
Our Roots Run Deep

Peters Marsh Wildlife Area covers 1,687 acres in central Langlade County. The property is made up of a variety of habitat types including forests, fields, wetlands and native grasslands. The variety of cover provides access to numerous wildlife species including waterfowl, ruffed grouse, deer, turkey, black bear, woodcock, snowshoe hare, and beaver.

The wildlife area contains 21 bodies of water varying from less than 1/2 acre to size up to 9 acres.

Hunters, hikers and birdwatchers alike will enjoy all that this property has to offer. Located on County Highway A about 9 miles northeast of Antigo, there are six parking areas that provide access to more than 10 miles of grass walking trails. Motorized vehicle travel is prohibited.

Management

The Peters Marsh Wildlife Area is managed by the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources. Peters Marsh Wildlife Area has undergone many changes. During the late 1800s, this area was logged extensively for white pine and hemlock. During the 1930s, wildfires kept the new forest from maturing. As a result of these fires, early succession species such as aspen dominate the area. Modern forest management practices have maintained this timber type to this day.

Get Out and Recreate!

Peters Marsh Wildlife Area offers many recreational opportunities.

- * Biking
- * Birding
- * Dispersed camping (Sept 1 - Dec 31)
- * Cross country skiing (no designated trail)
- * Hiking
- * Horseback riding
- * Hunting
- * Snowmobiling trail
- * Trapping
- * Wild edibles/gathering
- * Wildlife Viewing



Location

The Peters Marsh Wildlife Area is located in central Langlade County, nine miles northeast of Antigo. Access can be obtained from County Highway A, Rocky Road, and Hill Road.

More Information

Visit <https://dnr.wisconsin.gov/topic/Lands/WildlifeAreas/petersmarsh.html> or contact 715-623-4190 ext.3124.



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