



# Buzzard Roost Recreation Area



## Location specific information

Use type: hiking, picnicking and primitive camping

Length of trail: 0.5 miles

Facilities: Parking areas are available at the first trailhead access and near the vault toilet. Tables, grills, and a single vault toilet are available at the picnic area. Benches and an observation deck are located on the bluffs overlooking the Ohio River. Water is not available on site.

Special features: sandstone rock outcrops, bluffs, hardwood forest, cool shade, waterfalls, scenic overlook platform with views of the Ohio River and Kentucky

## Directions

GPS coordinates:

38°7'11.273"N, 86°27'56.379"W

From I-64 take exit 86. Go south on Ind. 66 through Oriole. 1.5 miles south of Oriole, turn left onto Onido Road. Bear right at the intersection of Onido and Orchard Roads. Continue on Onido Road to Boone Creek Road, to Buzzard Roost Road. Turn left at the marked entrance of Buzzard Roost.

## Safety

In case of emergency call 911

Nearest hospital: Tell City, Ind.

Crawford County Dispatch: 812-338-2802

Indiana Conservation Officer Dispatch: 812-837-9536

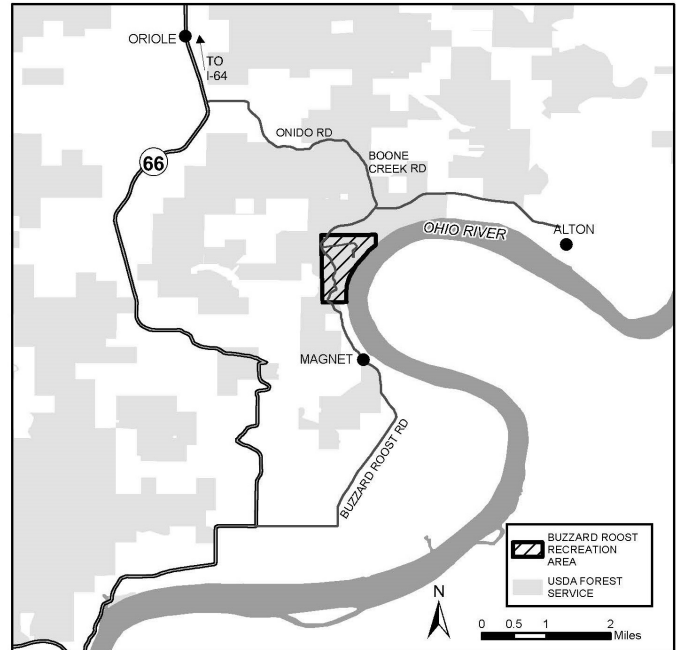
Use caution during hunting seasons. Blaze orange clothing is recommended.

## Etiquette and rules

Horses and bicycles are not permitted on this trail. Forest trails are closed to all motorized vehicles and e-bikes.

Follow Leave No Trace principles.

Private and public land ownership is scattered within the forest boundary. Visitors must take care to stay on National Forest System lands and respect private property.

