

## ABOUT LADD MARSH WILDLIFE AREA

Ladd Marsh Wildlife Area began in 1949 with a small parcel near Foothill Road. Its original purpose was to preserve wetland habitat for fall migrating waterfowl. The area is now 6,020 acres and includes a variety of habitats from emergent wetland to mixed conifer forest.

Over 90% of the operating funds for the area come from fees paid by hunters. The wildlife area parking permit generates a small amount of funding from non-hunters.

Ladd Marsh is an outdoor classroom for schools and organizations serving students and participants of all ages. It is popular with wildlife watchers, artists and photographers.

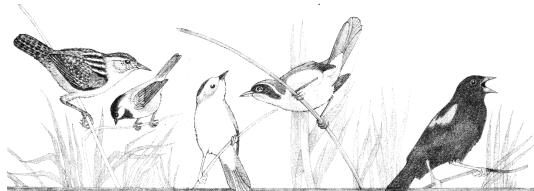
The best times to visit for these activities are spring and early summer when wildlife activity is highest and meadow flowers such as common camas are in bloom.

The annual Ladd Marsh Bird Festival, co-sponsored by ODFW and Friends of Ladd Marsh, is held each May on the weekend after Mother's Day. For more information, visit the Friends of Ladd Marsh web site.



**Friends of Ladd Marsh**  
Is a local non-profit organization dedicated to working with ODFW to support  

- Enhancement
- Public Education
- Native Habitats &
- Shared recreational use  
Of Ladd Marsh



For information & to join, see:

[www.friendsofladdmarsh.org](http://www.friendsofladdmarsh.org)

&

Friends of Ladd Marsh on  
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For more information visit:

[myodfw.com/visit-odfw-wildlife-areas](http://myodfw.com/visit-odfw-wildlife-areas)

## SUMMER SEASON PUBLIC ACCESS INFORMATION FEBRUARY 1— JULY 31



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## PLANNING YOUR VISIT— KNOW THE RULES & KNOW WHAT AREAS ARE OPEN

Ladd Marsh Wildlife Area is open to the public for **wildlife-oriented activities** during specified days and dates. Please review the rules before entering the area. See enclosed map. For information on access Aug. 1-Jan.31 please see the Hunting Season brochure.

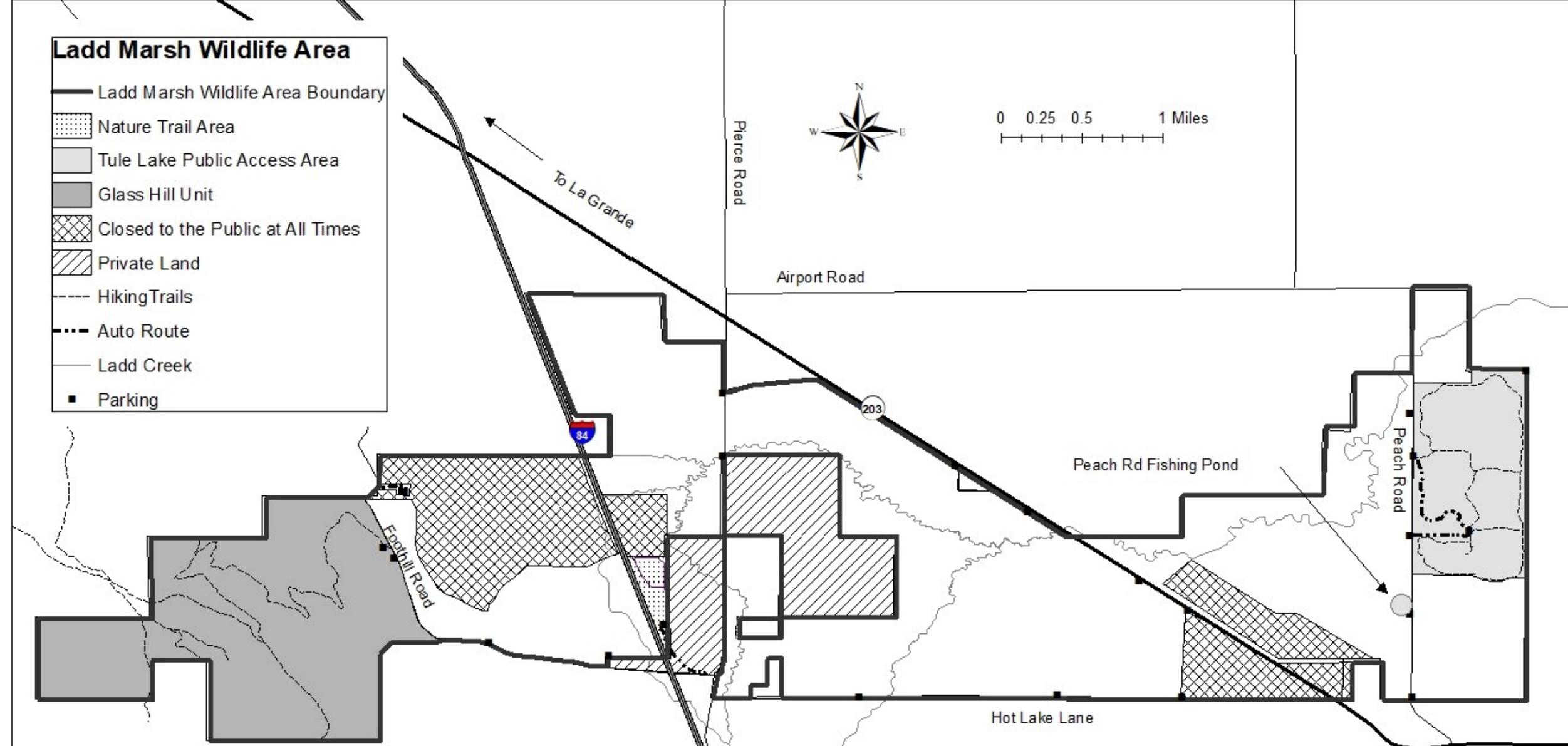
All visitors must display an ODFW Wildlife Area **Parking Permit** in their vehicle. In addition, all visitors must complete and deposit a free **Daily Access Permit** for every visit. Daily permits & instructions are found at major entry points across the area.

For the safety and enjoyment of all:

- The area is open from dawn to dusk.
- Vehicles are permitted only on the Tule Lake Auto Route.
- No running, jogging or cycling. No horses.
- Dogs must be kept on leash at all times. Please clean up after your pet!
- Commercial activities are allowed only by special permit.
- No littering—take your trash with you.

## Ladd Marsh Wildlife Area

- Ladd Marsh Wildlife Area Boundary
- Nature Trail Area
- Tule Lake Public Access Area
- Glass Hill Unit
- Closed to the Public at All Times
- Private Land
- - Hiking Trails
- - Auto Route
- Ladd Creek
- Parking



### Open Days & Dates for each Area

- \* Nature Trail - Daily, Year-round
- \* Peach Rd Fishing Pond - Daily, Year-round
- \* Tule Lake Public Access - Daily, Mar. 1 - July 31 and Wed., Sat., Sun. & Fed. Holidays Aug. 1 - Jan. 31
- \* Glass Hill - Daily, Apr. 1 - Jan. 31
- \* The remainder of the area, shown in white, is closed to all entry Feb. 1 - Jul. 31