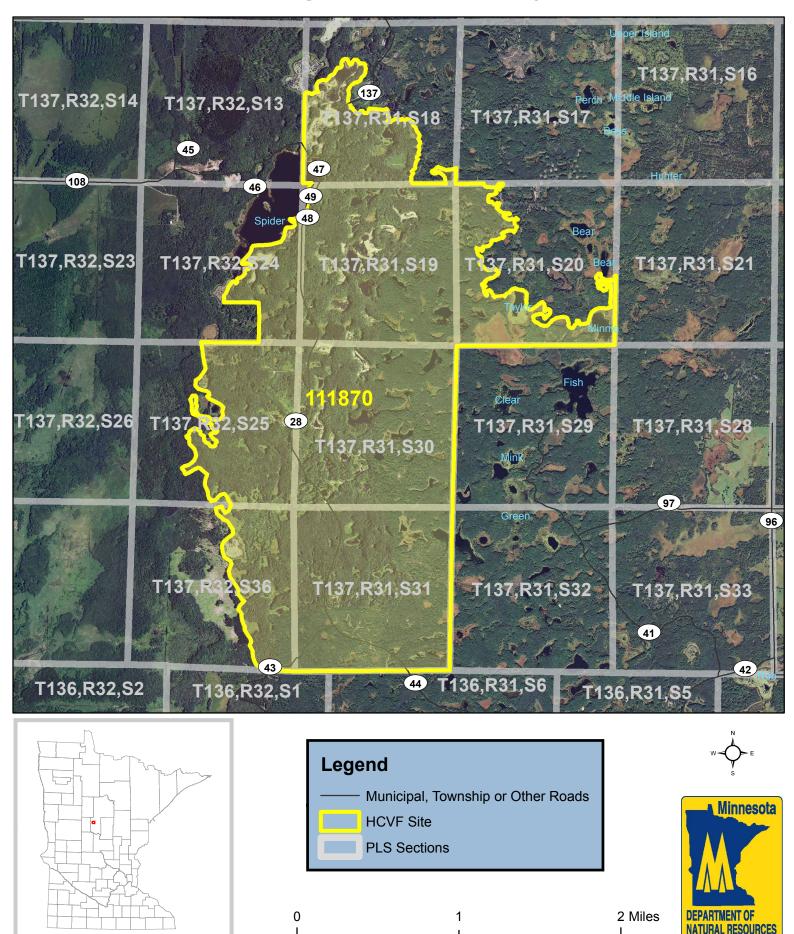
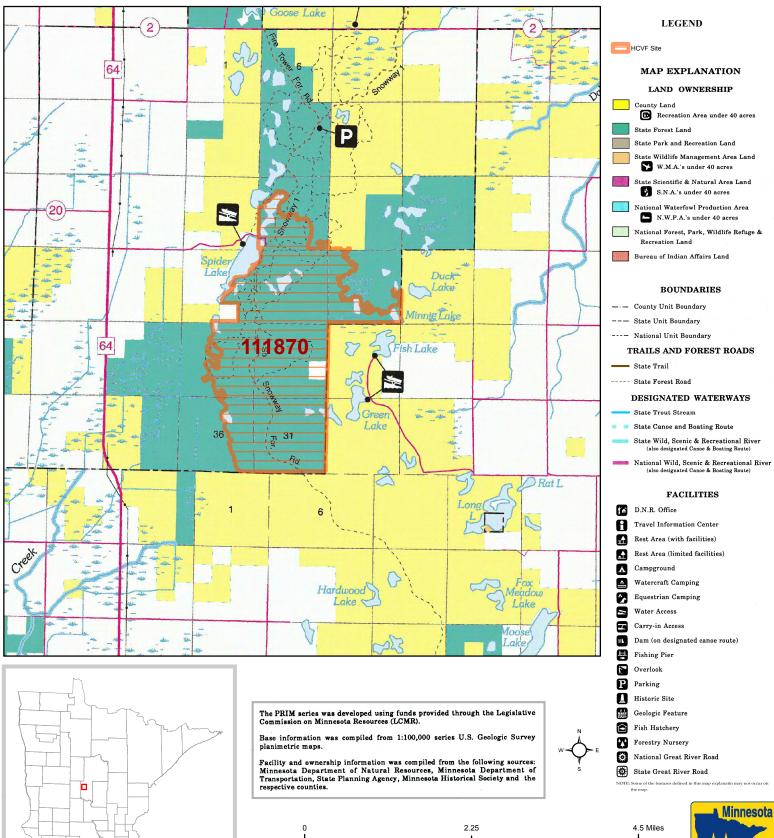
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Land ownership categories on this map are in some cases outdated. HCVF sites are on DNR-managed land only; DNR HCVF sites have not been identified on other ownerships.



