

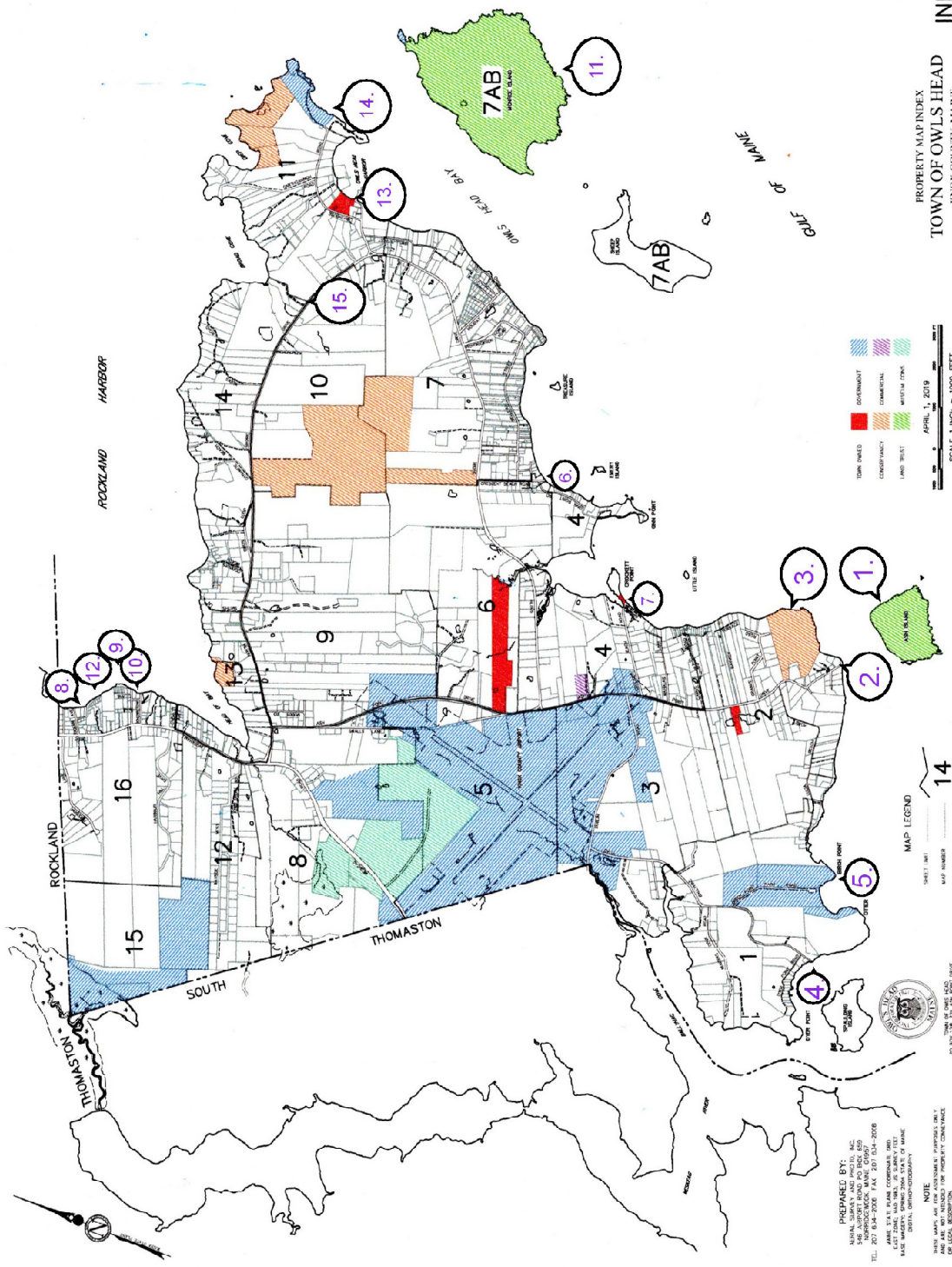
## Town of Owls Head

### Parks—Public Lands—Water Access—Hiking/Walking Trails

- Unless otherwise noted, all sites listed are property of the Town of Owls Head.
  - Sites can be located by number on the attached map.
  - All properties are likely to have a healthy tick population, so it's best to remain on established trails. Wearing light colors, tucking in shirts and socks, using insect repellent, and checking your body during and after spending time on these sites will help to minimize the likelihood of infection with Lyme or other tick-borne diseases.
- 1. Ash Island** 47-acre island with rocky shoreline and views of Mussel Ridge Channel and islands; accessible only by water, closest launch site at Birch Point State Park (see below) with ample parking [Ash Island](#) (Maine Coast Heritage Trust)
  - 2. Ash Point (Trails End)** Water access at the end of Ash Point Drive with views of Ash Island and Mussel Ridge Channel, approximately 100' wide with parking for 3-4 cars
  - 3. Ash Point Preserve** 34-acre preserve with trails through coastal forest to 2,140' granite shoreline; parking for several cars in lot off Ash Point Drive [Ash Point Preserve](#) (Georges River Land Trust)
  - 4. Ballyhac Road** Water access at road end, parking for 2 cars at street end
  - 5. Birch Point State Park** State-owned with admission fee in summer, closed in winter months. Entrance off Ballyhac Road; sandy beach and picnic tables with expansive views of Mussel Ridge Channel and islands. Parking for 20-30 cars [Birch Point State Park](#)
  - 6. Crescent Beach** Public access approximately 70' wide to large pebble beach on Mussel Ridge Channel; parking for 6-10 cars located at end of Crescent Beach Road
  - 7. Crocketts Beach** Public access to a short rocky/sand beach at end of Crocketts Beach Road; views of Rockland Harbor north to Camden Hills; limited parking
  - 8. Harborside Terrace** Street-end water view of Rockland Harbor, road-width wide, with parking for two cars
  - 9. Knowlton Avenue** Street-end water access to Rockland Harbor with parking for one small car
  - 10. Knowlton Place** Street-end access with views of Rockland Harbor and bay; no parking

- 11. Monroe Island** 225-acre island with hiking trails and 2 camp-sites; 5 freshwater ponds, forest, bold rocky shoreline with views of Penobscot Bay and islands; access only by water, closest launch site at foot of Main Street with public parking in nearby lot [Monroe Island--Owls Head](#) (Maine Coast Heritage Trust)
- 12. Ocean Avenue** Street-end access; road-width space with path to water; parking for two small cars
- 13. Owls Head Harbor Park (Carver Park)** waterfront park of 3 acres with pebbly beach, wetlands, and walking path through meadow to freshwater pond; an ADA compliant pier will be completed by spring 2021, providing water access for small craft; ample parking in lot off Lighthouse Road with additional spaces in lot next to pier accessed from Main and Wharf Streets.
- 14. Owls Head Light State Park** located at the end of Lighthouse Road; lighthouse and keeper's house are Federal property maintained by Friends of Rockland Harbor Lights, while the light itself is maintained by the US Coast Guard; both the light and the keeper's house are accessible to the public; shoreline is mostly steep and rocky with some pebbly beaches; ample parking with lighthouse a few-minute walk away [Tour Owls Head Light](#)
- 15. Plaisted Preserve** Ten-acre property off North Shore Drive near the fire station with ½ mile of trails through spruce forest and beds of moss and ferns; water access to Broad Cove; parking for 4-5 cars

PROPERTY MAP INDEX  
TOWN OF OWLS HEAD  
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