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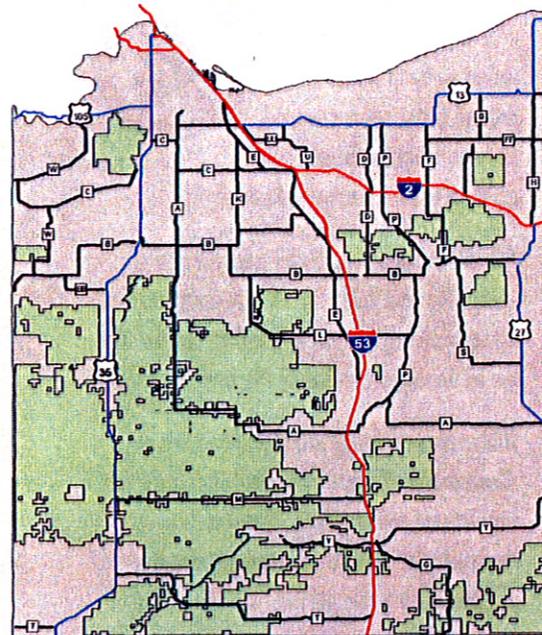
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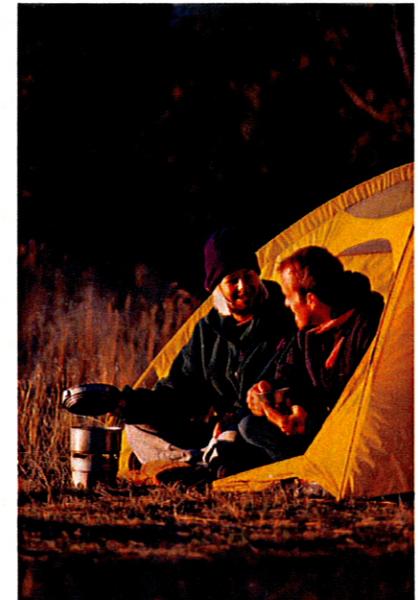
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Wilderness camping is allowed on Douglas County Forest Land. The following regulations help protect the camper and the natural resources on the forest. This camping policy is authorized under the Douglas County Comprehensive Land Use Plan and enforced under Ordinance 7.2 of the Douglas County Land Recreational Ordinance.



On Douglas County Forest Land, a valid camping permit issued by the Douglas County Forestry Department must be visibly displayed on each camping unit. The camping permit is valid only for the permittee, dates, and location as issued by Douglas County.

The following camping regulations apply:

- The camping shelter may be a tent, camper trailer, truck camper, or other camping unit. **Each unit must obtain its own special camping permit.**
- Litter or damage to natural resources is not allowed. Take all refuse with you when you leave and dispose of properly. Do not cut any living trees or shrubs.

- A three (3) foot wide mineral soil break must surround an open fire when the ground is not snow covered. All fires must be extinguished before leaving the campsite.



- You are responsible if your campfire gets away. You are liable for all expenses incurred in suppressing the fire and will be responsible for all damages caused by the fire.
- Wilderness camping and campfires are not allowed when County or State emergency fire regulations are in effect. Douglas County reserves the right to suspend all camping permits during this period.
- No camping is permitted within a 200' radius of another valid camping permit without authorization from that permit holder.
- No wilderness camping is permitted at designated parks, boat landings, within the boundaries of an active timber sale, on designated recreation trails, or other certain areas designated by Douglas County. In the event that a permit is within the boundaries of an active timber sale, Douglas County will either refund the camping fee or relocate the permit.

- Blocking of public roads or trails will not be allowed.
- Hunting and fishing on County Forest Lands is allowed during legal seasons.
- Read and obey Douglas County's Land Recreation Ordinance 7.2.
- ATV use on the County Forest is allowed only on existing logging roads, county forest roads, and developed ATV trails, and only during specified months in these authorized areas.
- Camping shelters equipped with septic wastewater holding tanks must dispose of wastewater at established dump stations.
- The Douglas County Forestry, Parks and Recreation Committee has set a special camping permit fee of \$25.00 for 10 days, limit of three consecutive permits per group per site. To continue camping on Douglas County Forest Land a new permit for an area at least 1/2 mile (2,640 feet) from the original site must be obtained.

