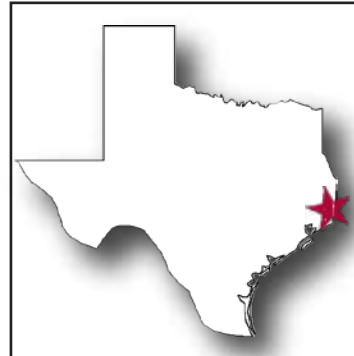
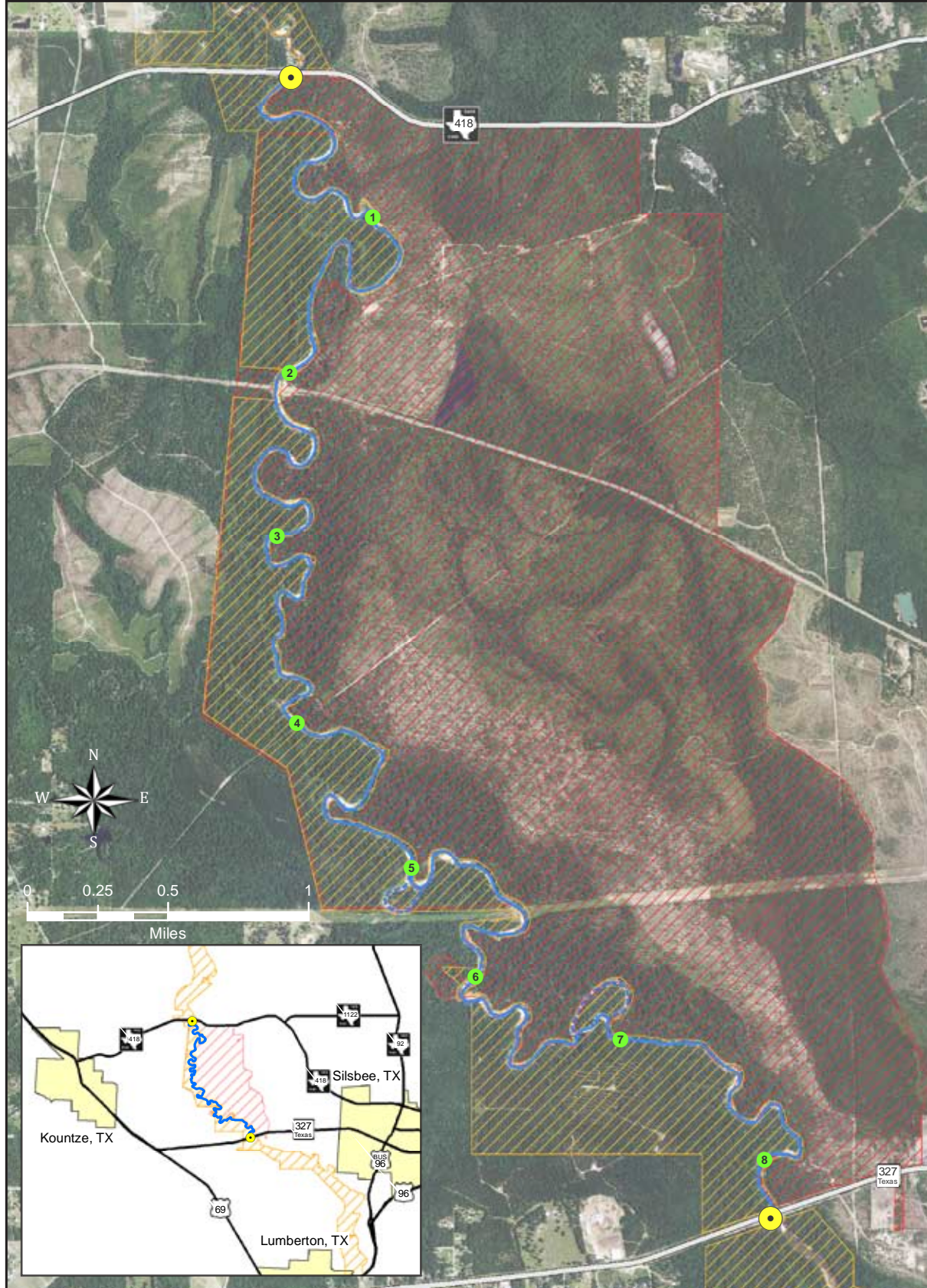


Village Creek 1-Paddling Route

FM 418 to SH 327



Trail Length: 8.6 Miles

Water Access Locations:
1.) FM 418 - Latitude 30°23'52.09"N
Longitude 94°15'52.76"W

Directions: From Kountze on US 69, take FM 418 East for approximately 3.2 miles to Village Creek; turn right onto launch site road before crossing the bridge.

