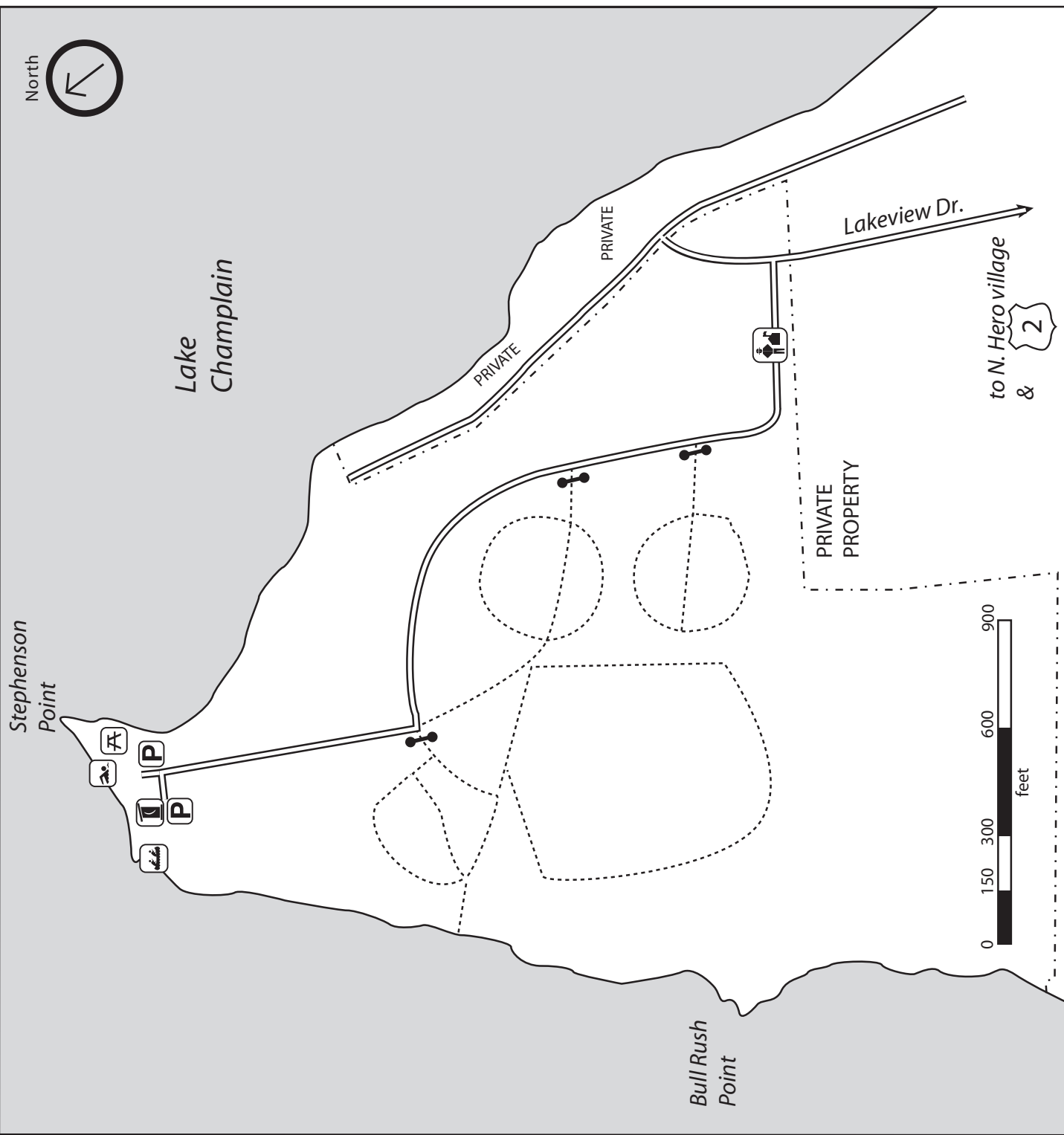


North Hero State Park

North Hero, Vermont



LEGEND

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| | Staff Quarters | | Cartop boat launch |
| | Parking | | Portable toilet |
| | Swimming area | | Trail |
| | Picnic area | | Park boundary |

North Hero State Park

Welcome to North Hero State Park. Land for this 399-acre park was purchased in 1963. Nearly one-third of the land area lies below 100 feet in elevation. Lake Champlain normally fluctuates from about 95 to 101 feet above sea level, subjecting much of the park to seasonal inundation. The forest type in the floodplain area is uncommon in Vermont, found only around Lake Champlain. The lakeside floodplain forest at North Hero is noted for its size, relatively undisturbed condition and the valuable wildlife habitat it provides.

Wildlife habitat improvements at North Hero State Park have yielded tangible results. White-tailed deer are common, as are a variety of migratory waterfowl - mallards, black and wood ducks nest in the wooded wetlands. Ruffed grouse and American woodcock find suitable breeding and nesting habitat here as well. Even fish - chain pickerel and northern pike - spawn and feed in the flooded areas. Map turtles, as well as other turtle species, nest along the beach. A section of the beach is roped off during nesting season so as to not disturb the turtles.

Recreating and Sightseeing in the Area:

Grand Isle

- *Grand Isle State Park*
- *The Hyde Log Cabin State Historic Site*
- *Grand Isle State Fish Culture Station*

Swanton

- *Missisquoi National Wildlife Refuge*

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- *St. Anne's Shrine*
- *Ancient coral reef*

North Hero

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- *Alburgh Dunes State Park*
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Memorial Day Weekend - Labor Day

picnicking
swimming
walking trails
fishing