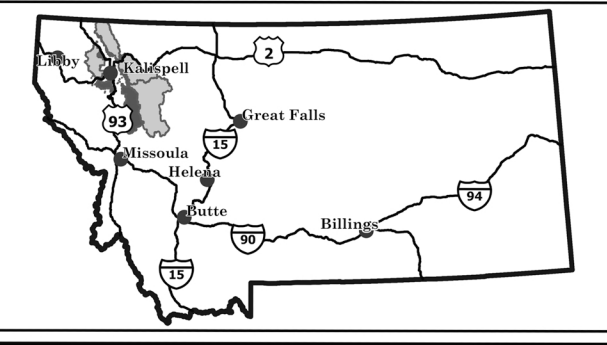


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FLATHEAD NATIONAL FOREST
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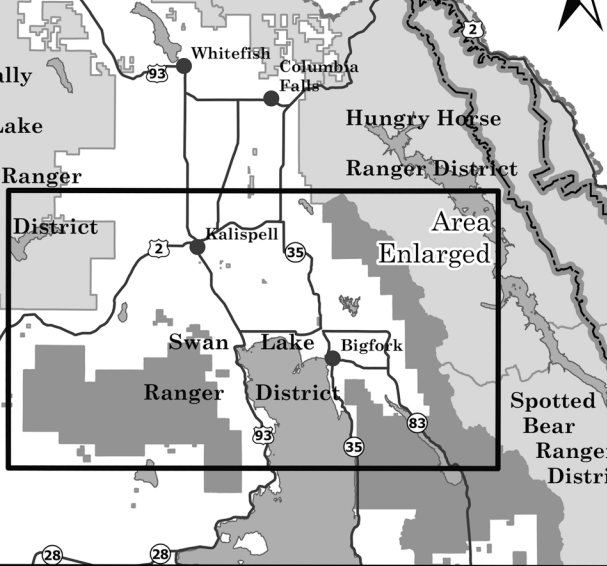


