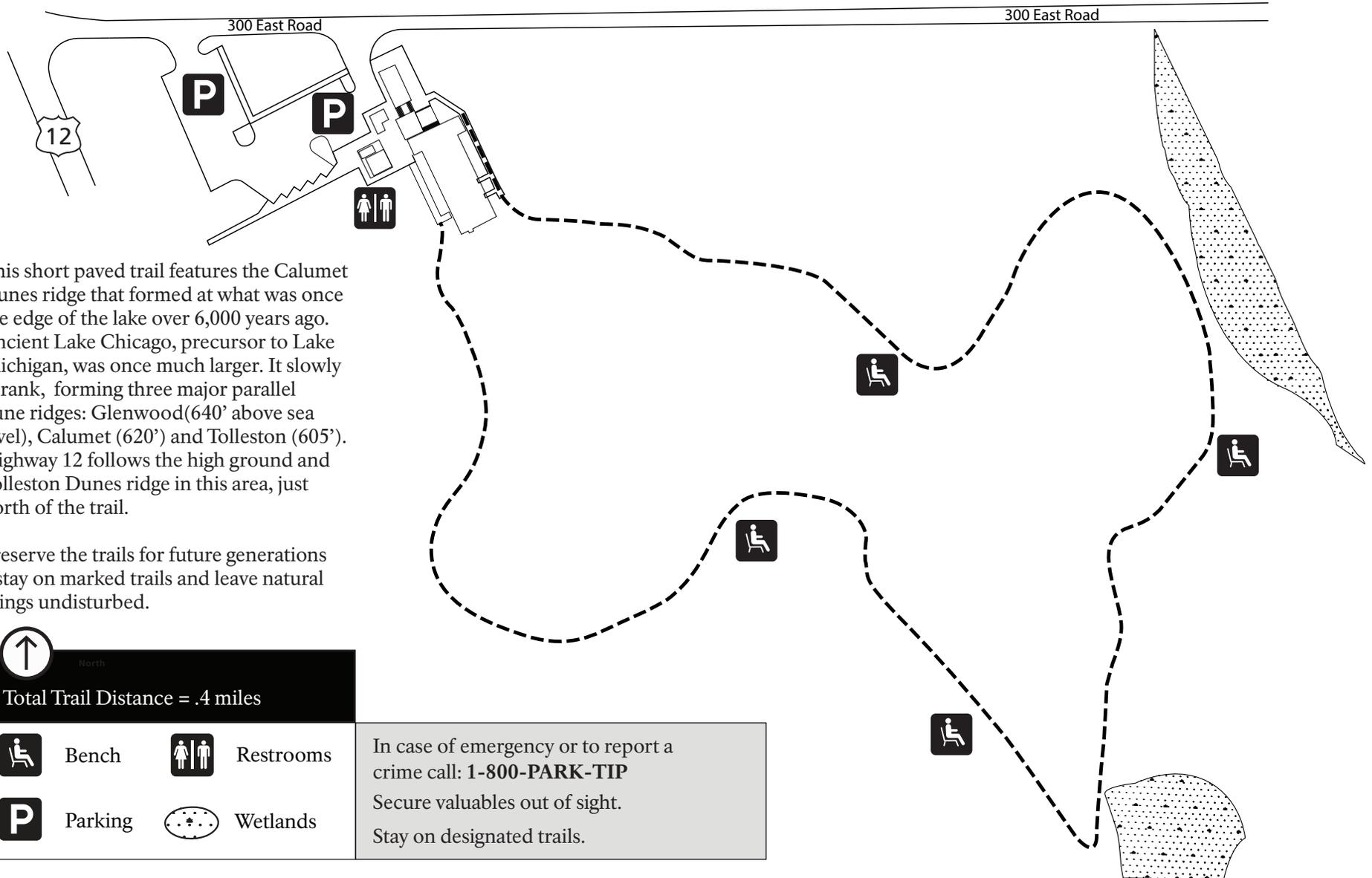




## Calumet Dunes Trail



This short paved trail features the Calumet Dunes ridge that formed at what was once the edge of the lake over 6,000 years ago. Ancient Lake Chicago, precursor to Lake Michigan, was once much larger. It slowly shrank, forming three major parallel dune ridges: Glenwood (640' above sea level), Calumet (620') and Tolleston (605'). Highway 12 follows the high ground and Tolleston Dunes ridge in this area, just north of the trail.

Preserve the trails for future generations – stay on marked trails and leave natural things undisturbed.

 North  
 Total Trail Distance = .4 miles

 Bench	 Restrooms
 Parking	 Wetlands

In case of emergency or to report a crime call: **1-800-PARK-TIP**  
Secure valuables out of sight.  
Stay on designated trails.

# Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore

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The national lakeshore was established in 1966 to preserve for the educational, inspirational, and recreational use of the public, certain portions of the Indiana Dunes and other areas of scenic, scientific, and historic interest and recreational value in the state of Indiana. About two million annual visitors enjoy the park's 15,000 acres of wetlands, prairies, sand dunes, oak savannas, forests, and historic sites. The park's beach hugs the southern shore of Lake Michigan from Gary, Indiana, to Michigan City, Indiana. For more information, visit [www.nps.gov/indu](http://www.nps.gov/indu).

## Trails in Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore

\* Trail map available

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|---|-------------------------------|
| <b>1</b> Miller Woods Trail*                  | <b>7</b> Calumet Dunes Trail* |
| <b>5</b> West Beach Trails*                   | <b>8</b> Dune Ridge Trail     |
| <b>3</b> Tolleston Dunes Trail*               | <b>9</b> Great Marsh Trail*   |
| <b>4</b> Cowles Bog Trail*                    | <b>10</b> Heron Rookery Trail |
| <b>5</b> Bailly/Chellberg Trail*              | <b>11</b> Mount Baldy Trail*  |
| <b>6</b> Glenwood Dunes Horse & Hiking Trail* |                               |

## Be a Volunteer

Help support Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore by becoming a volunteer. If you are interested in learning more, contact the volunteer coordinator at 219-395-1682 or visit [www.volunteer.gov/gov](http://www.volunteer.gov/gov)

## Water Safety

Lake Michigan can change quickly. Even moderate winds can create rough water and dangerous currents. Beachgoers should consider staying on the shore when wind is blowing and waves are crashing. Keep children close at all times. Only West Beach has lifeguards in the summer. In winter, the ice that forms along the lake is never safe for walking. Check at the visitor center for conditions and hazards.

