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Old Gunflint Trail County Road 92

Distance: 4.5 miles (one way)

Estimated Time: 1 hour

Difficulty: Beginner

Surface Type: Gravel

Special Notes: Nice gravel ride for families. There is very little traffic, and the terrain is flowing at each end, and fairly flat in the middle.

Directions to Trailhead: There are two areas to start from on this ride, either the Poplar Lake Public Access parking area on the south end, or the Iron Lake Campground on the northern end.

Route Description: Starting from the Poplar Lake Public Access, travel .7 miles out to County Road 92. Take a left and start enjoying the ride. About half way through, you will see a red cabin on your right and a garage on your left. A little history here, this was the Post Office for the Gunflint Trail for many years. It was later purchased by Larry Wooding, and remains in the family today.

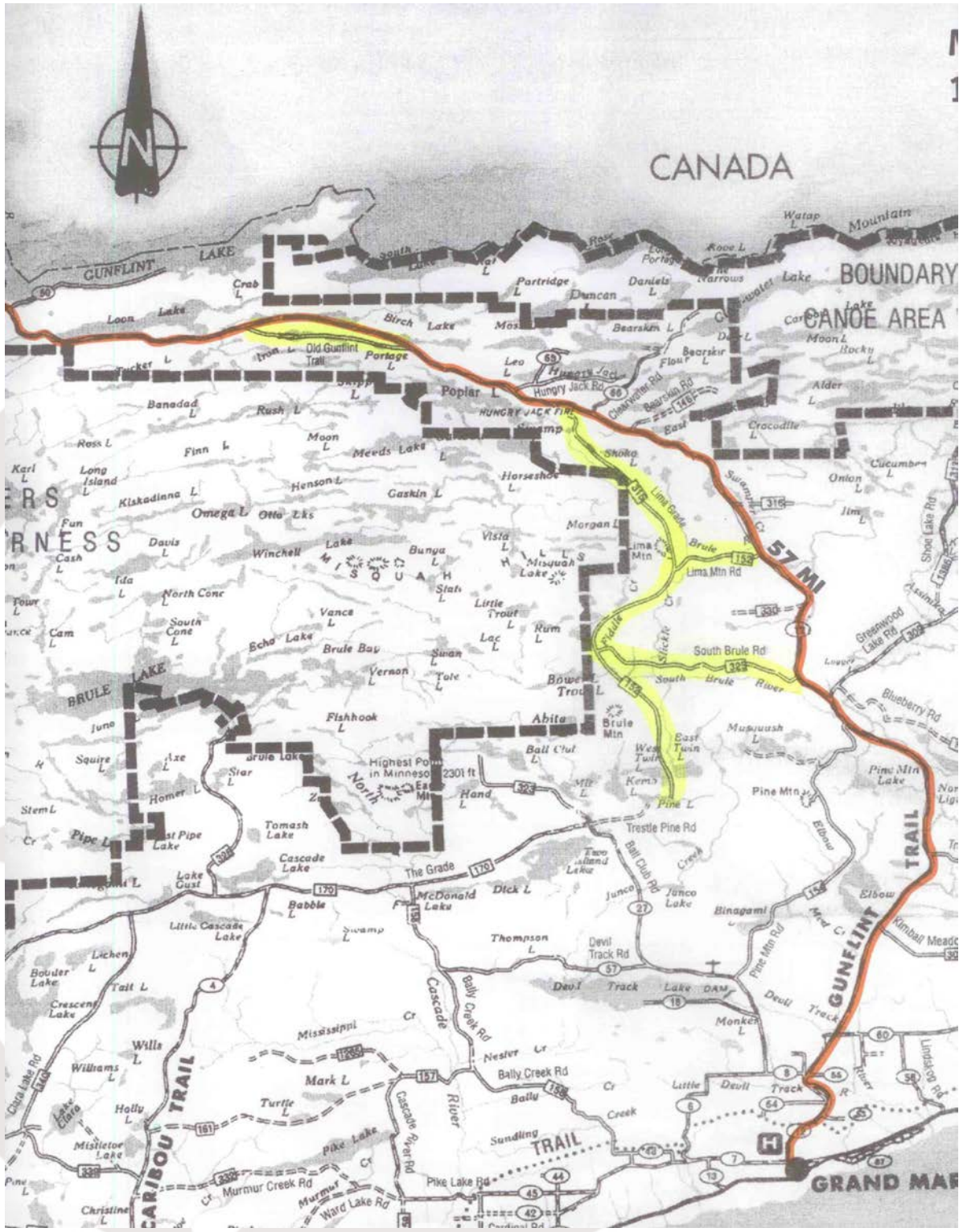
Just past the Post Office, you will notice a very healthy Black Spruce Forest. Absolutely beautiful. Getting to the northern end, you will notice that a forest fire had hit the area. This is part of the Ham Lake fire that covered more than 76,000 acres in 2007.

This is an out and back so once you get to the pavement again, turn around and head back. Be sure to slow down and enjoy the forest.

ENJOY THE RIDE!!!!



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