ROUTE DESCRIPTION
River miles 852 to 811 (41 miles)
(R) and (L) are right and left banks of the river when facing downstream.
Red text indicates caution areas.

852.5 (L) East River Flats: Carry-in access, rest area, restrooms.
851.1 (L) Central Mississippi Riverfront Regional Park: Rest area.
850 (R) Lake Street: Carry-in access.
847.5 Lock & Dam #1 (Ford): Lock on right.
846.6 (L) Hidden Falls Park: Trailer access, rest area, drinking water.
845.5 (R) Historic Fort Snelling: Take out at Pike Island.
846-843.8 (R) Fort Snelling State Park: Trailer access, restrooms, rest area, Minnesota River confluence.
844.5 (L) Crosby Farm Regional Park: Rest area.
842.1 (R) Lylake Regional Park: Trailer access, rest area, drinking water.
841.3 Railroad bridge. From here to beyond Pig's Eye Lake the river is industrial and urban. Barge traffic is heavy.
840.1 Harriet Island Park: Carry-in access, rest area and drinking water.
839.4 Raspberry Island. Wabasha Street bridge.
838.5 (L) Bruce Vento National Sanctuary.
837.7 (L) Indian Mounds Park: high on the bluffs.
837-833.5 Battle Creek Regional Park on left.
834.2-833.2 (L) Pigs Eye Lake Heron Rookery SNA.

833.2 (L) Pig’s Eye Lake and barge floating area. Pig’s Eye Lake is a 900-acre flood plain lake and is the largest rookery for black-crowned night herons in the country.
832.5 (R) South St. Paul: Trailer access.
829.8 (L) St. Paul Park: Trailer access, rest area.
829.6-828 (L) Complex of small islands: Alternate channel.
827.6-825 (L) Upper Grey Cloud Island on the left.
826.2-824.6 (R) Pine Bend Bluff SNA.
825 (L) Alternate channel leads to Baldwin and Mooers lakes. This route leads to the lower end of Lower Grey Cloud Island. Rest area located on north side of Lower Grey Cloud Island.
823.7-822 (R) Spring Lake Islands: WMA.
823.3-819.8 Spring Lake: A stump-choked lake that became part of the river when Lock and Dam 2 was constructed. Caution: stumpfield and submerged logs.
821.8 (R) Spring Lake Park Reserve.
820.2 (R) Spring Lake: Trailer access (shallow launch).
817.5 (R) Town of Ninninger.
815.3-814 Lock and Dam 2: Lock on right. To get to Lake Rebecca Park, portage 40 yards (R). To re-enter the river downstream of the lock and dam, portage 80 yards.
814.2 (R) Jayce Park/Lake Rebecca Park: Trailer access, rest area, fishing pier (in Lake Rebecca) and parking.
813.7 (R) City of Hastings.
812-810.7 Goree Pool #5 WMA.
811.5 (L) Point Douglas Park: Rest area, shorefishing.
811.3 (L) St. Croix River confluence.

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