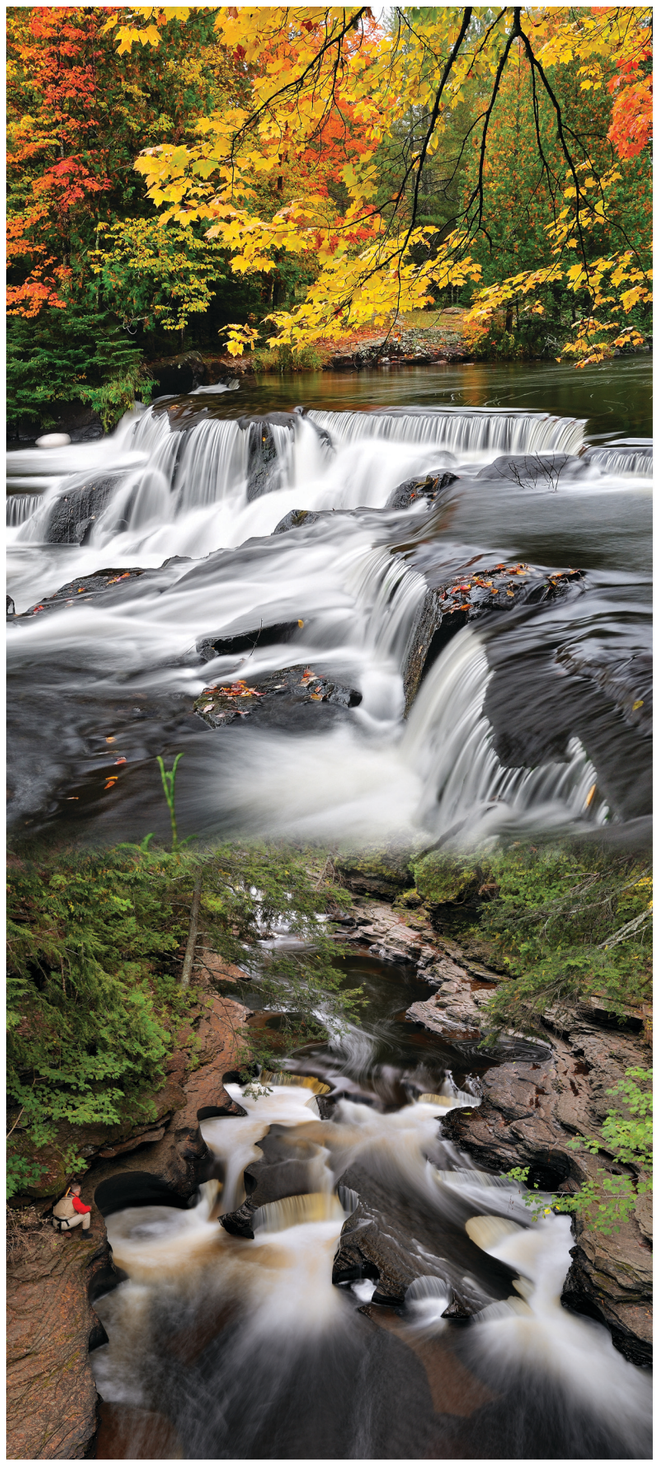

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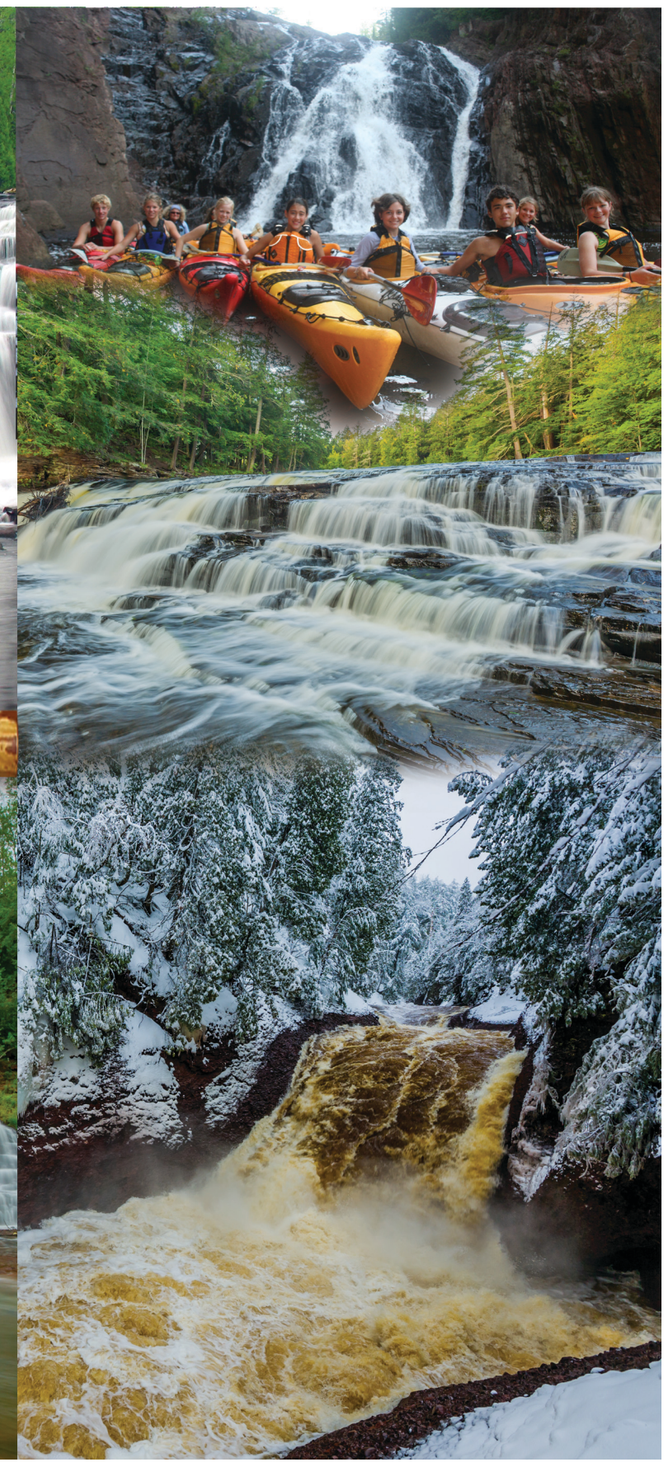


Agate Falls - Middle Branch Ontonagon River 46º28'44.62"N 89º05'30.74"W On M-28 go approximately 4 miles west of Trout Creek to Joseph E. Orevec Roadside Park, south side of road. Locate: Easy Access: Easy Beauty: Outstanding

Ajibikoka Falls - Brush LakeNorth of Watersmeet of US 45 (Call Ottawa Visitor Center in Watersmeet for directions) (906)358-4724
Locate: Difficult Access: Fairly Easy Beauty: Very Good

Black River Parkway Falls In Bessemer, turn north on county 513. Follow signs to Copper Peak and Black River Harbor. After passing Copper Peak look for signs to falls. Falls will be on the right.

a **Great Conglomerate Falls** 46º37'56.80" N 90º03'18.62" W Walking Trail: 3/4 mile Locate: Easy Access: Easy Beauty: Very Good
b. **Potawatomi Falls**: 46º38'14.80"N 90º03'05.62" W Walking Trail: 1/8 mile Locate: Easy Access: Easy Beauty: Outstanding (Handicap)
c **Gorge Falls**: 46º38'24.80" N 90º03'01.62" W Walking Trail: 1/8 mile Locate: Easy Access:; Easy Beauty: Very Good
d **Sandstone Falls**: 46º39'28.80"N 90º02'46.62" W Walking Trail: 1/4 mile Locate: Easy Access: Fairly Easy Beauty: Good
e. **Rainbow Falls** 46º39'33.37" N 90º 02'36.37" W Walking Trail: 1/2 mile Locate: Easy Access: Fairly Easy Beauty: Outstanding

