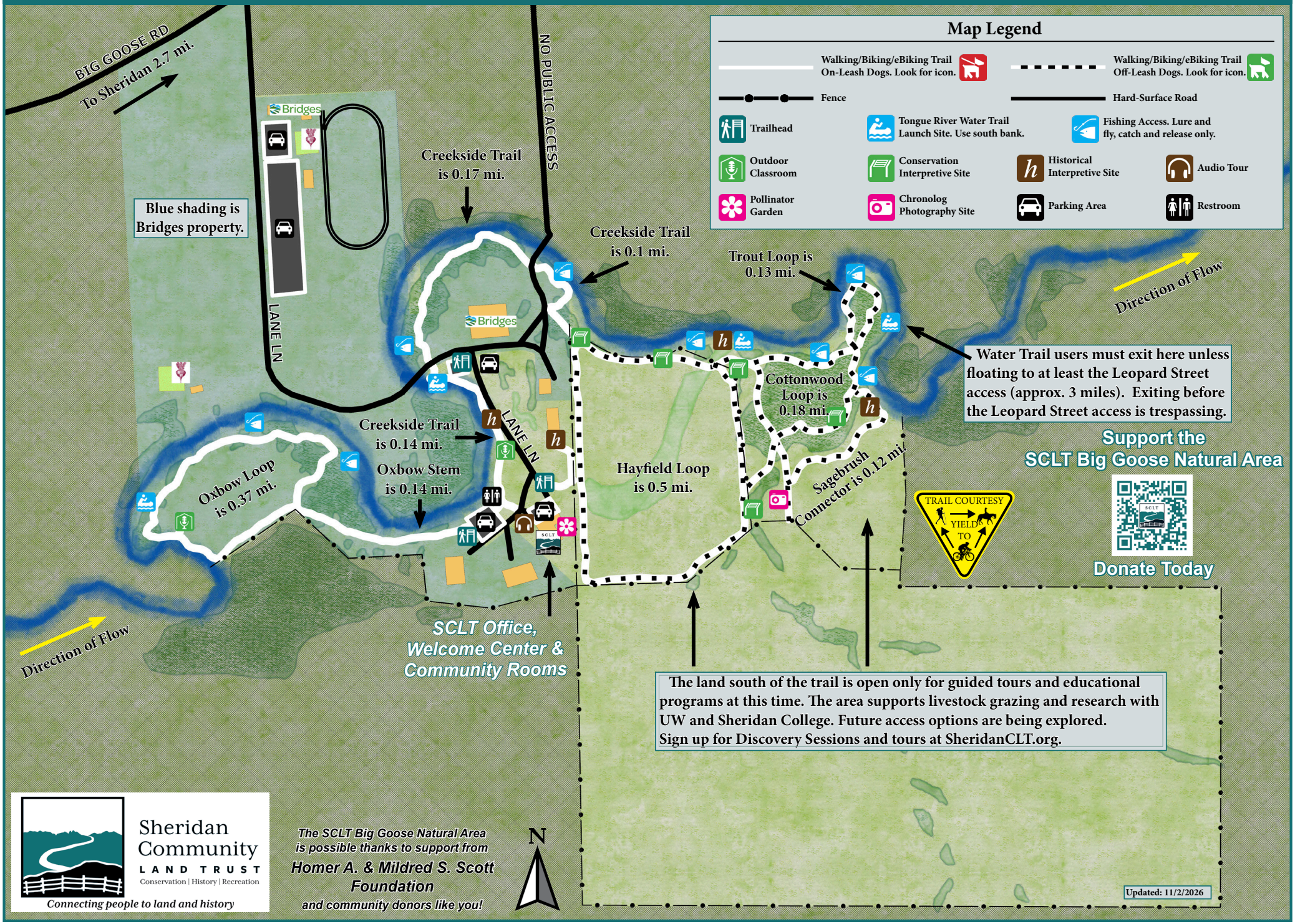
SCLT BIG GOOSE NATURAL AREA @ Bridges



Local History

Discover the people and stories of this place—from Sheridan's Japanese community and Camp Cloud Peak to the ongoing restoration of Ol' #115 streetcar (you can help!), and the coal carts that begin the Black Diamond Byway.



Conservation

Explore conservation in action, from wildlife-friendly fencing and stream restoration to virtual fencing trials and invasive plant removal that strengthens native habitat.



Support the BGNA

This community space exists because of supporters like you. Help keep the Big Goose Natural Area open and free by making a gift to SCLT.

Ways to Give

- Drop a gift at our office or in the secure after-hours lockbox
- Scan the QR code
- Visit SheridanCLT.org/Donate





Big Goose Natural Area

Owned & Managed by

Sheridan Community LAND TRUST
Conservation | History | Recreation

Connecting people to land and history

Open Daily, from Dawn to Dusk

Featuring
Nature Trails
Fish or Float Big Goose Creek
Historic Interpretive Sites
Outdoor Classrooms
Land Stewardship Demonstrations
SCLT Welcome Center & Community Rooms
all on
117 acres of Permanently Protected Working Ranchland

Located at 14 Lane Ln, Sheridan, WY

Off-Leash Trails

Where Dogs Can Be Off-Leash

- Off-Leash: Hay Field Trails & Cottonwood Trails
- On-Leash: All other trails, parking areas, and roadways.





Help Keep Off-Leash Trails Open

- Stay on marked trails
- Pick up and pack out dog waste
- Give wildlife space
- Share the trail respectfully

These simple actions keep BGNA safe, healthy, and enjoyable for everyone.

Fishing & Floating

- Fishing is catch-and-release only.
- Artificial lures and barbless hooks required.
- Use designated put-ins and take-outs.

General Rules

Access & Hours: Open daily from dawn to dusk. Stay on designated land and water trails. Follow any posted closures.

Wildlife & Etiquette: Give wildlife and livestock space. Bikes yield to hikers; hikers yield to horses. Avoid muddy trails. Be courteous.

Protect the Land: No fires, camping, fireworks, alcohol, or glass. Pack it in/pack it out; leave what you find.

Wheels: No motorized vehicles or e-motorcycles. Class 1 & 2 e-bikes and onewheels allowed.

Prohibited: No drones without permission. No hunting or firearm discharge.