



**AuSable River Roadside Park**

**1 Leland's Rest Stop**   
Leland's Rest Stop is a place for canoes to pull out and use the restrooms.

**AuSable Loop Campground**   
AuSable Loop Campground has motorized access from McKinley Road. There are 5 rustic sites designated for camping. The Loop has a handy walking access to the river.

**2 River Dune**   
River Dune has 1 site for canoe or walk-in camping and vault toilets. There is no motorized access to this site.

**3 AuSable River Scenic Overlook**   
There are no facilities at the AuSable River Scenic Overlook, however there is an informational display.

**4 Meadow Springs**   
Meadow Springs has 2 sites for canoe or walk-in camping and vault toilets. There is no motorized access to this site.

**5 Comins Flat Boat Ramp**   
Comins Flat is a Michigan DNR facility with vault toilets, gravelled parking lot and a boat ramp.

**6 Cathedral Pines**   
Cathedral Pines has 1 site for canoe or walk-in camping and vault toilets. There is no motorized access to this site.

**7 Davis Rest Stop**   
Davis Rest Stop is a place for canoes to pull out and use the restrooms.

**McKinley Trail Camp**   
McKinley Trail Camp is a large rustic campground developed primarily for use by horseback riders on the Michigan Shore-to-Shore Hiking and Riding Trail. There are vault toilets, a hand well and a generator operated pump.

**8 McKinley Landing**   
McKinley Landing includes launching for both canoes and small boats. The site includes vault toilets, canoe stacking area, and gravel parking lot.

**9 Buttercup**   
Buttercup has a vault toilet and 3 sites for motorized camping and 1 site for canoe-in camping.

**10 O'Brien Lake**   
O'Brien Lake has a parking lot with a ramped access to the lake. There is a barrier free vault toilet, and a fishing pier where those using chairs can fish or relax. O'Brien Lake is managed for trout and fishing can often be good.

**11 Bear Island**   
The site at Bear Island has 3 camp sites available for canoe or walk-in camping and vault toilets.

**12 Alcona Rest Stop**   
Alcona Rest Stop is a place for canoes to pull out and use the restrooms. It is also an angler access site. High clearance vehicles recommended.

**13 Primitive Camps**   
There are 4 campsites along the road. There are no facilities.

**The Gabions**   
The campground at the Gabions is named for the large area of riverbank stabilization done with wire baskets filled with rocks. The site has 8 camp spots and vault toilets. Most times of the year, this is a quiet campground where relaxing is easy.

**14 4001 Bridge Landing**   
4001 Bridge Landing includes launching for both canoes and small boats. The site includes vault toilets, canoe stacking area, and gravel parking lot.

**15 AuSable Highbanks Scenic Overlook**   
The AuSable Highbanks Scenic Overlook offers a panoramic view of the AuSable River. One may look directly down upon The Gabions from this location.

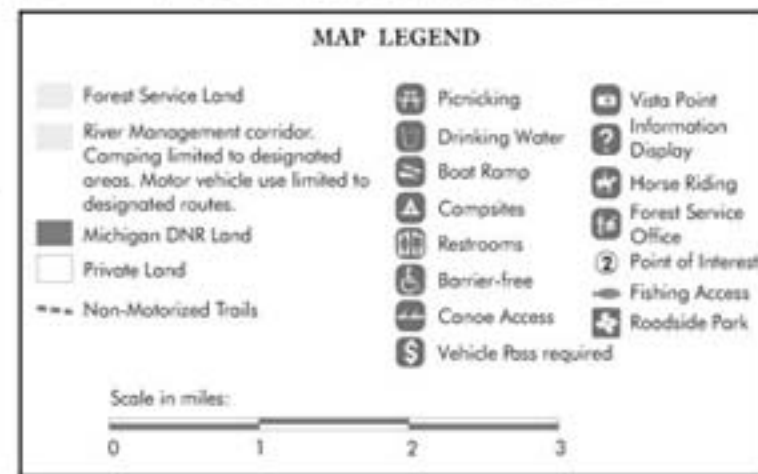
## National Scenic River - Information to Know

- No garbage service - pack it in, pack it out.
- Quality fishing waters - Mio Bridge to McKinley Bridge (artificial lure and flies only).
- Camp only at designated sites. First come - first served at each site.
- No glass containers on river.



## The AuSable National Scenic River

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