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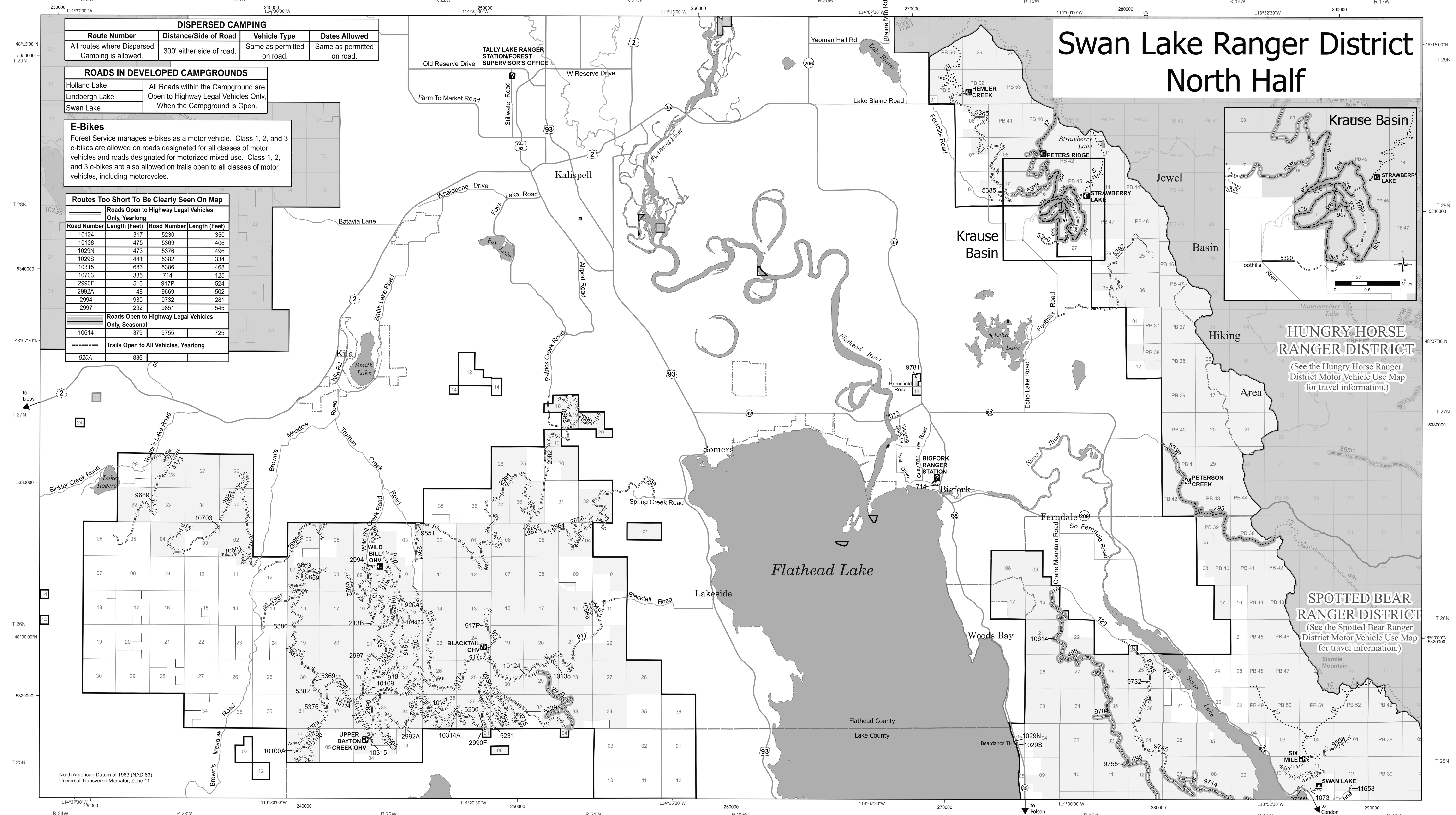
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498	04/01-11/30	0.345	16.162
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5388	07/01-03/31	0.000	4.300
5398	07/01-11/30	1.918	3.100
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293	07/01 - 03/31	0.180	5.930
37	07/01 - 11/30	0.000	2.300
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903	07/01 - 08/31; 12/01 - 3/31	0.000	1.260
904	07/01 - 08/31; 12/01 - 3/31	0.000	3.990
