

Safety and Regulations

Any natural area has inherent dangers that you must be aware of to avoid injury or accidents.

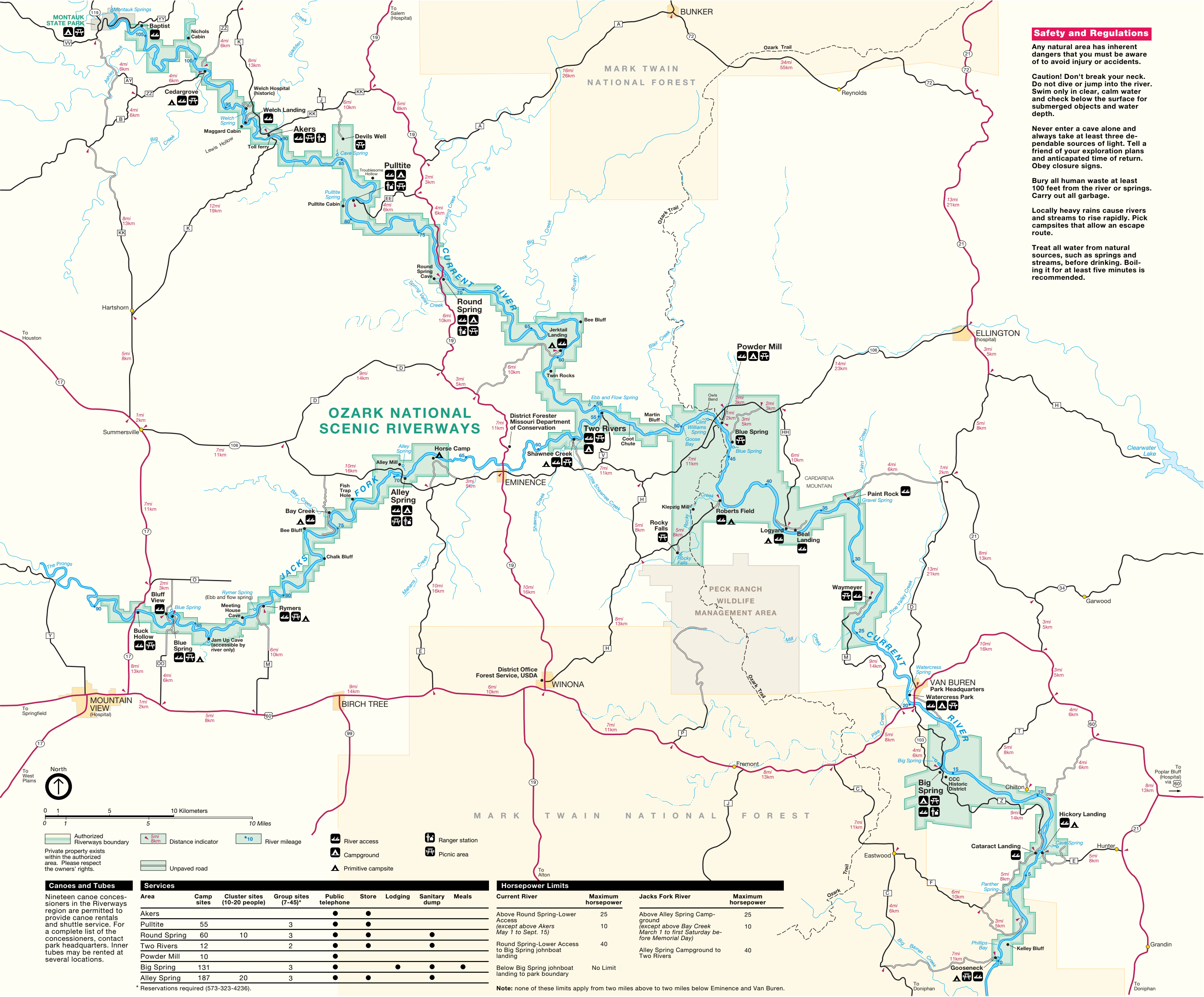
Caution! Don't break your neck. Do not dive or jump into the river. Swim only in clear, calm water and check below the surface for submerged objects and water depth.

Never enter a cave alone and always take at least three dependable sources of light. Tell a friend of your exploration plans and anticipated time of return. Obey closure signs.

Bury all human waste at least 100 feet from the river or springs. Carry out all garbage.

Locally heavy rains cause rivers and streams to rise rapidly. Pick campsites that allow an escape route.

Treat all water from natural sources, such as springs and streams, before drinking. Boiling it for at least five minutes is recommended.



- Authorized Riverways boundary
- 5mi / 8km Distance indicator
- River mileage
- River access
- Campground
- Primitive campsite
- Ranger station
- Picnic area
- Unpaved road

Canoes and Tubes

Nineteen canoe concessioners in the Riverways region are permitted to provide canoe rentals and shuttle service. For a complete list of the concessioners, contact park headquarters. Inner tubes may be rented at several locations.

Services

Area	Camp sites	Cluster sites (10-20 people)	Group sites (7-45)*	Public telephone	Store	Lodging	Sanitary dump	Meals
Akers				●	●			
Pulltite	55		3	●	●			
Round Spring	60	10	3	●	●		●	
Two Rivers	12		2	●	●		●	
Powder Mill	10			●				
Big Spring	131		3	●	●		●	
Alley Spring	187	20	3	●	●		●	

Horsepower Limits

Current River	Maximum horsepower	Jacks Fork River	Maximum horsepower
Above Round Spring-Lower Access (except above Akers May 1 to Sept. 15)	25	Above Alley Spring Campground (except above Bay Creek March 1 to first Saturday before Memorial Day)	25
Round Spring-Lower Access to Big Spring johnboat landing	10	Alley Spring Campground to Two Rivers	10
Round Spring-Lower Access to Big Spring johnboat landing	40		40
Below Big Spring johnboat landing to park boundary	No Limit		

Note: none of these limits apply from two miles above to two miles below Eminence and Van Buren.

* Reservations required (573-323-4236).