

Ecologically Significant Places of the Western Prairie

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 Wisconsin Transverse Mercator NAD83(91)
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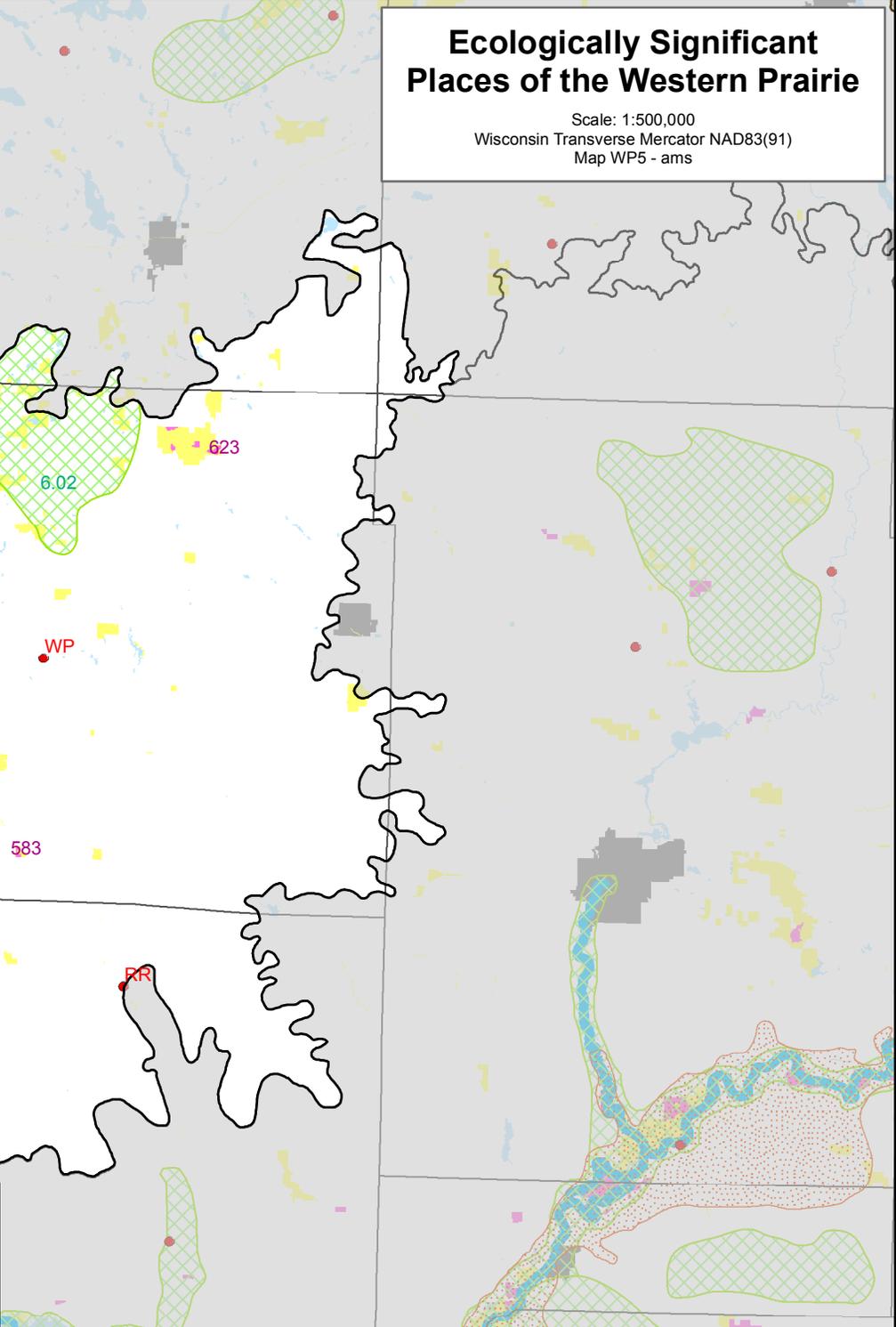
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Significant Ecological Places

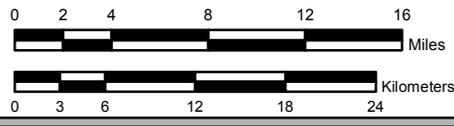
- Land Legacy Places
- Important Bird Areas
- State Natural Areas

Conservation Opportunity Areas

- Terrestrial
- River Systems
- Lakes
- Protected Land*
- Native American Land
- Ecological Landscape
- County Boundaries
- Cities or Villages
- Open Water



The significant ecological places depicted on this map originate from several different plans that identify areas of the state that are ecologically important based on criteria described in those plans. Land Legacy Places were identified in the Wisconsin Land Legacy Report (2006): http://dnr.wi.gov/master_planning/land_legacy/ Conservation Opportunity Areas were identified in Wisconsin's Wildlife Action Plan Implementation Report (2008): <http://dnr.wi.gov/org/land/er/wwap/> Important Bird Areas were identified in Important Bird Areas of Wisconsin (2007): <http://www.wisconsinbirds.org/iba/IBA-book.htm> Protected Lands include most State, Federal and County ownership or easements as well as lands owned or managed by land trusts and NGOs such as The Nature Conservancy and others.



Significant Ecological Places in the Western Prairie Ecological Landscape

<u>Conservation Opportunity Areas (COAs)</u>		<u>State Natural Areas (SNAs) (Cont.)</u>	
COA #	Terrestrial COA Name	SNA #	SNA Name
6.01	Lower St. Croix Uplands	145	Apple River Canyon
6.02	Prairie Potholes	162	Kinnickinnic River Gorge and Delta
6.03	Kinnickinnic River Gorge	385	Farmington Bottoms
11.15	Mississippi Bluffs and Floodplain	386	Osceola Bedrock Glades
		583	Kinnickinnic Wet Prairie
COA #	Aquatic COA Name	600	Standing Cedars
A.10	Mississippi River	622	St. Croix Islands
A.46	Lower St. Croix River	623	Cylon
<u>Land Legacy Places</u>			
KN	Kinnickinnic River		
LT	Lower St. Croix River		
RR	Rush River		
TB	Trimbelle River		
WP	Western Prairie Habitat Restoration Area		
<u>Important Bird Areas</u>			
SCR	Saint Croix River		