

NATIONAL WILDERNESS PRESERVATION SYSTEM

Whisker Lake Wilderness
Nicolet National Forest

I hereby certify that the legal description and map herewith represent the location of the boundary of the Whisker Lake Wilderness on the Nicolet National Forest as covered in the National Wilderness Preservation System by the Act of October 21, 1978.

Signed

9/20/79

Date

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Regional Forester

LEGAL DESCRIPTION - WHISKER LAKE WILDERNESS - NICOLET NATIONAL FOREST - WISCONSIN

The Whisker Lake Wilderness is located on the Florence Ranger District of the Nicolet National Forest, Florence County, Wisconsin. The boundary is delineated on the map made a part of this description and is entitled: Whisker Lake Wilderness, Act of October 21, 1978, PL-95-494.

Measurements between controlling corner and line positions and reference features on the boundary of Whisker Lake Wilderness are map scaled measurements subject to change with an accurate and legal survey made in compliance with the rules for the survey of the public lands. The legal boundary description of the Whisker Lake Wilderness is:

Fourth Principal Meridian

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1. Beginning at the closing township corner to townships 16-17 east on the Fourth Standard Parallel.
2. South 2.6 miles along east range line to water's edge of Edith Lake.
3. West and south 0.4 mile along water's edge of Edith Lake to intersection with east range line on south side of Edith Lake.
4. South 1.4 miles along east range line to the section corner common to sections 19-24-25-30 of Township 40 North, Ranges 16-17 East.
5. West 0.75 mile along the section line common to sections 24-25 to the west one-sixteenth corner common to sections 24-25.
6. South 0.6 mile along west one-sixteenth line section 25 to north right-of-way line of State Highway 70 and being 33 feet north of centerline of State Highway 70.
7. Westerly 1.0 mile along north right-of-way line of State Highway 70 and 33 feet north of and parallel with centerline of State Highway 70 to the west one-sixteenth line of section 26.
8. North 0.25 mile along west one-sixteenth line section 26 to west center one-sixteenth corner section 26.
9. West 0.25 mile along east-west centerline section 26 to the quarter corner common to sections 26-27.
10. South 0.25 mile along section line common to sections 26-27 to the north right-of-way line of State Highway 70 and being 33 feet north of the centerline of State Highway 70.
11. Westerly 1.2 miles along the north right-of-way line of State Highway 70 and being 33 feet north of and parallel with the centerline of State Highway 70 to the east right-of-way line of Forest Road 2150 and being 33 feet east of the centerline of Forest Road 2150.

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12. Northerly 5.0 miles along the east right-of-way line of Forest Road 2150 and 33 feet east of and parallel with the centerline of Forest Road 2150 to the point of intersection with the north line of section 3 on the Fourth Standard Parallel.

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13. Northeasterly .9 mile along the east right-of-way line of Forest Road 2150 and 33 feet southeasterly and parallel with the centerline of Forest Road 2150 in section 35 and 36 to the south shore and water's edge of Brule River.
14. Easterly .9 mile along the south shore and water's edge of Brule River in section 36 to the point of intersection with the east range line.

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15. Easterly and southeasterly .7 mile along the south shore and water's edge of Brule River in section 31 to the point of intersection with the south township line.
16. West 3.79 chains on the south township line to the closing township corner to Townships 16-17 east on the Fourth Standard Parallel and the point of beginning, containing 7,428 acres more or less.