

## Whitacre, Marina -FS

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Below are two potential cabin sites suggested by Joe Boggs. These are some of his reasons he views these as ideal locations.

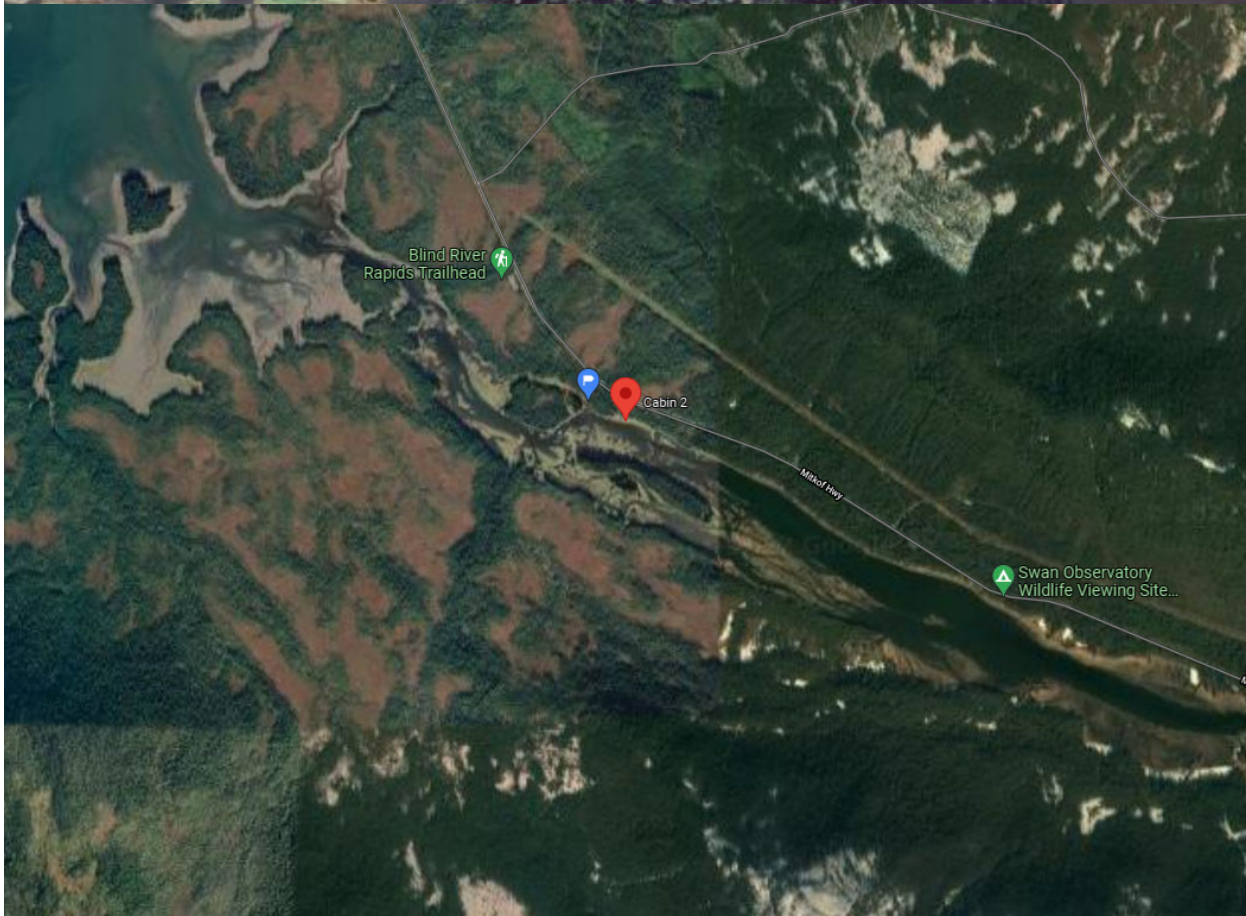
- Both are located off the Mitkof Highway, and each has its own pull off
- Both are located on an established maintenance route
- This section of the highway is plowed during the winter, which would make them accessible year-round
- This general area is already used for recreational activities
- Parents bring their kids here to play in the shallow water because it is warmer
- There is good wildlife viewing
- Known duck hunting location
- These area receive lots of sunlight and gets a nice breeze from the slough

### Location #1 (Blue)

- 14.6 miles from town
- Approximately 122 yards from the road to proposed site
- Located on top of a relatively flat bluff with views of Blind Slough
- There is already a trail there to another private rec cabin
- Path would be through open muskeg and into a forested area
- Located at 56.62916 -132.87946

### Location #2 (Red)

- 14.8 miles from town
- Approximately 70 yards from the road to proposed site
- Site is flat just tucked into the woods
- Adjacent to freshwater stream
- Although the distance to get there is shorter, there is more grade going down from the road
- Views are more open, of the slough, and of Crystal Mountain
- Located at 56.62818 -132.87620



Let me know if you have any questions. Thanks!



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Site 1 NW Beach





Site 1 NW View





Site 1 View from  
Woods







Site 2 Facing Woods





Site 2 Cabin Location



Site 2 SE View





Blind River  
Rapids Trailhead



Cabin 2

Minkof Hwy



Swan Observatory  
Wildlife Viewing Site...