Hayden Prairie State Preserve (eBird Hotspot) (Important Bird Area)
GPS Coordinates: 43.4379631,-92.3819733
Has Site Guide
Ownership: State
Description:
Habitat:
Directions:
Amenities:

Heart Pond WA
GPS Coordinates: 43.2389742176296,-92.4588489549933
Ownership: County
Description: 249 acres pure natural area with small pond.
Habitat: Open prairie leads to a small wooded area with an 8-acre lake.
Directions: Southwest of city of Elma. Access is off B17 on the west edge of town.
Amenities: Parking |

Lake Hendricks (eBird Hotspot)
GPS Coordinates: 43.3694564053372,-92.548280954361
Has Site Guide
Ownership: County
Description: 234 acres including lake, woodland, stream and edge habitat.
Habitat: Upland streams drain into L Hendricks from the north, passing through forested woodlands and restored prairie-pothole habitat.
Directions: Less than 1 mile north of Riceville, on the Howard County side of Addison Avenue (T68).
Public Hunting Area
Amenities: Restrooms | Drinking Water | Parking | Trails | Camping |

Lylah's Marsh (eBird Hotspot) (Important Bird Area)
GPS Coordinates: 43.2863475059266,-92.4678683280945
Ownership: None listed
Description: 155 acres. Shallow lake with adjacent picnic area.
Habitat: Primarily shallow lake with rushes and low edge habitat on north side. Scrubby evergreen habitat exists on the other three sides, shielding the property from surrounding agricultural fields. The start of the Wapsipinicon River is here.
Directions: Northwest of city of Elma. Access is off 170th Street, 1 mile west of V18.
Amenities: Restrooms | Parking | Trails |

Mullen WA
GPS Coordinates: 43.36,-92.21
Ownership: County
Description: 141 acres of pure wildlife area.
Habitat: Diverse. Semi-open brushy habitat adjacent to small lake extends to prairie on northeast side, and also on far southwest side.
Directions: SE corner of Hiway 9 and V46.
Public Hunting Area
Amenities: Parking | Trails |