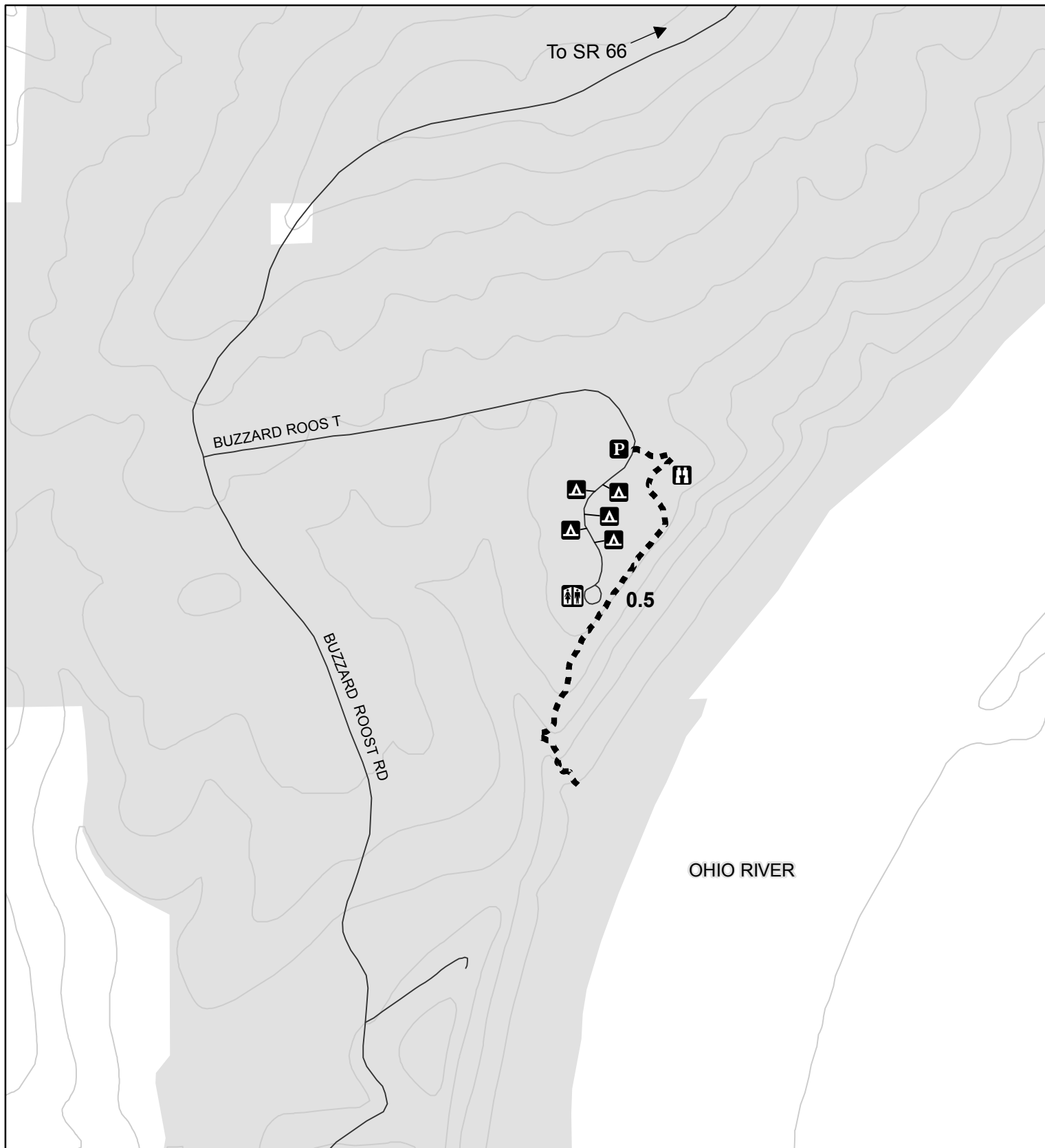


**Firewood Restrictions:** Possessing, storing, or transporting any part of a tree EXCEPT as described below (36 CFR 261, 58(t): It is kiln-dried scrap lumber with no bark (processed lumber). It is from your home or other Indiana location and has all bark removed. It has an Indiana DNR compliance stamp. Downed dead wood which is collected and used within the developed recreational area that the campsite is located, or collected and used within the immediate vicinity of a dispersed campsite on the Hoosier National Forest. Downed dead wood obtained on the Hoosier National Forest within the same defined county, or from the Hoosier National Forest from those counties directly adjoining, and which is obtained by the holder of a valid firewood permit.



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## LEGEND

Updated 9/18

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| PARKING             | OBSERVATION SITE | TRAIL - HIKE ONLY | 50 FT CONTOUR       |
| PICNIC/CAMPING SPUR | TOILET           | ROAD              | FOREST SERVICE LAND |

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