From Silsbee on Business 96, take FM 418 West for approximately 6.9 miles to Village Creek; turn left onto launch site road after crossing the bridge.

2.) SH 327 - Latitude 30°20'49.30"N
Longitude 94°14'20.58"W

Directions: From Kountze on US 69, take SH 327 East for approximately 2.1 miles to Village Creek; turn right onto launch site road before crossing the bridge.

From Silsbee on Business 96, take SH 327 West for approximately 3.6 miles to Village Creek; turn left onto launch site road after crossing the bridge.

| Legend | |
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| | Road |
| | Big Thicket National Preserve Boundary |
| | Roy E. Larsen Sandyland Sanctuary |

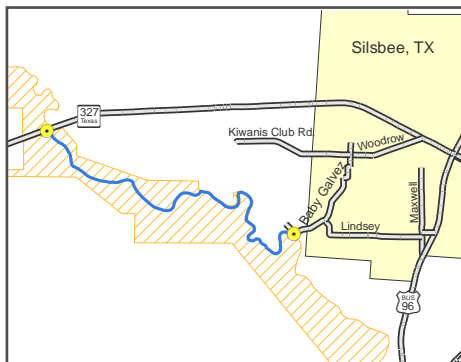
Village Creek 2-Paddling Route

SH 327 to Baby Galvez



Legend

- Access Point
- Mile Marker
- River Stretch
- Road
- Big Thicket National Preserve Boundary



Trail Length: 3.5 Miles

Water Access Locations:

1.) SH 327 - Latitude 30°20'49.30"N
Longitude 94°14'20.58"W

2.) Baby Galvez - Latitude 30°18'14.63"N
Longitude 94°11'56.87"W

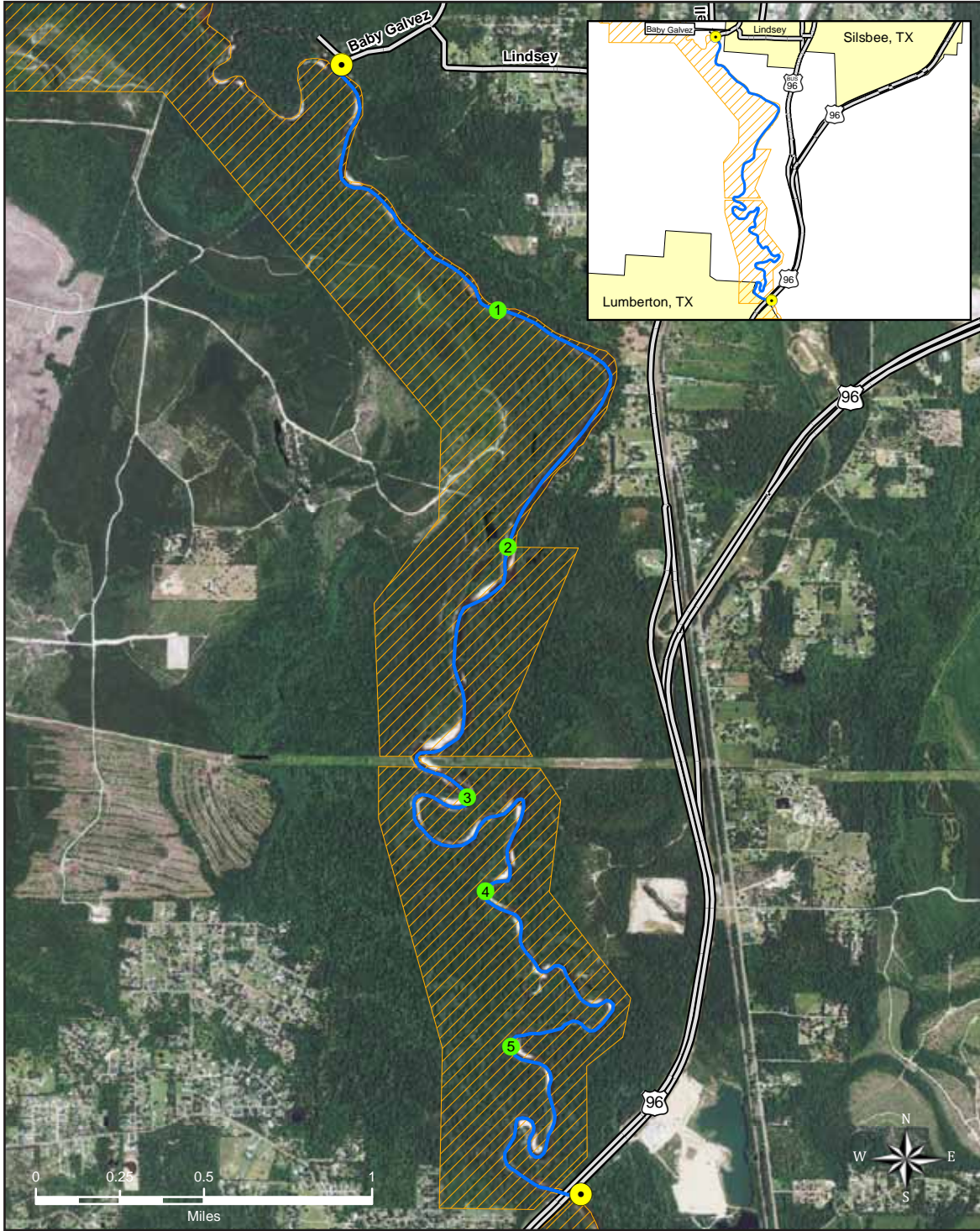
Directions: From Kountze on US 69, take SH 327 East for approximately 2.1 miles to Village Creek; turn right onto launch site road before crossing the bridge.

