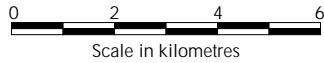
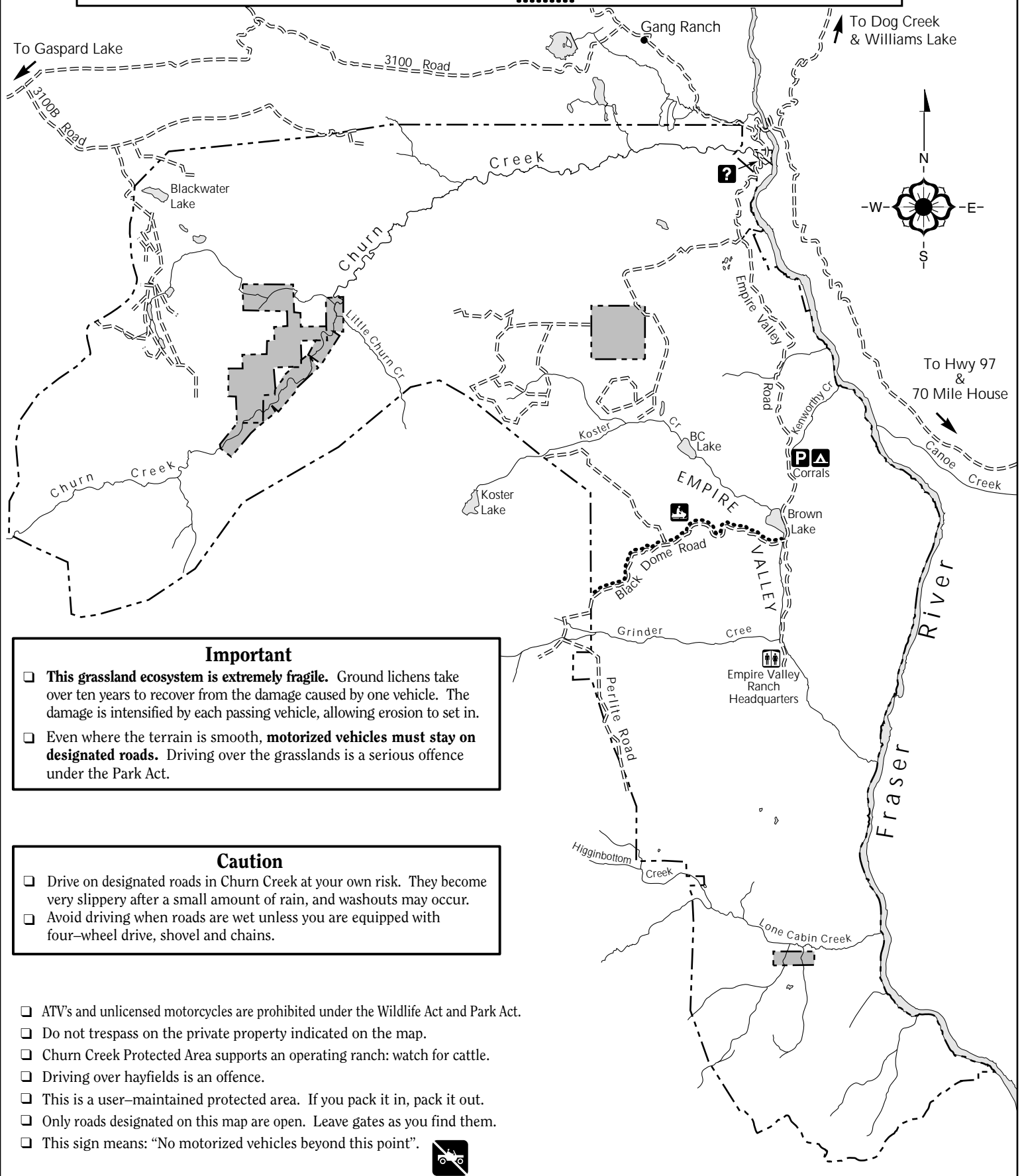


# CHURN CREEK PROTECTED AREA



- Parking
- Information
- Rustic Camping
- Toilet
- Snowmobile Route

- Designated Road - Loose Surface
- Protected Area
- Private land within the protected area perimeter



**Important**

- This grassland ecosystem is extremely fragile.** Ground lichens take over ten years to recover from the damage caused by one vehicle. The damage is intensified by each passing vehicle, allowing erosion to set in.
- Even where the terrain is smooth, **motorized vehicles must stay on designated roads.** Driving over the grasslands is a serious offence under the Park Act.

**Caution**

- Drive on designated roads in Churn Creek at your own risk. They become very slippery after a small amount of rain, and washouts may occur.
- Avoid driving when roads are wet unless you are equipped with four-wheel drive, shovel and chains.

- ATVs and unlicensed motorcycles are prohibited under the Wildlife Act and Park Act.
- Do not trespass on the private property indicated on the map.
- Churn Creek Protected Area supports an operating ranch: watch for cattle.
- Driving over hayfields is an offence.
- This is a user-maintained protected area. If you pack it in, pack it out.
- Only roads designated on this map are open. Leave gates as you find them.
- This sign means: "No motorized vehicles beyond this point".