

CROWN LAND USE ATLAS - POLICY REPORT

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IDENTIFICATION:

ID: C2299
Area Name: Campus Lake
Area (ha): 19746
Designation: Conservation Reserve - Recommended (Ontario's Living Legacy)
District(s): Dryden, Fort Frances

DESCRIPTION:

Campus Lake is situated 12 kilometers south of the community of Ignace and 33 kilometers north of the Town of Atikokan, encompassing Campus, Elsie, Mable and Sandford Lakes and associated waters. This site lies between Highway 17 to the north, Highway 11 to the south and Highway 622 to the west.

This site contains representative landform and vegetation types, including wetland communities and mixed conifer and deciduous forest types on weakly broken beach and aeolian deposits and weakly broken ground moraine. It also encompasses some spectacular scenic and recreational areas adjacent to Turtle River Provincial Park.

Sanford Lake is a designated tourism lake.

LAND USE INTENT:

The intent is to regulate this area as a conservation reserve.

Management of this area is also governed by the general policies contained in the Land Use Strategy (1999).

MANAGEMENT DIRECTION:

Those uses and management activities not listed in the following table are governed by existing conservation reserve policy. Over time the management direction will be elaborated in a Statement of Conservation Interest or Resource Management Plan. Any new uses, and commercial activities associated with conservation reserves, will be considered on a case by case basis, and must pass a test of compatibility to be acceptable. Compatibility is normally determined through a planning process.

Activity	Permitted	Guidelines
<u>Commercial Activities</u>		
Aggregate Extraction	N	
Bait Fishing		
Existing:	Y	Existing use permitted to continue, unless there are significant demonstrated conflicts. New operations can be considered, subject to the "test of compatibility".
New:	M	
Commercial Fishing		
Existing:	Y	Existing use permitted to continue, unless there are significant demonstrated conflicts. New operations can be considered, subject to the "test of compatibility".
New:	M	
Commercial Fur Harvesting		
Existing:	Y	Existing use permitted to continue, unless there are significant demonstrated conflicts. Existing trap cabins can continue; new cabins are not permitted. New operations can be considered, subject to the "test of compatibility".
New:	M	
Commercial Hydro Development	N	
Commercial Timber Harvest	N	

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Commercial Tourism		
Existing:	Y	Existing authorized facilities can continue, unless there are significant demonstrated conflicts. New tourism facilities can be considered during the planning for an individual reserve.
New:	M	
• Bear Hunting by Non-residents (guided)		
Existing:	Y	Existing authorized operations permitted to continue. New operations not permitted.
New:	N	
• Outfitting Services		
Existing:	Y	Existing authorized operations permitted to continue. New operations can be considered during the planning for an individual reserve.
New:	M	
• Outpost Camps		
Existing:	Y	Existing authorized operations permitted to continue. New operations can be considered during the planning for an individual reserve.
New:	M	
• Resorts/lodges		
Existing:	Y	Existing authorized facilities permitted to continue. New facilities can be considered during the planning for an individual reserve.
New:	M	
Boat Caches (Managed)		
Energy Transmission and Communications Corridors		
Existing:	Y	These facilities should avoid conservation reserve lands wherever possible.
New:	N	
Food Harvesting (Commercial)		
Existing:	M	Written authority required.
New:	M	
Mineral Exploration and Development		
Existing:	N	
Peat Extraction		
Existing:	N	
Wild Rice Harvesting		
Existing:	Y	
New:	M	

Land and Resource Management Activities

Crown Land Disposition		
Private Use:	M	Sale of lands is not permitted, except for minor dispositions in support of existing uses (e.g., reconstruction of a septic system). Renewals of existing leases and land use permits are permitted. Requests for transfer of tenure will be considered in the context of the Statement of Conservation Interest or Resource Management Plan. New leases or land use permits permitted for approved activities. Tourism facilities can apply to upgrade tenure from LUP to lease.
Commercial Use:	M	
Fire Suppression	Y	Fire suppression policies are similar to adjacent Crown lands, unless alternative fire policies have been developed through a planning process.
Fish Habitat Management	M	
Fish Stocking	M	Conservation Reserves policy indicates that "featured species management" may be permitted.
Insect/disease Suppression	M	
Inventory/Monitoring	Y	
Prescribed Burning	M	

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Roads (Resource Access)		
Existing:	Y	Existing roads can continue to be used. Continued use will include maintenance and may include future upgrading.
New:	M	
		<u>In accordance with commitment #20 of the Ontario Forest Accord, a road crossing for forestry purposes may be permitted within the conservation reserve on the south side of Sanford lake near Garbage Bay, if alternatives that do not cross the conservation reserve are determined to be unacceptable through future forest management planning.</u>
Vegetation Management	M	Other new roads for resource extraction will not be permitted. Conservation Reserves policy indicates that Featured Species Management and Natural Systems Management may be permitted. Vegetation management can be considered in a planning process.
Wildlife Population Management	M	

Deleted: N
Deleted: , with the exception of necessary access to existing forest reserves for mineral exploration and development.

Science, Education and Heritage Appreciation

Collecting	N	
Historical Appreciation	Y	
Nature Appreciation	Y	
Photography and Painting	Y	
Research	Y	
Wildlife Viewing	Y	

Recreation Activities and Facilities

All Terrain Vehicle Use		
On Trails:	Y	Existing use permitted to continue where it does not adversely affect the values being protected. ATV use off trails not permitted except for direct retrieval of game.
Off Trails:	N	
Campgrounds	M	
Food Gathering	Y	
Horseback Riding (trail)	Y	Existing use on trails permitted.
Hunting	Y	
Mountain Bike Use	Y	Existing use on trails permitted.
Motor Boat Use		
Commercial:	Y	
Private:	Y	
Non-motorized Recreation Travel	Y	
Private Recreation Camps (Hunt Camps)		
Existing:	Y	Existing camps permitted to continue, and may be eligible for enhanced tenure, but not purchase of land.
New:	N	
Rock Climbing	M	
Snowmobiling		
On Trails:	Y	Existing use permitted to continue where it does not adversely affect the values being protected. Snowmobile use off trails is not permitted, except that snowmobiles may be used for direct retrieval of game.
Off Trails:	M	
Sport Fishing	Y	

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Trail Development

Existing:

M

Development of trails for a variety of activities (e.g., hiking, cross-country skiing, cycling, horseback riding, snowmobiling) can be considered as part of planning for an individual reserve.

New:

Note: The policies outlined in this table do not supersede any Aboriginal or treaty rights that may exist, or other legal obligations.

SOURCE OF DIRECTION:

Ontario's Living Legacy Land Use Strategy (1999)
 Atikokan District Land Use Guidelines (1983)
 Atikokan District Fisheries Management Plan (1988)
 Conservation Reserves Policy (1997)
[Amendment #2002-08: Amendment of Crown Land Use Direction to Provide for Road Crossings of Specific Provincial Parks and Conservation Reserves](#)

EXPLANATION OF EDITS:

Area calculation has been edited based on current mapping. Area calculations are preliminary until public consultation on boundaries has been completed and the area has been regulated.

Lake Trout no cut zones from District Land Use Guidelines (120 m) superceded by 200 metres minimum conservation reserve boundary

Sign-off: <Edits Approver>

Date: <Date Approved>

Deleted: Amendment #2002-08: Amendment of Crown Land Use Direction to Provide for Road Crossings of 23 Provincial Parks and Conservation Reserves.¶

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