Bond Falls - Flowage 46º22'46.14"N 89º06'37.97"W Take Hwy 45 to town of Pauling Go 2.5 Miles east of Bond Falls Rd.
Locate: Easy Access: Easy Beauty: Very Good

Cascade Falls - West Branch Ontonagon River 46º24'30.15" N 89º07'57.43" W Heading east of Bergland on M-28, take USFS 222 (which becomes 400) northeast, from M-28. Park in lot and walk 1 mile on groomed trail Locate: Easy Access: Fairly Difficult Beauty: Very Good

Gabbro (Bakers) Falls– Black River 46º30'07.81" N 89º59'26.16" W Take U S 2 between Bessemer & Wakefield to Blackjack Road. Turn north and go past the second gas line clearing and park. (1.5 mile) Walk the line west to river and go upstream for upper and down for lower falls.

a. Upper Gabbro Locate: Fairly Easy Access: Easy Beauty: Fairly Good
b. Lower Gabbro Locate: Fairly Easy Access: Easy Beauty: Very Good

Gleason Falls - Gleason Creek Go back to Victoria and take Victoria Road to Gleason Creek. Park & walk creek to falls.
Locate: Fairly Difficult Access: Difficult Beauty: Good

Greenwood (Bonanza) Falls - Big Iron River 46º49'35.77" N 89º34'07.14" W From Silver City take M-107 to M-64 south 1.1 miles. Turn west on gravel road & park and walk to falls. Locate: Easy Access: Fairly Easy Beauty: Good

Kakabika Falls - 46.34" N 89.45 From US-2 go 14 miles west of Watersmeet, take cty road 527 north about .5 miles. Walking time 15 minutes.
Locate: Easy Access: Fairly Easy Beauty: Good

Maximine Falls - Tamarack River Northeast of Watersmeet on Old US 2, for directions call Watersmeet. Ottawa Visitor Center at (906)358-4724
Locate: Easy Access: Easy Beauty: Fairly Good

Montreal River

a. **Interstate Falls** 46º39'30.10" N 90º1159.37" W Take U S 2 west into Wisconsin .6miles after the Hwy 51 overpass, turn right on gravel road. Pass the gravel pit on the right and go .4miles where road turns right and a trail heads off to the left to Interstate Falls .35miles. Coming back from the falls stop about halfway back and listen for more falls. Head toward the sound and see the Unnamed falls about 3.5 miles.
Locate: Fairly Difficult Access: Fairly Difficult Beauty: Very Good

b. **Unnamed Falls** Locate: See above Access: Fairly Difficult Beauty: Very Good

c. **Peterson Falls** 46º28'32.43" N 90º12'01.08" W Back at the car, continue down the road 50 yards. Where the gravel road crosses, turn left and park. Walk to the end of the road and go right on trail .15mile. Locate: Difficult Access: Fairly Easy Beauty: Very Good

