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Jacksonville INTRACOASTAL SALT MARSH Paddling Guide



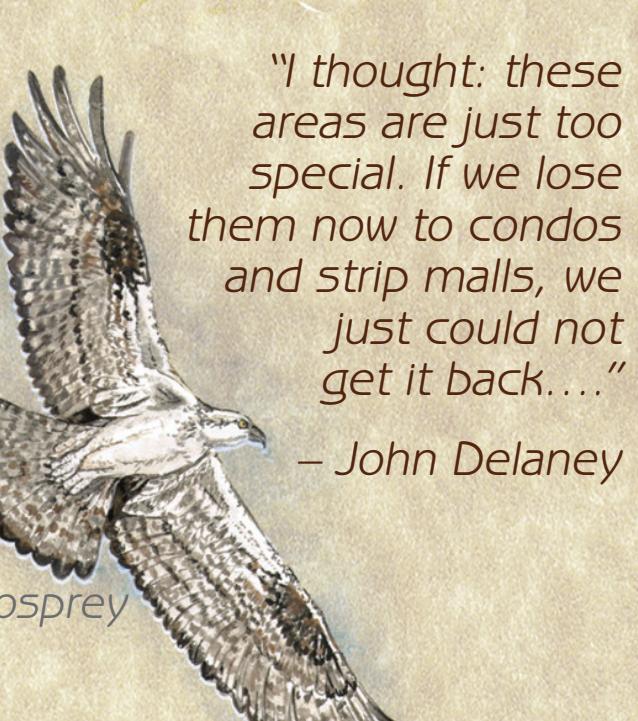
"We must all have a great sense of responsibility and not let things happen because everyone takes the comfortable view that someone else is looking after it. Someone else isn't looking after it."

— Rachel Carson



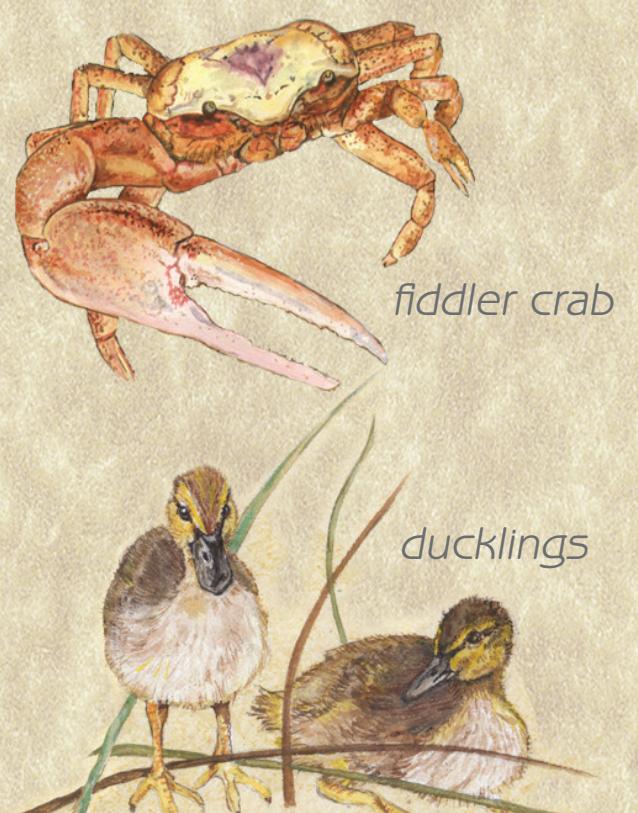
"I thought: these areas are just too special. If we lose them now to condos and strip malls, we just could not get it back..."

— John Delaney



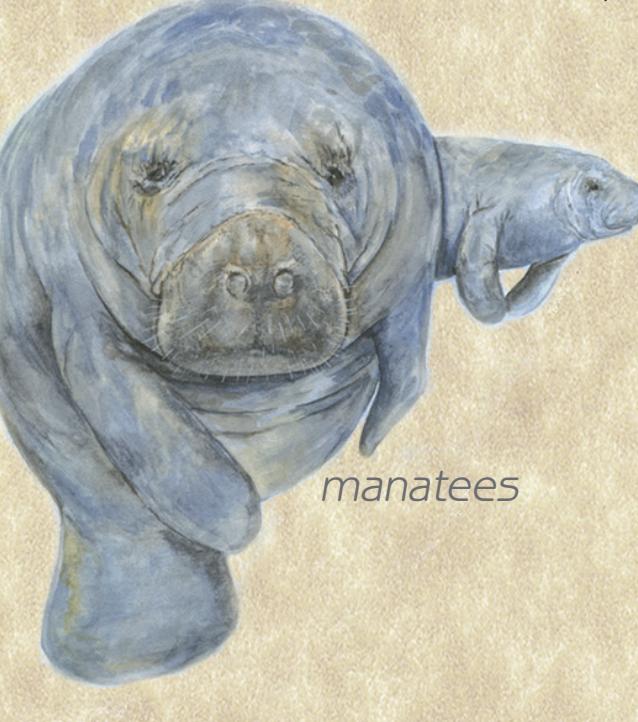
"I enter a swamp as a sacred place – a sanctum sanctorum. There is the strength, the marrow, of Nature."

