

# Timber-Frear Canoe Route



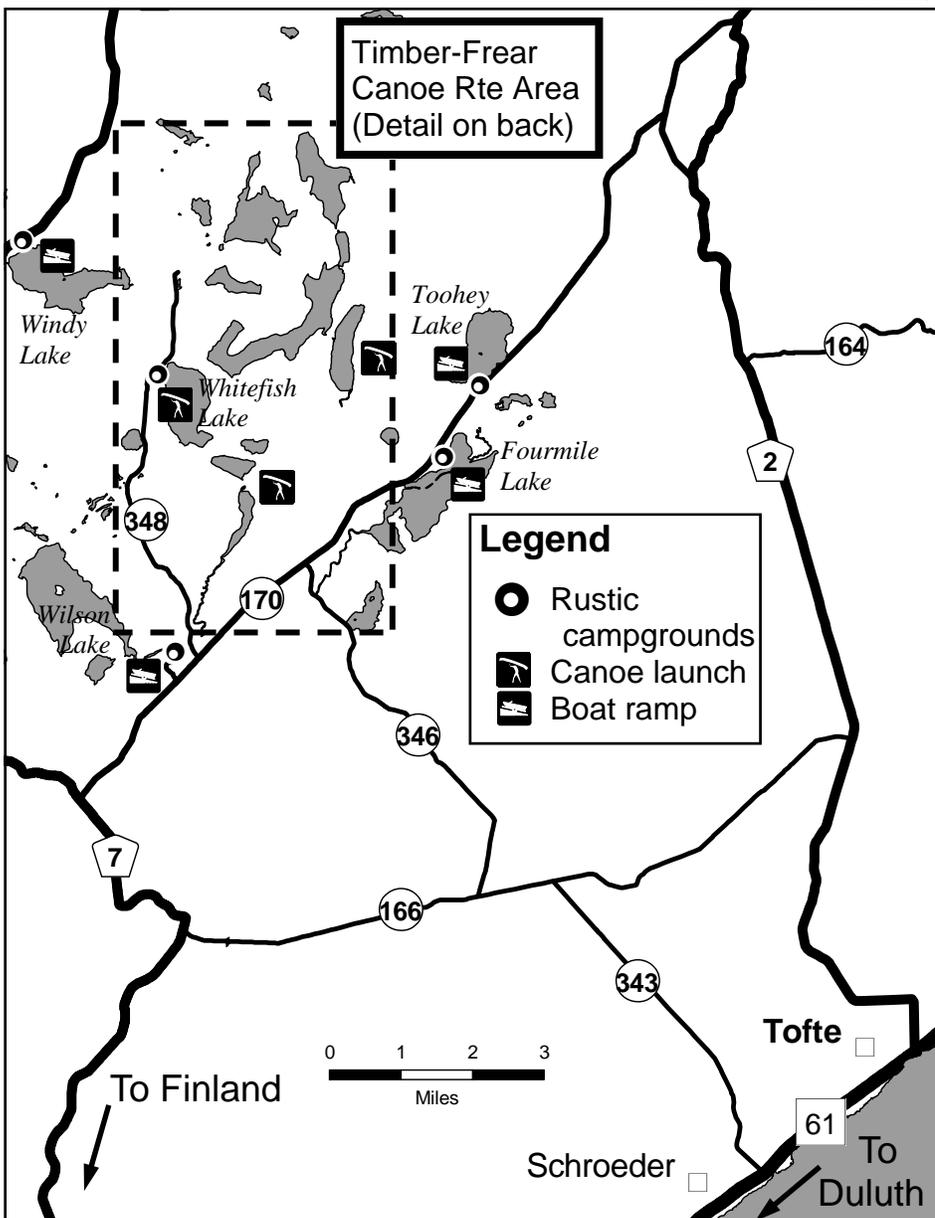
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## Features

- Near wilderness experience
- Solitude
- Fishing
- No permit required
- Nearby rustic campgrounds