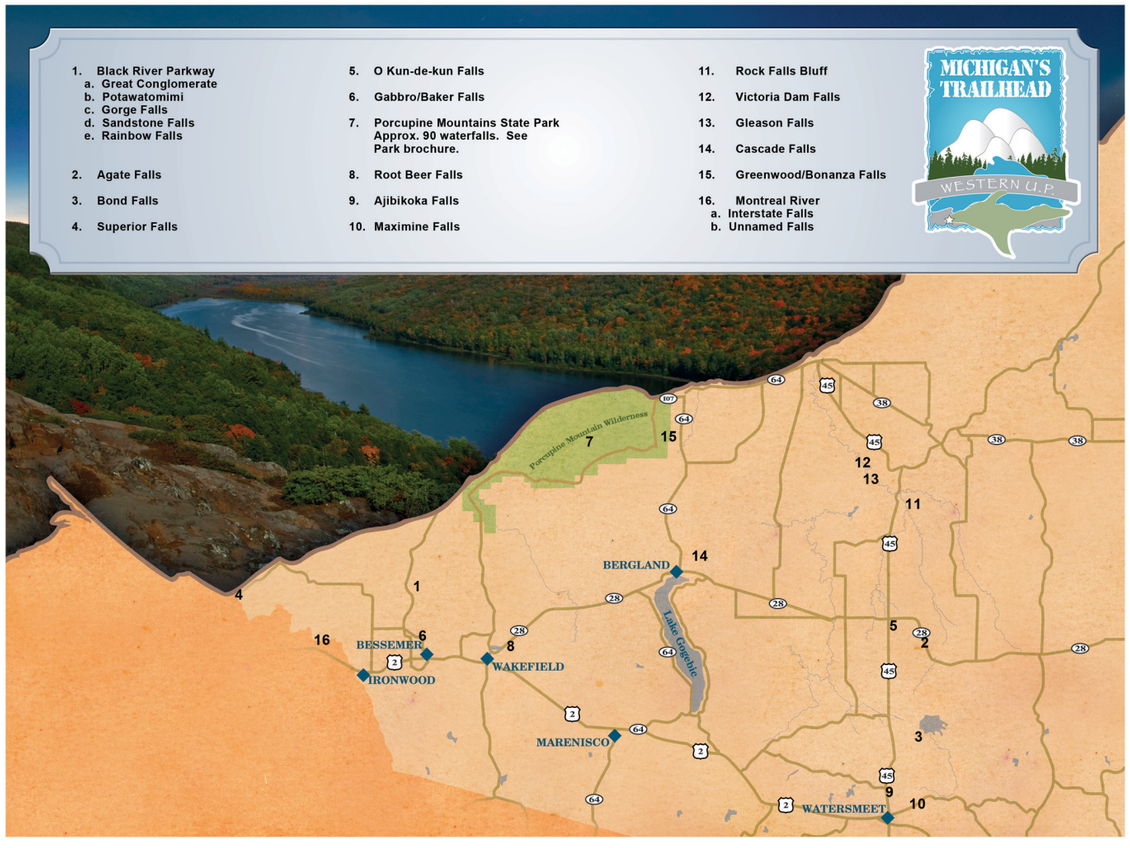
O Kun-de-kun Falls - Baltimore River 46º38'20.75"N 89º09'01.12"W 7.5 miles north of Bruce Crossing on Hwy 45, park at parking lot for North Country Hiking Trail. Hike 1 mile to river. Locate: Difficult Access: Fairly Easy Beauty: Outstanding

Porcupine Mountains Wilderness State Park 46º44'51.02" N 89º59'52.32" W Approx. 90 waterfalls - See park brochure

Yondota Falls - Presque Isle River 46º25'48.81" N 89º41'04.57" W Take U S 2 to County 523 near Marenisco and turn north for 3 miles. Falls are on left. Locate: Easy Access: Fairly Easy Beauty: Very Good

Rock Falls Bluff - Bluff Creek From Watersmeet, take US 45 to Old US 45 one mile. Stop at Bluff Creek and walk creek on south and west side. Three drops. Locate: Fairly Easy Access: Fairly Difficult Beauty: Fairly Good

Root Beer Falls – Planter Creek 46º30'14.05" N 89º59'52.32" W Take M-28 north of Wakefield. Go left on Wertanen Rd.(after County 519) Falls can be seen on left. Locate: Fairly Easy Access: Easy Beauty: Good

Superior Falls - Montreal River 46º33'40.68"N 90º24'56.95"W U S 2 west into Wisconsin to Hwy 122. Turn north and follow into Michigan. When you cross the river between WI and MI, take the first road t the left and park in the power company parking area. Follow the signs to view falls. Locate: Fairly Easy Access: Easy Beauty: Outstanding

Victoria Dam Falls - West Branch Ontonagon River Take Victoria Dam road west of Rockland(5miles) Bear left at jct. by old village to falls.
Locate: Easy Access: Easy Beauty: Outstanding