

North Walk-In-Water

This 1113 -acre property was purchased by Polk County in four phases. The first phase was purchased in 2001. The main goal for this site is the protection of the floodplain and black water stream named Walk-in-Water.

TRAIL ENTRANCE:

11695 FL-60
Lake Wales, FL 33898

PARKING COORDINATES:

N 27° 52.5785' W 081° 24.207

DRIVING DIRECTIONS

Travel approximately nine miles East of Lake Wales on S.R. 60. The site entrance is on the north side of S.R. 60 just before Walk-in-Water Creek.



TREK TEN CACHE COORDINATES:

N 27° 52.783 W 081° 24.209



THINGS TO SEE

The site has a small borrow pond where visitors can enjoy some bank fishing. A short trail leads you into an old oak hammock. You may see turkeys and deer during your visit and possibly a scrambling Sherman's fox squirrel



FIND THE CACHE WITHOUT GPS:

After parking, continue through the walk through. Follow the trail counter clockwise around the pond. When you reach the North end of the pond look for the trailhead and at the sign post take the left (west) fork of the trail. About thirty feet before the third trail post, look for two small pine trees on the right side of the trail. The geocache is hidden about 10 feet behind the two small pine trees. After finding the geocache, continue following the trail back to the parking area. (HIKE: 1.5 mile round trip)