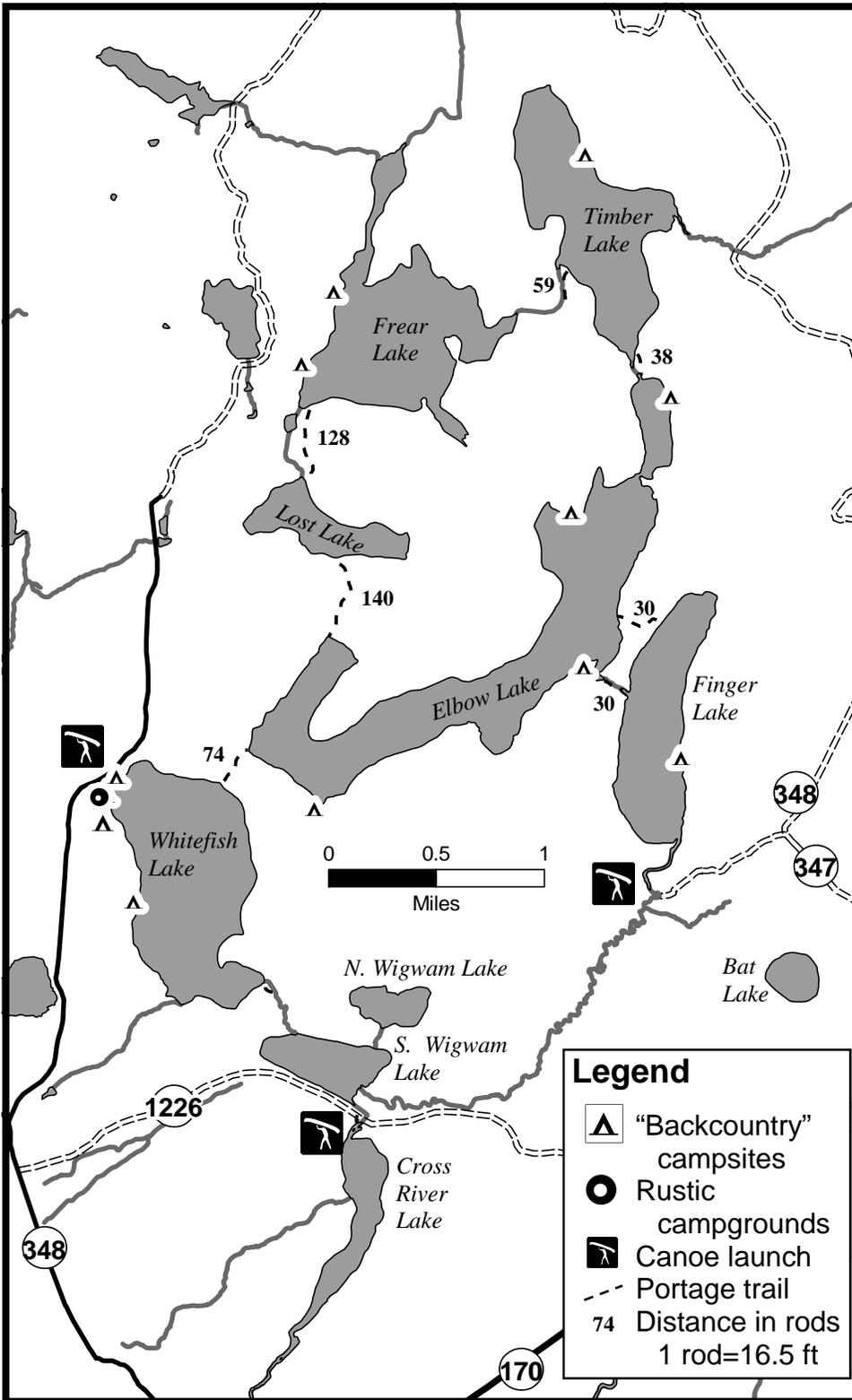


## Location

The Timber-Frear Canoe Route is located about 15 miles northwest of Tofte, near Whitefish Lake.

- From Duluth, follow MN 61 north to just past Schoeder.
- Turn left (north) onto Forest Road 343.
- Turn left (west) on FR 166.
- After one mile, turn right (north) on FR 346.
- After 5 miles, turn left (west) on FR 170.
- After 2 miles, turn right (north) on FR 348.
- Drive 4 miles north to the Whitefish Lake rustic campground and lake access.
- There are three campsites at the campground as well as three sites accessed by boat along the lakeshore.

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## Description

The Timber-Frear canoe area (named after Timber Lake and Frear Lake) offers the opportunity to experience a wilderness type canoe trip without the permit. You will find “backcountry” campsites are similar to those in the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness with steel firegrates and outdoor latrines. Please respect this area as you would a wilderness by packing out what you pack in.

Four rustic campgrounds are nearby offering perfect places to spend the night before or after your trip - see our Camping flyer for further details on rustic campgrounds.

## Leave No Trace Principles

1. Plan ahead and prepare.
2. Travel and camp on durable surfaces.
3. Dispose of waste properly.
4. Minimize use and impact of fires.
5. Respect wildlife.
6. Leave what you find.
7. Be considerate of other visitors.

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