

About Angel Bluff

Welcome to Angel Bluff, a 20-acre nature preserve that's protected by Mississippi Valley Conservancy for you and the diverse animal and plant life that call it home. This preserve contains rare and imperiled wildlife habitat including oak savanna, dry prairie, oak forest, and a small wetland. The conservation of these native habitats helps to protect native species like red-headed woodpeckers, peregrine falcons, sphynx moths, and spring peepers in a time when climate change and development threaten to displace them

The Conservancy began land restoration on this property in 2008 to clear invasive buckthorn, remove encroaching red cedar to prevent shading the prairie, and implement prescribed burns. These activities improve the health and resilience of the plant communities and the wildlife they support. These restoration efforts are made possible with generous support from grants and from members like you! If you'd like to help with restoration at this nature preserve, please contact the Conservancy at info@mississippivalleyconservancy.org.

Public Access

Dogs and bikes are NOT allowed on this property. Visitors must follow our **Recreational Use Policy** as well as all federal and state laws and local ordinances. Use either link to see the policy: mississippivalleyconservancy.org/resources/policies



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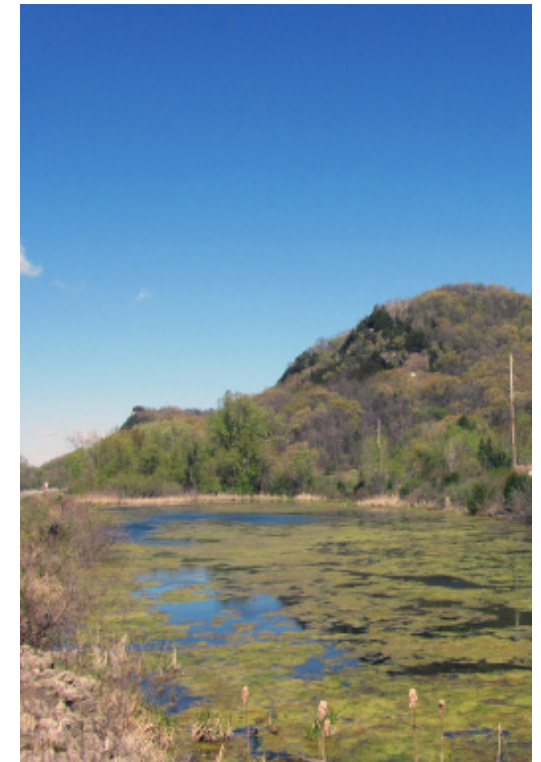
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TRAIL MAP

Angel Bluff

adjacent to
W582 Burt Lane/Old Hwy 35
Fountain City, WI



Key to Symbols

- P** Parking
- - - Main trail
- Side trail
- 1** Point of interest
- Stop! (trail ends)
- - - Tract boundary
- == Road

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Enjoy hiking through the woods for a look at the prairie restoration work in progress. There is no trail to the top of the bluff. **Please respect all property boundaries.**

How to get to the trailhead/parking lot from La Crosse (approximately 33 miles): Follow US 14/61 north through La Crescent, MN, and drive to Winona, MN. Turn right onto Huff St and go 1 mi. Turn right onto W 6th St (Broadway), then left at the first cross street—Winona St. Continue on MN-43 N, cross the Mississippi River bridge, and onto WI-54 Trunk E. Turn left on WI-35 N and go 1 mi. Turn right onto Burt Ln (Old Hwy 35) and park in a small lot on the left near a powerline cut. GPS: 44.080981, -91.648817

Trail: **1** – **2**

This .6-mile (round trip) out-and-back route on a rolling trail traverses the base of the bluff and ends at the property line.