From Silsbee on Business 96, take SH 327 West for approximately 3.6 miles to Village Creek; turn left onto launch site road after crossing the bridge.

Directions: From Silsbee on Business 96, take Lindsey Rd. West for approximately 0.1 miles to Maxwell Dr., turn left and go one block and turn right back onto Lindsey Rd., continue straight for approximately 0.9 miles until it turns into Baby Galvez Rd. Follow Baby Galvez until reaching the boat launch.

Village Creek 3-Paddling Route

Baby Galvez to US 96



Trail Length: 5.9 Miles

Water Access Locations:

- 1.) Baby Galvez - Latitude 30°18'14.63"N
Longitude 94°11'56.87"W






Directions: From Silsbee on Business 96, take Lindsey Rd. West for approximately 0.1 miles to Maxwell Dr., turn left and go one block and turn right back onto Lindsey Rd., continue straight for approximately 0.9 miles until it turns into Baby Galvez Rd. Follow Baby Galvez until reaching the boat launch.

- 2.) US 96 - Latitude 30°17'17.72"N
Longitude 94°11'29.55"W

Directions: From Lumberton on US 96 North, go approximately 2 miles to Village Creek; turn right onto launch site road after crossing the Village Creek bridge

From Silsbee on US 96 South, go approximately 4 miles to Village Creek; turn right onto launch site road before crossing the Village Creek bridge

