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Missouri River Fish and Wildlife Mitigation Project Noddleman Island, IA



*USGS TerraServer 1999 aerial photo of the
Noddleman Island mitigation site*

No motor vehicles are allowed on the site, but public foot access is available. This site can be used for a variety of outdoor activities including fishing, bird watching, hiking and hunting when in season.

Current Status

The Corps will be negotiating to acquire additional lands at this site in 2005. Also, some depressional wetlands have been proposed. Additional habitat development will take place as more land is acquired and studies have been made as to the best habitat for the site.

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Location

4 miles southwest of Pacific Junction in Mills
County, Iowa.

Description

The Noddleman Island site is located on 1,232 acres of former agricultural land purchased by the Corps of Engineers. The area is adjacent to the left descending bank of the Missouri River, at river miles 587 to 583.

The Corps lands have been turned over to the Iowa Department of Natural resources for short-term management while additional acquisitions are made in this area. Additional areas adjacent to the site are needed prior to extended restoration efforts. Since the Corps has obtained only a part of this site, development has been limited.