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LEGEND

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- **Road**
- **Self-Service Info Booth**
- **Ditch**
- **Office & Visitor Center**
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**GOOSE POND**

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Approximate Scale in Miles
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INDIANA FISH & WILDLIFE AREAS

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WILDLIFE WATCHING

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ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

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GOOSE POND FISH & WILDLIFE AREA

HISTORY

In October 2005, with the help of The Nature Conservancy, Ducks Unlimited, Indiana Department of Transportation, United States Fish and Wildlife Service and many other organizations, IDNR purchased the 8,064-acre property including the 7,200 acres under permanent WRP easement, creating Goose Pond Fish & Wildlife Area.

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