905	07/01 - 08/31; 12/01 - 3/31	0.000	3.280
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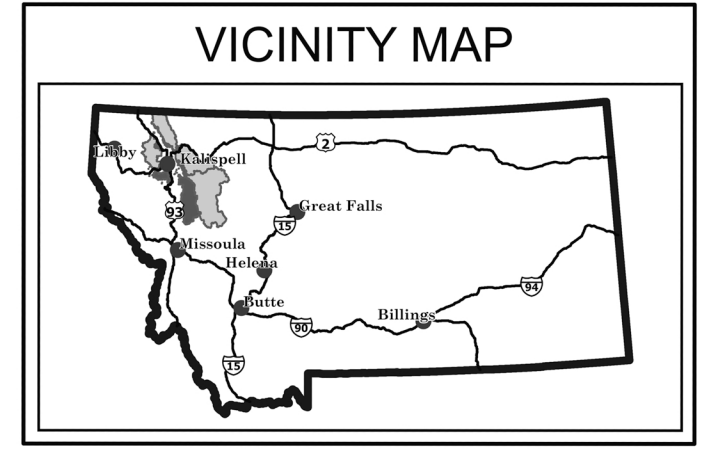
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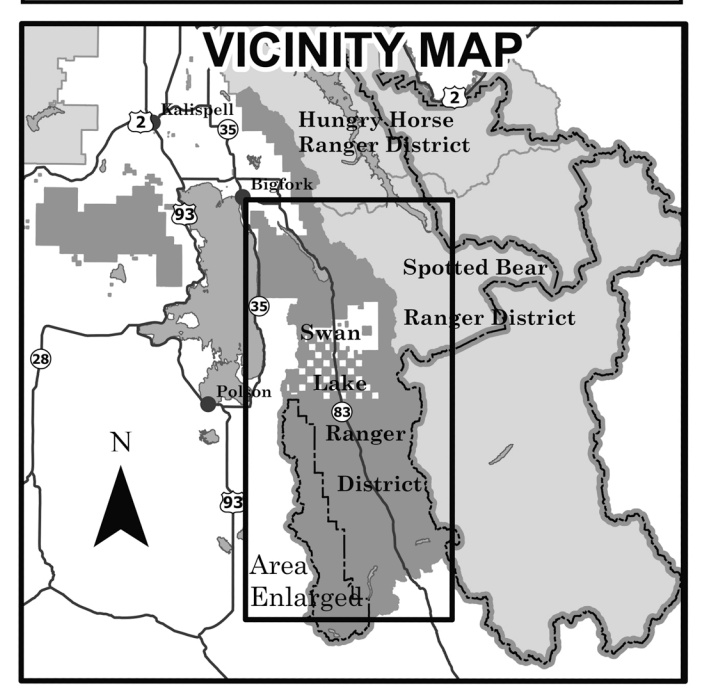
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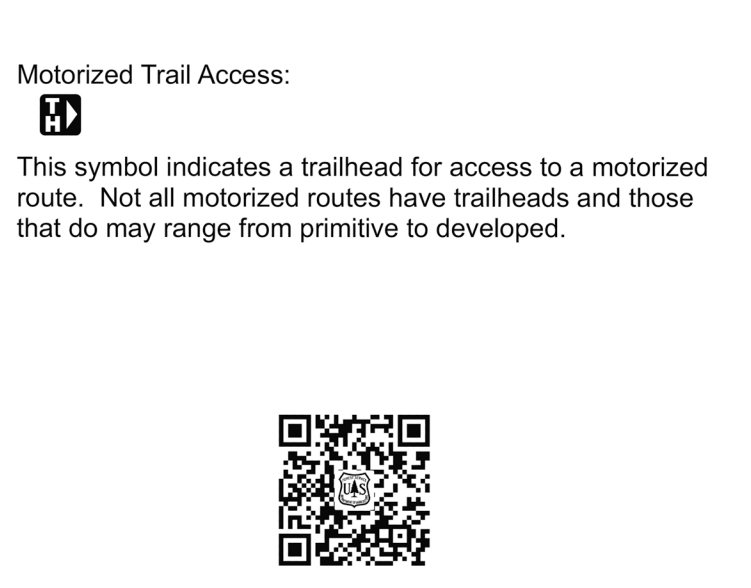
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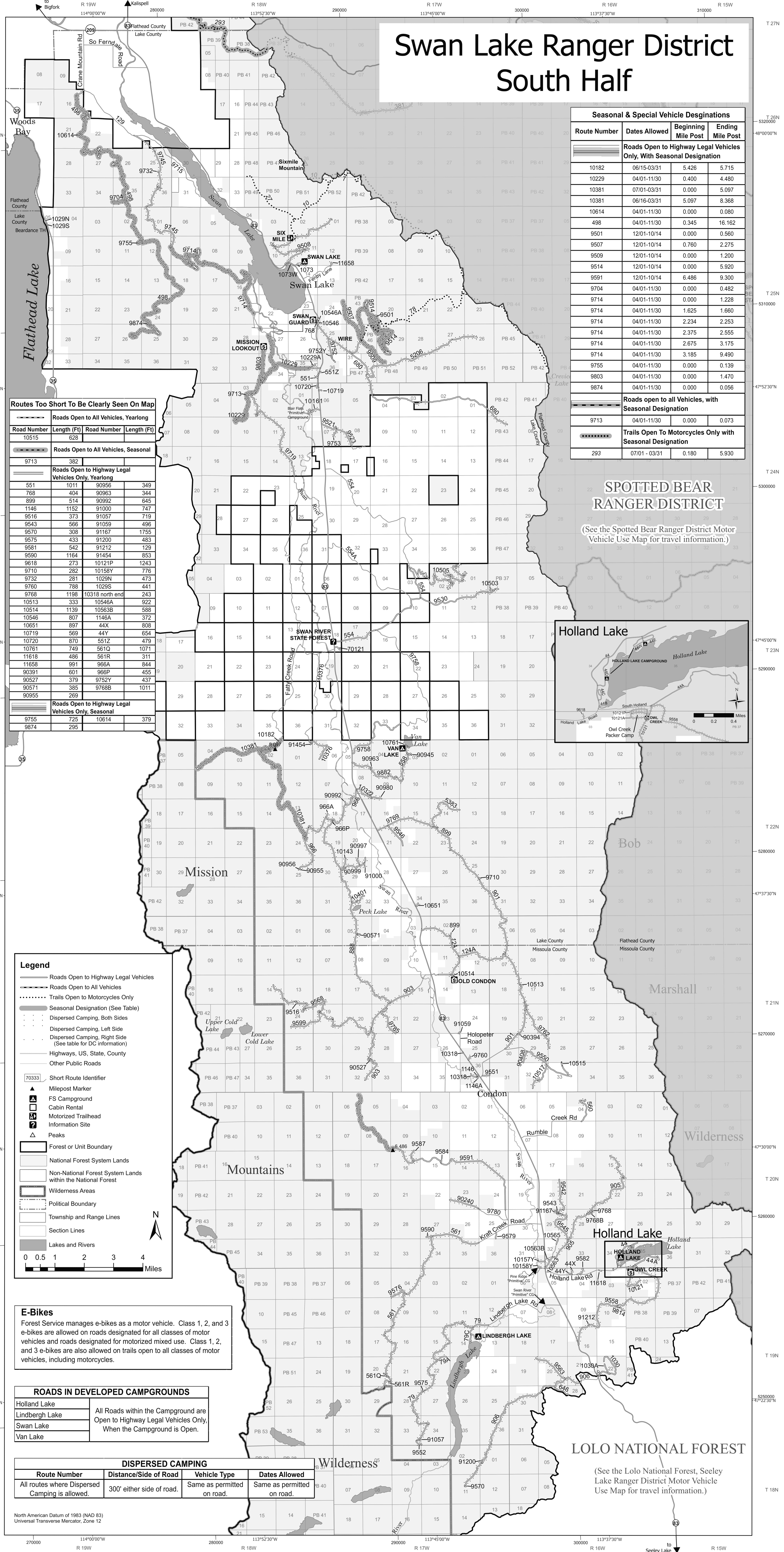
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Routes Too Short To Be Clearly Seen On Map

