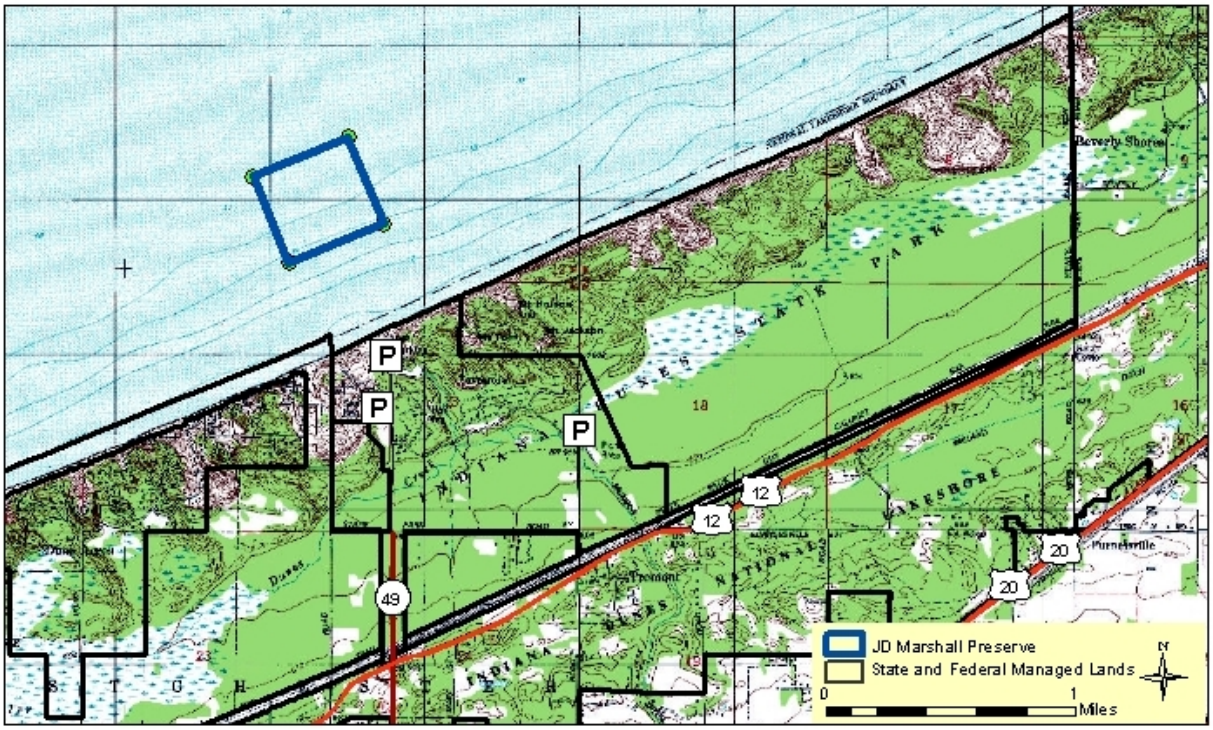
JD Marshall Preserve

County: Porter Size: 100 acres
Ownership: State of Indiana
Management: IDNR – State Parks

Location and Access

Parking. No trail. Located in Lake Michigan, approximately 600 yards off-shore from the Dunes State Park. Enter via the park entrance and park in the Pavilion parking lot or West parking lot. Interpretive information is located at the nature center and Pavilion.



Description: The preserve is established to protect the cultural values embodied by the *JD Marshall* shipwreck. It also preserves a portion of the Lake Michigan natural area. The preserve boundary includes the shipwreck and associated debris field and serves to promote understanding and appreciation of cultural values by the people of the State of Indiana. This shipwreck tells an important story about past events by providing information regarding our economic, technological, and cultural history and give insight into early survival on the Great Lakes.

Further Information:

Indiana Dunes State Park, 1600 North 25 East, Chesterton, IN 46304. (219) 926-1952. The nature center phone number is (219) 926-1390. www.in.gov/dnr/parklake/
www.indianashipwrecks.org
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