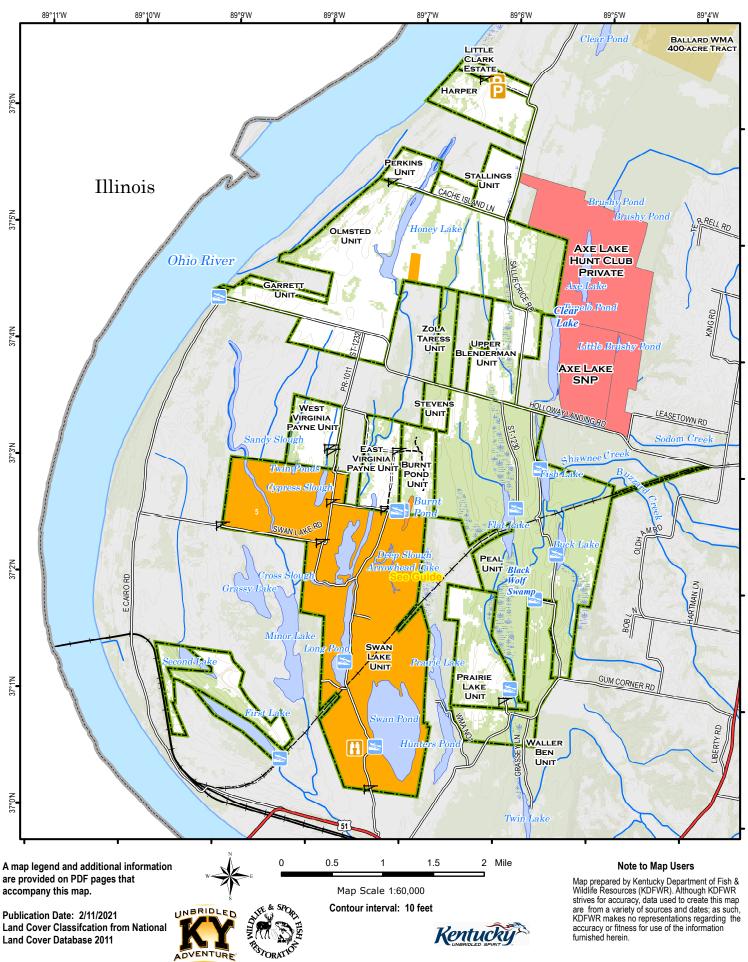
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Boatwright Wildlife Management Area

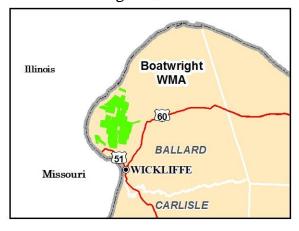




Boatwright WMA Information



Regional Locator



WMA Overview

Location & Size: Ballard County, 8854 acres Contact: (270) 224-2244 Elevation: minimum 295 feet, maximum 361 feet. Entrance GPS coordinates: Latitude N 37.00954, Longitude W -89.12183 Area Habitat: mostly wetland: open land 34%, forest 15%, wetland 41%, open water 10%.

Directions & Description:

- Peal Unit (1835 acres): 4 miles west of Barlow on Mounds City Landing RD. River bottomland with marshlands and cypress swamps; 2 roads, access to 3 oxbow lakes. Special regulations for waterfowl hunting.
- Upper Blenderman Unit (308 acres): same address as Peal. Special regulations for waterfowl hunting.
- Zola Taress Unit (100 acres): same address as Peal. Open under statewide regulations.
- Stevens Unit (73 acres): same address as Peal. Special regulations for waterfowl hunting.
- Swan Lake Unit (2,299 acres): 6 miles northwest of Wickliffe on US 51/60. Primarily bottomland and flood plain area of the Ohio River, with several lakes and some interior gravel roads. Wintering ring-billed and herring gulls, double-crested cormorants, waterfowl, bald eagles. Special regulations for hunting, advance application for waterfowl hunting. Except for designated observation area, Swan Lake Unit closed Oct. 15-March 15 as waterfowl refuge. Public hunting closed when floodwaters prevent safe entry to blinds by wheeled vehicles. Fishing and boating available. Open under statewide regulations,
- Olmsted Unit (2,005 acres): 4 miles west of Barlow on Sallie Crice RD. Special regulations for waterfowl hunting.
- Other units include the Stalling Unit (148 acres), Perkins Unit (169 acres), Parkins Unit East (62 acres), Little Clark Estate (59 acres), and Harper (256 acres).

Onlíne Resources

Public Hunting Area users must abide by the Kentucky hunting, trapping, and fishing regulations. It is incumbent on persons using Public Hunting Areas to become familiar with these regulations. Kentucky Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources provides these regulations on our Web site at <u>fw.ky.gov</u> or by calling 1-800-858-1549.

Wildlife Management Area Map Notes & Legend

NOTE TO MAP USERS:

For most WMA maps the landscape is depicted using a combination of elevation contours, hillshading and a green tint indicating woodland areas that is derived from satellite imagery. On WMAs that are relatively small or have a history of surface mining aerial photography is used.



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