Roads Open to All Vehicles, Yearlong			
Route Number	Length (Ft)	Road Number	Length (Ft)
10515	628		

Roads Open to All Vehicles, Seasonal			
9713	382		

Roads Open to Highway Legal Vehicles Only, Yearlong			
551	1011	90956	349
768	404	90963	344
899	514	90992	645
1146	1152	91000	747
9516	373	91057	719
9543	566	91059	496
9670	308	91167	1755
9575	433	91200	483
9581	542	91212	129
9590	1164	91454	853
9618	273	10121P	1243
9710	282	10158Y	776
9732	281	1029N	473
9760	788	1029S	441
9768	1198	10318 north end	243
10513	333	10540A	922
10514	1139	10563B	588
10546	807	1146A	372
10651	897	44X	808
10719	569	44Y	654
10720	870	551Z	479
10761	749	561Q	1071
11618	486	561R	311
11658	991	966A	844
90391	601	966P	455
90527	379	9752V	437
90571	385	9768B	1011
90955	269		

Roads Open to Highway Legal Vehicles Only, Seasonal			
9755	725	10614	379
9874	295		

Legend

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E-Bikes

Forest Service manages e-bikes as a motor vehicle. Class 1, 2, and 3 e-bikes are allowed on roads designated for all classes of motor vehicles and roads designated for motorized mixed use. Class 1, 2, and 3 e-bikes are also allowed on trails open to all classes of motor vehicles, including motorcycles.