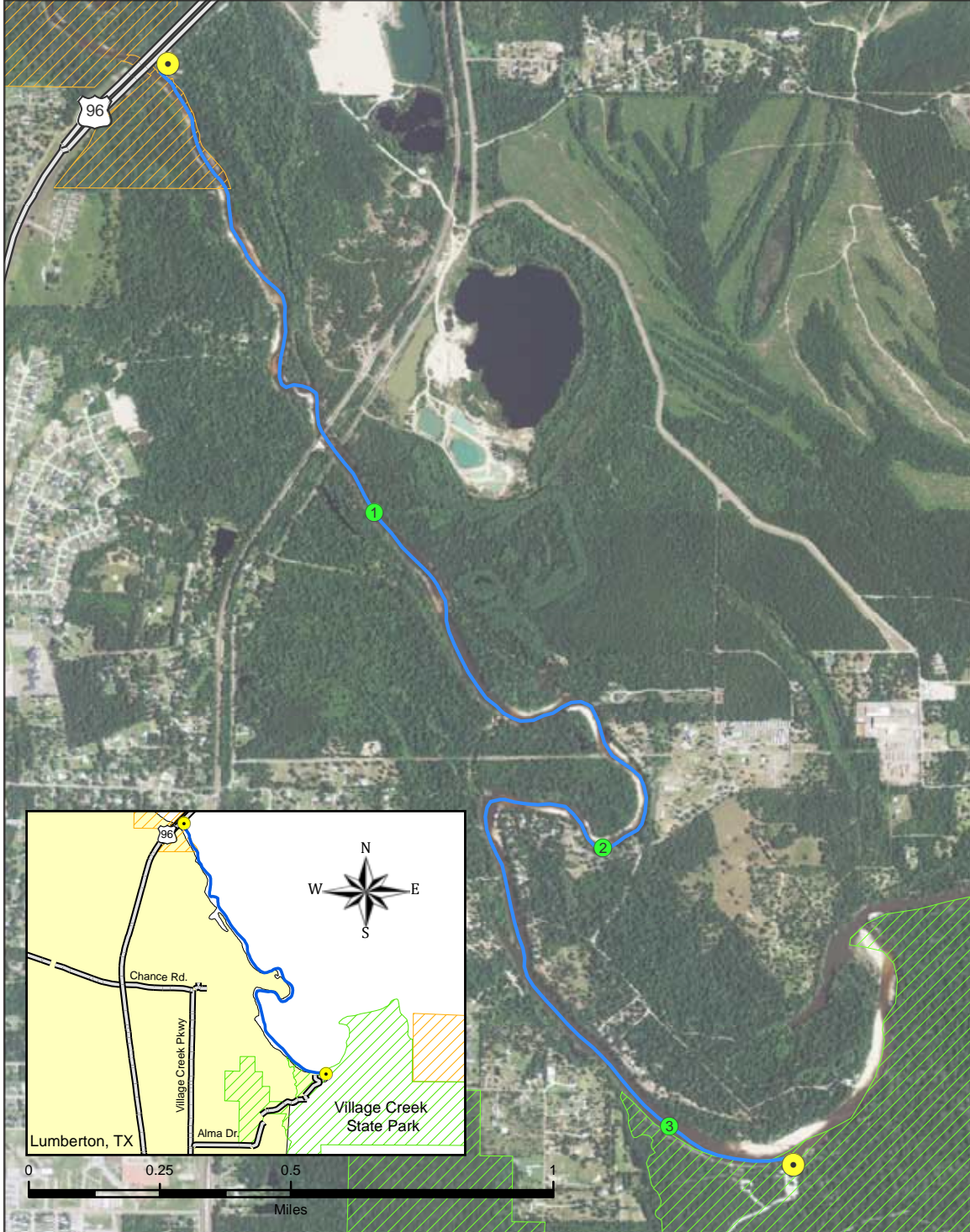
Legend

-  Access Point
-  Mile Marker
-  River Stretch
-  Road
-  Big Thicket National Preserve Boundary

Village Creek 4-Paddling Route



US 96 to Village Creek State Park



Trail Length: 3.2 Miles

Water Access Locations:

- 1.) US 96 - Latitude 30°17'17.72"N
Longitude 94°11'29.55"W

Directions: From Lumberton on US 96 North, go approximately 2 miles to Village Creek; turn right onto launch site road after crossing the Village Creek bridge

From Silsbee on US 96 South, go approximately 4 miles to Village Creek; turn right onto launch site road before crossing the Village Creek bridge

