About Your Trip

This section of the Mississippi River passes through a forest of mixed hardwoods, islands, and undeveloped shoreline. Paddling is easy, the views are remarkable, and the fishing is great.

Crow Wing State Park occupies this section of the river. The river's banks are undeveloped, even though the Twin Cities are about two hours south.

The Mississippi is a big river here picking up the Crow Wing River at the southern end of your journey. The Crow Wing River flows southeasterly around the glacial end point known as the Itasca moraine, arising in a chain of lakes just east of the Mississippi's headwaters at Lake Itasca.





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