







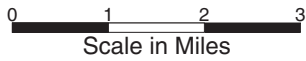
## MAP EXPLANATION

### Trail

-  Paved (Asphalt)
-  Natural surface

### Facilities

-  Parking
-  Picnic/Rest Area
-  Campground
-  Restrooms



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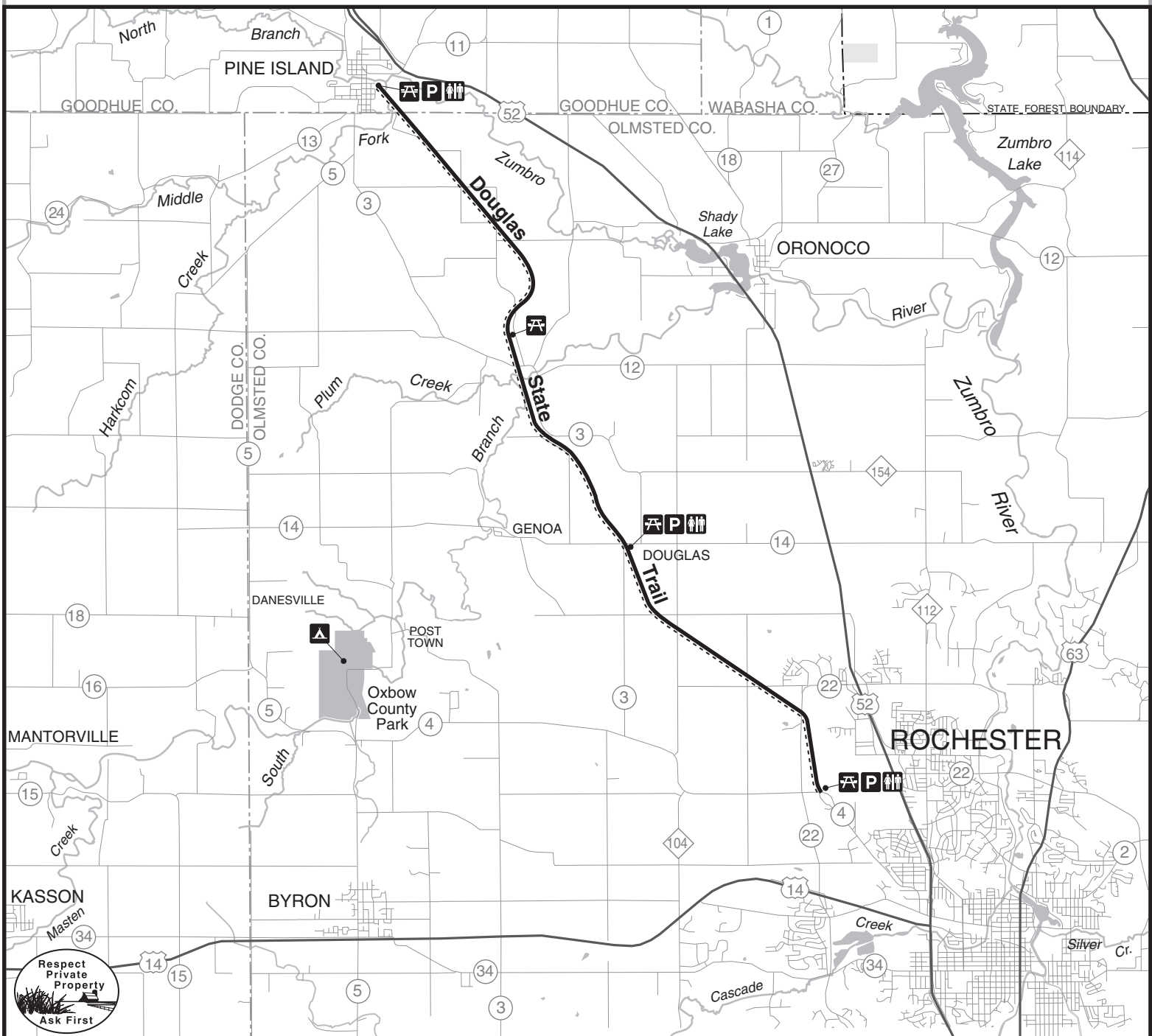
# Douglas State Trail

## Goodhue & Olmsted Counties



Trail Distances in Miles

Rochester	4.5	8	12.5
Douglas	3	7.5	
County Highway 3		5	
Pine Island			



## PARKING AVAILABLE AT:

*\* Do not leave valuables in your vehicle.*

- ROCHESTER: From US Hwy 52, take the CSAH 22 (55th Street) exit; then West and South on CSAH 22 approximately 2 miles to Olmstead Co. Rd.4; then East .3 miles to the Rochester trailhead.
- DOUGLAS: From US Hwy 52, turn West on Olmstead Co. Rd. 14; then West on Olmstead Co. Rd. 14 approximately 3 miles to the Douglas trailhead.
- PINE ISLAND: From US Hwy 52, take the Goodhue Co. Rd. 11 approximately 1/2 mile to the Pine Island City Park trailhead.

### Share the Trail with Others:

- Stay on designated trail.
- Keep right so others can pass.
- Keep all pets on leash/Dispose of pet waste.
- Obey traffic signs and rules.
- Pack out all garbage and litter.
- Respect adjoining landowners rights and privacy.
- Warn other trail users when passing by giving an audible signal. Some horses may be spooked by quiet bikers or in-line skaters. Let them know you are passing.
- Overnight camping and campfires are permitted only on designated campsites. Do not leave campfires unattended.
- Enjoy the beauty of wild plants & animals, but leave them undisturbed for all to enjoy.
- Trail users are legally responsible for obeying the rules and regulations provided in *Minnesota Rules*, 6100.3000.

### For More Information:

**DNR Information Center**  
500 Lafayette Road  
Saint Paul, MN 55155-4040  
(651) 296-6157 (metro area)  
1-888-MINNDNR (MN toll free)  
(646-6367)

TDD  
(651) 296-5484 (metro area)  
1-800-657-3929 (MN toll free)

**Minnesota Department of Tourism**  
100 Metro Square  
121 7th Place East  
Saint Paul, MN 55101-2112  
(651) 296-5029 (metro area)  
1-888-TOURISM (MN toll free)

Minnesota Bikeway Maps  
**Minnesota Department of Transportation**  
395 John Ireland Boulevard  
Room 110  
Saint Paul, MN 55155  
(651) 296-2216

MnDOT produces two maps (east and west MN) that grade the quality of road shoulders suitable for biking. There is a charge for these maps. Maps not available for the Metro area.



This trail requires a permit for anyone snowmobiling or horseback riding. For more information about the Snowmobile State Trail Sticker, or the Horse Pass, please call the DNR Info Center at 1-888-MINNDNR or check the website at [www.mndnr.gov](http://www.mndnr.gov).

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*This information is available in alternative format upon request.*

**You can also check out our website at:**

**[www.mndnr.gov/state\\_trails/index.html](http://www.mndnr.gov/state_trails/index.html)**

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The Douglas State Trail is a 12.5 mile, multiple use trail developed on an abandoned railroad grade. There are two separate treadways, each of which is designed for different recreational activities. One treadway is asphalt for bicyclists, hikers and skiers; the other is natural surface for horseback riders and snowmobilers.

This trail possesses outstanding rural scenery, traversing some of the richest agricultural land in Minnesota. The trail begins in northwestern Rochester, travels through the small town of Douglas (for which the trail is named) and terminates in Pine Island. Present trail access includes three parking lots with rest facilities.