HCVF Informational Report

Report Run: September 3, 2013

General Information

HCVF #: 111870

HCVF Name: Bungo 29 Acres of HCVF site: 3093.79

County: Cass

Data edited by: Becky Marty, Erik Thorson

Role: NW Reg HCVF Team EWR and Wildlife Representatives

Date edited on: 2013-08-22

Corresponding Land Administrator(s): Forestry

Management Unit Name(s) (if applicable): Park Rapids Area Forestry

HCVF Summary

Large block of oak-aspen-red maple forest; hilly terrain with many small lakes and wetlands. More than 2,900 acres of contiguous forest interrupted by lakes and wetlands; red-shouldered hawk habitat; large area of contiguous, mature dry-mesic hardwood forest. Much of aspen is young but lots of land typed as mature oak. Fairly dissected; may add moderate sites.

HCVs known to be present that factored into HCVF designation.

FSC expects DNR to maintain HCVs within designated HCVFs. Because HCVF boundaries are not the same as the larger, multi-ownership MBS Sites, this list will differ from the values identified during the MBS Survey.

EASTERN BROADLEAF FOREST PROVINCE HCVs: 1g (Examples of outstanding key habitats): wetland-nonforest, forest-upland coniferous (red-white pine); 2a EBF (Intact forest block): yes, 3,094 acres; 2d EBF (forest blocks with vernal pools): yes; 3b (S1 or S2 plant community): FDc34; 3c (Special S3 plant community): APn91; 3d (Natural origin pine stand).

Management Considerations

Overall management objectives for the entire HCVF:

Region HCVF Recommendations - Minimize size and impact on crown closure from any harvest activities; maintain at least 50% crown closure. - Identify location of regionally rare species documented on HCV perimeters and follow applicable recommended habitat guidelines. - Maintain diverse ground cover. - Maintain current mix of cover types and age classes across the HCVF; look for opportunities to promote older growth stages. - Verify rare NPC subtypes. - Minimize development of shrubs in understory. - Consult latest BMP recommendations for vernal pools.

recommendations:

2008 Chippewa Plains-Pine Moraines and Outwash Plains SFRMP. MFRC riparian scientific report.

Are the HCVs within this HCVF likely to benefit from coordination with adjacent landowner(s)? _Yes_

This HCVF was flagged by the Regional HCVF Team as warranting cross-ownership coordination efforts. The specific HCVs likely to benefit from such coordination with adjacent landowners are identified below.

HCV 1g, 2a, 2d, 3b, 3c. Likely rare NPCs and confirmed rare species extend onto adjacent Cass county and private lands.

General Comments

Site includes a high density of OHV trails (Spider Lake OHV system).

Reference to rare plants and animals, Minnesota Biological Survey Sites of Biological Significance and mapped native plant communities are records maintained in the Minnesota DNR's Natural Heritage Information System (NHIS). A date of information is associated with each record. The NHIS is continually updated as new information becomes available. The lack of data listed for any geographic area should not be construed to mean that no significant features are present.

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