ROADS IN DEVELOPED CAMPGROUNDS

Campground	Designation
Holland Lake	All Roads within the Campground are Open to Highway Legal Vehicles Only, When the Campground is Open.
Lindbergh Lake	
Swan Lake	
Van Lake	

DISPERSED CAMPING

Route Number	Distance/Side of Road	Vehicle Type	Dates Allowed
All routes where Dispersed Camping is allowed.	300' either side of road.	Same as permitted on road.	Same as permitted on road.

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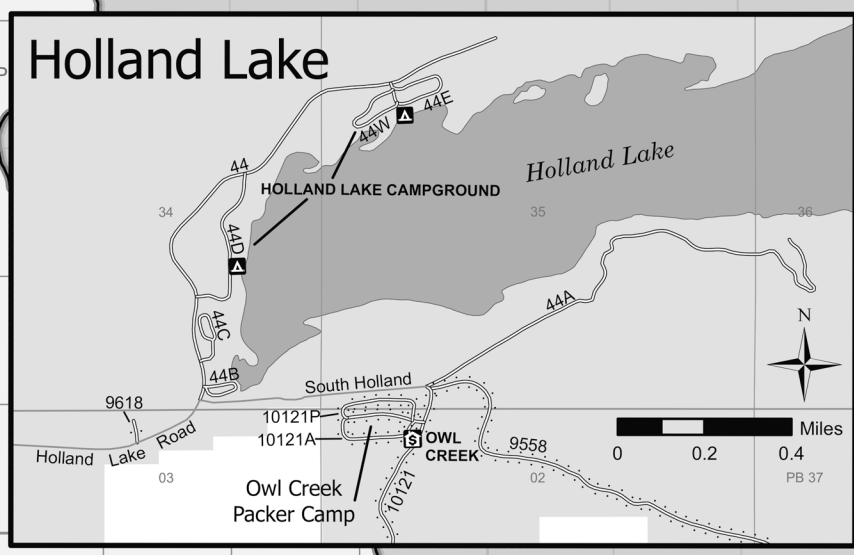
Swan Lake Ranger District South Half

Seasonal & Special Vehicle Designations

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10182	06/15-03/31	5.426	5.715
10229	04/01-11/30	0.400	4.480
10381	07/01-03/31	0.000	5.097
10381	06/16-03/31	5.097	8.368
10614	04/01-11/30	0.000	0.080
498	04/01-11/30	0.345	16.162
9501	12/01-10/14	0.000	0.560
9507	12/01-10/14	0.760	2.275
9509	12/01-10/14	0.000	1.200
9514	12/01-10/14	0.000	5.920
9591	12/01-10/14	6.486	9.300
9704	04/01-11/30	0.000	0.482
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9714	04/01-11/30	2.234	2.253
9714	04/01-11/30	2.375	2.555
9714	04/01-11/30	2.675	3.175
9714	04/01-11/30	3.185	9.490
9755	04/01-11/30	0.000	0.139
9803	04/01-11/30	0.000	1.470
9874	04/01-11/30	0.000	0.056
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9713	04/01-11/30	0.000	0.073
Trails Open To Motorcycles Only with Seasonal Designation			
293	07/01 - 03/31	0.180	5.930

**SPOTTED BEAR
RANGER DISTRICT**

(See the Spotted Bear Ranger District Motor Vehicle Use Map for travel information.)



LOLO NATIONAL FOREST

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