— Henry David Thoreau



"We do not inherit the earth from our fathers, we are borrowing it from our children."

— David Brower
(longtime executive director of the Sierra Club)



"Puffy cumulus clouds sail above the horizon bounded by islands, marsh, and an azure space of sky and water. I am insignificant in this space, but I am a part of it nonetheless."

— Jeff Ripple



"The sky clears... and up comes the sun like a god, pouring his faithful beams across the [swamps] and forest, lighting each peak and tree... clothing them with the rainbow light, and dissolving the seeming chaos of darkness into varied forms of harmony. The ordinary work of the world goes on..."

— John Muir
(founder of Sierra Club in 1892)



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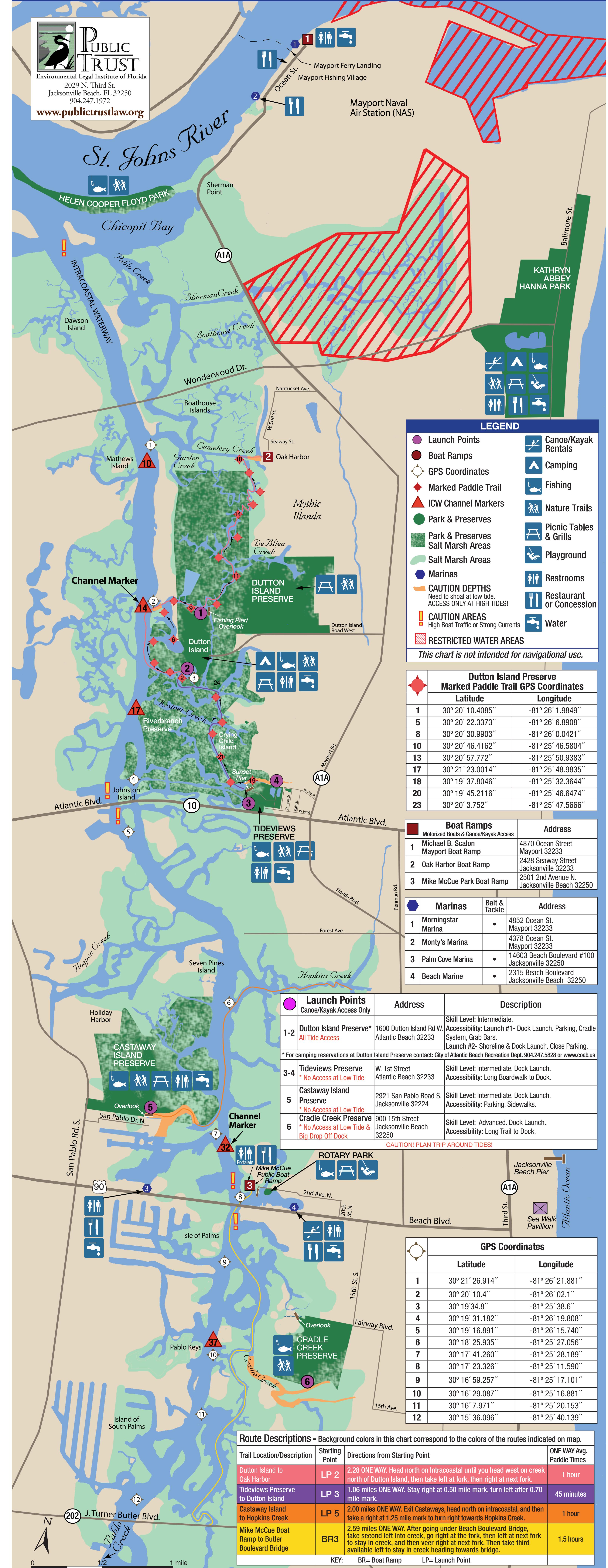
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