



United States Department of Agriculture

Turkey Fork Recreation Area

Chickasawhay Ranger District



Ranger District Office
968 Hwy 15 South
Laurel, MS 39443
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Location
Located about 30 miles east of
Richton, MS, on County Road 232



Open Dates/Hours
Open year round unless weather
conditions require closures.
Day Use Hours: 6 AM - 10 PM



Campsites
20 RV campsites and 9 tent sites
with picnic tables and grills; water
and electrical hookups; dump station



Water
Potable water provided year round



Restrooms
Bathhouse and restrooms are
available



Trash Pick-up
Pack out all trash



Fees
Day Use - \$5 per vehicle
Tent Camping - \$7 per vehicle
RV Camping - \$20 (Camping \$14+
\$6 hook up/per day per vehicle)
Pavilion - \$40 per day (Day use fee
still applies, Reservation fee payable
in Laurel office only)

Turkey Fork is a popular recreation destination offering premier fishing, camping, picnicking and watersports activities, such as swimming and skiing.

It has two developed campgrounds, a boat ramp and floating dock, two swimming areas, three bathhouses, and a 240 acre lake stocked with bass, crappie, and bluegill. Day use visitors will find secluded picnicking sites located near the beach. A $\frac{3}{4}$ mile hiking trail connects the day use area to the camping area.

Trails nearby: Turkey Fork Trail

Closest Town: Richton
County: Greene

Latitude: 31.20N
Longitude: -88.42W



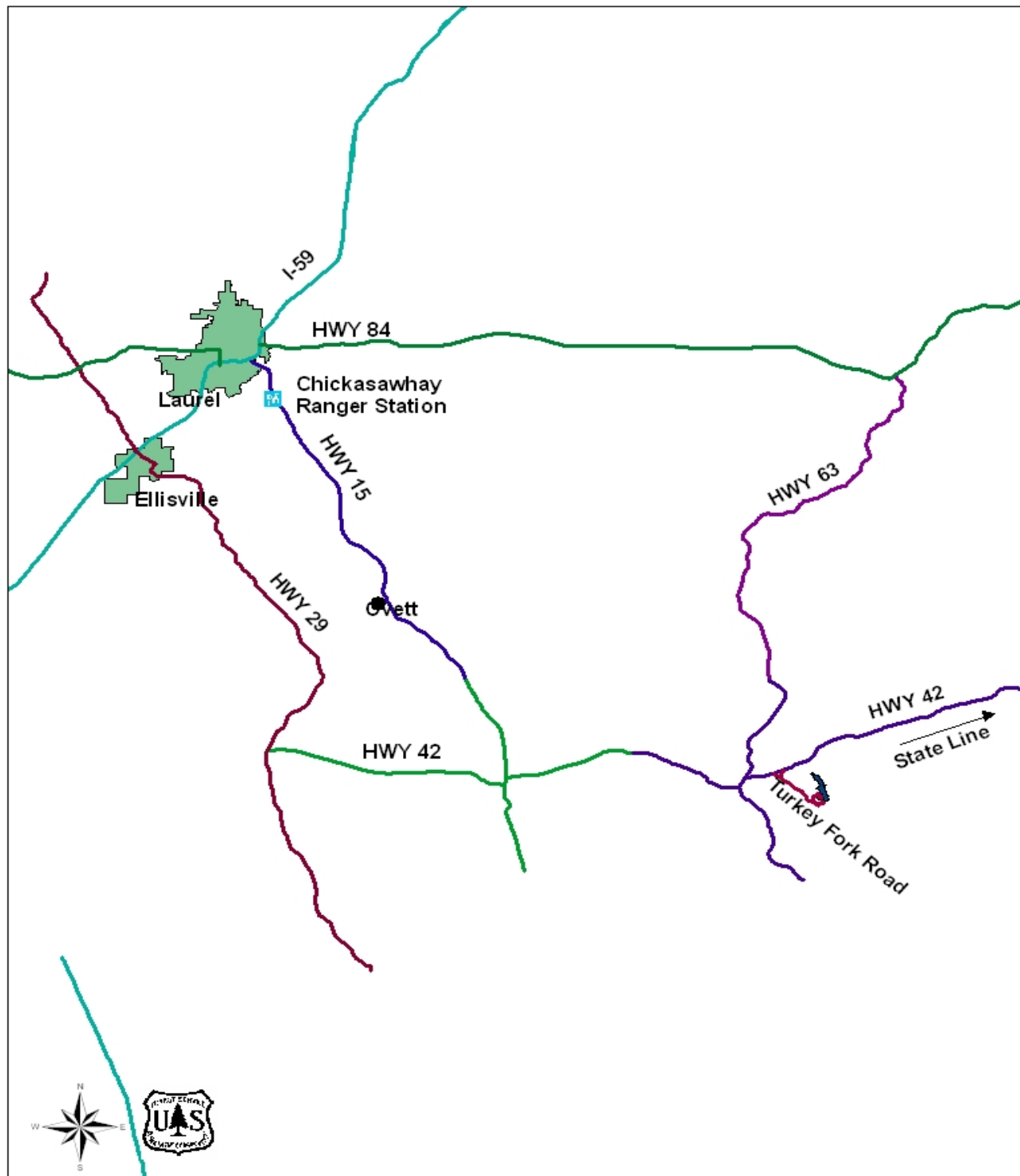
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