- 2.) Village Creek State Park -
Latitude 30°15'20.46
Longitude 94°10'14.55"W

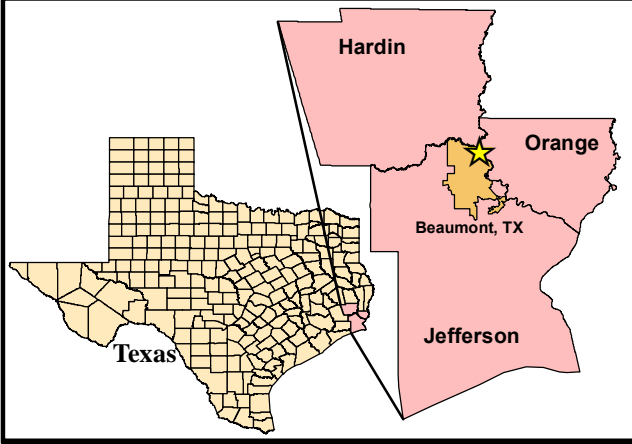
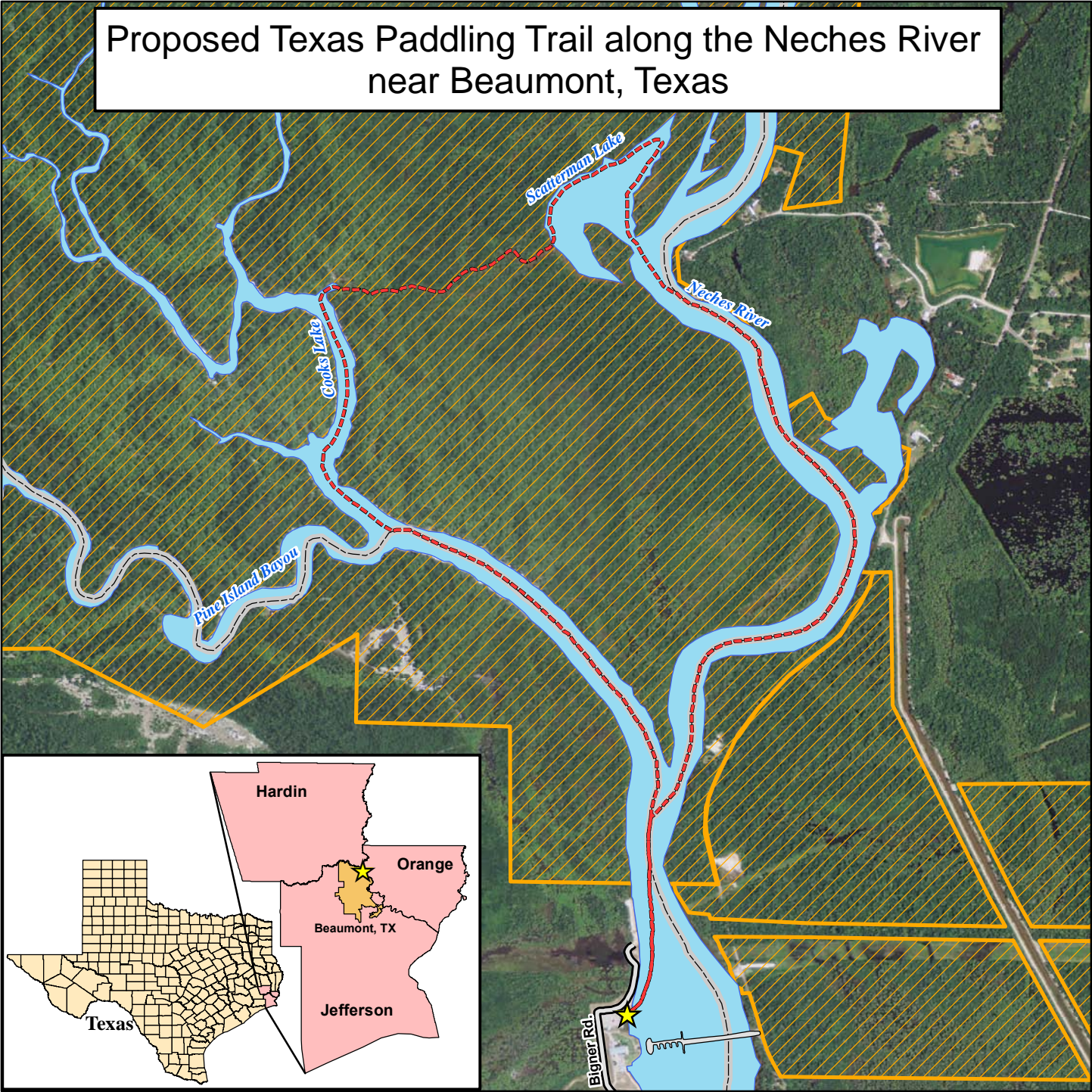
Directions: From Beaumont, take US Highway 69/96 North; take Mitchell Road exit onto Mitchell Road (just before the US Highway 69/96 split). Go approximately 0.4 miles on the access road and turn east (right) onto Mitchell Road. Then turn immediately north (left) onto FM 3513 (Village Creek Parkway). Go approximately 2 miles and turn east (right) on Alma Drive. Cross the railroad tracks (veer to the left) and go 0.5 miles to the park entrance. Stop at the park Headquarters to pay entry and get directions to the access site.

From Silsbee on US 96 South, go approximately 6.1 miles to Chance Rd. in Lumberton. Turn left on Chance Rd. and go 0.6 miles before turning right onto Village Creek Parkway. Go approximately 1.3 miles and turn east (left on Alma Drive. Cross the railroad tracks (veer to the left) and go 0.5 miles to the park entrance.

Legend

- Access Point
- Mile Marker
- River Stretch
- Road
- Big Thicket National Preserve Boundary
- Village Creek State Park

Proposed Texas Paddling Trail along the Neches River near Beaumont, Texas



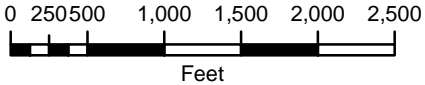
Legend

- Access Point
- Paddling Route
- Salt Water Barrier
- Water Bodies
- Big Thicket National Preserve
- County Boundary

Trail Length: 4.0 Miles

Water Access Location:
Lower Neches Valley Authority
Salt Water Barrier
6790 Bigner Rd.
Beaumont, Texas 77708

Latitude: 30° 9' 19" N
Longitude: 94° 6' 58" W



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