

Canoeing

Outside the
BWCAW



SUPERIOR NATIONAL FOREST

HEADQUARTERS

DULUTH, MN



Features

- 13 canoe routes
- Campsites with firegrates and latrines
- No wilderness permit required
- No fee



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.

We encourage you to respect your National Forest! Please Leave No Trace so future visitors can enjoy the same natural beauty you will find.

Canoe routes can be found in the National Forest outside of the Boundary Waters. The range of different canoeing experiences includes a series of lakes connected by portages, slow-moving meandering rivers, as well as more challenging and faster moving waters. On your trip, you may encounter motorized boats and developed areas.

There are no wilderness permits or fees associated with the use of these routes or campsites, and the campsites all contain firegrates and unsheltered latrines. Keep in mind that only 9 people are allowed per campsite, you will need to treat or filter drinking water, and all garbage and food leftovers must be packed out.

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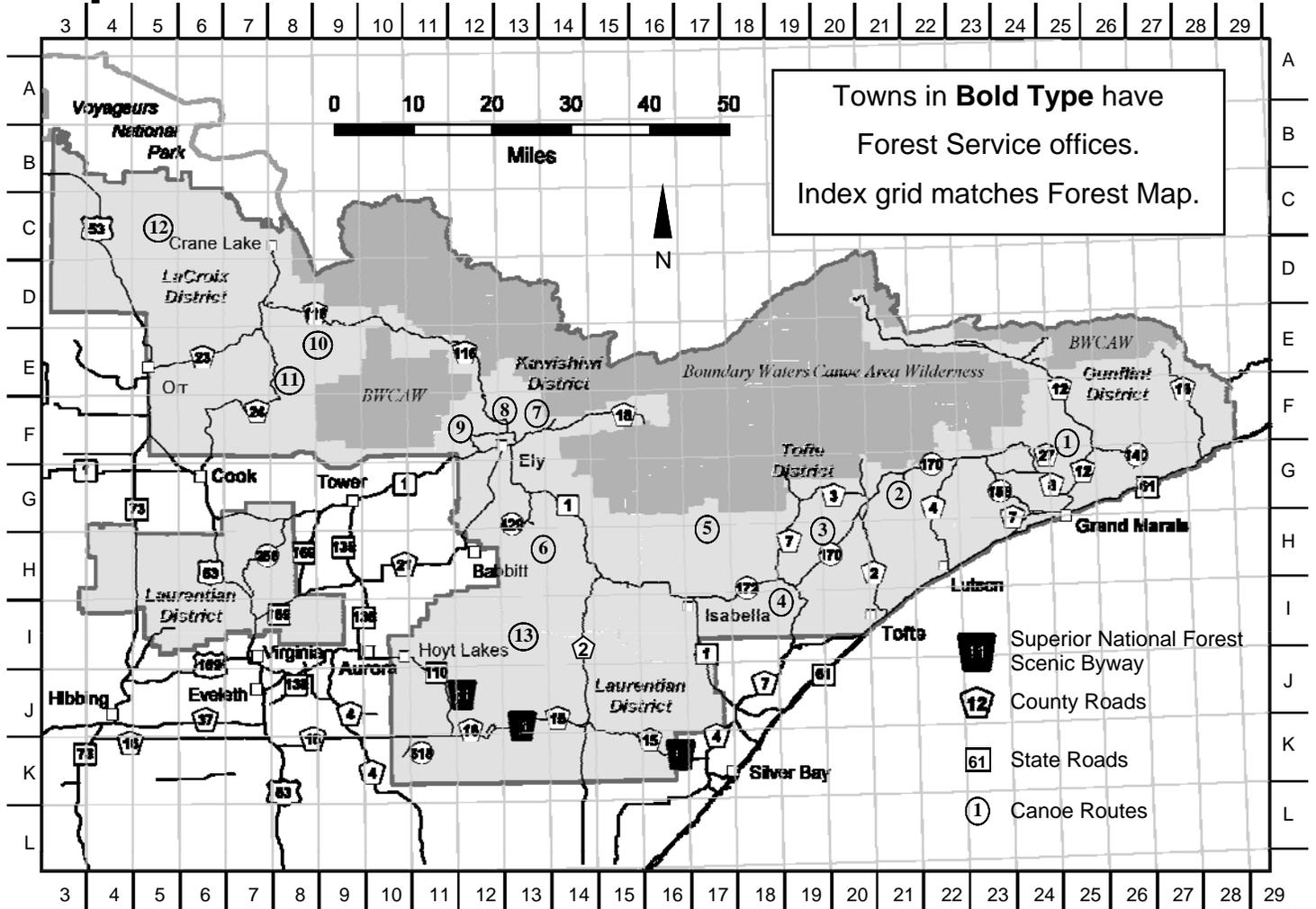
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Superior National Forest - Canoe Routes



Map #	Map Index	Canoe Route *Information Sheet (ROG) Available	Location	Length	Accesses	Portages	Camp Sites
1	G-25	Twin Lakes*	16 mi N of Grand Marais	3-5 mile loop	2	4	2
2	G-22	Crescent Lake-Rice Lake	25 mi N of Tofte	5 miles	4	7	3
3	H-20	Timber-Frear*	15 mi NW of Tofte	9 mile loop	2	7	12
4	I-19	Crooked Lake Area	14 mi E of Isabella	3 miles	1	4	3
5	H-17	Island River*	12 mi N of Isabella (Some in BWCAW)	6 miles	2	5	4
6	H-13	Birch Lake*	10 mi S of Ely	20 miles	4	0	16
7	F-13	Bass-Dry-High-Low Lakes*	7 mi N of Ely	3 miles	2	4	6
8	E-13	Fenske-Sletten-Tee-Grassy-Low-Bass	12 mi N of Ely	20 miles	4	7	7
9	F-12	Burntside-Dead River-Twin Lakes-Everett	6 mi N of Ely	11 miles	4	1	11
10	E-9	Hunting Shack River (Pauline-Nigh-Astrid-Maude Lakes*)	47 mi NE of Cook	4 miles	2	3	6
11	F-8	Vermilion River	Lake Vermilion to Crane Lake about 15 mi E of Orr	39 miles	7	11	10
12	C-5	Johnson Lake Area*	41 miles NE of Cook	6 miles	1	1	7
13	I-13	St. Louis River-Seven Beaver Lake-Round Lake*	12 miles East of Hoyt Lakes	9 miles	3	3	5