

Oconto River Valley

From its headwaters in the Nicolet National Forest, the Oconto River carves its way through rolling hills and fertile farmland. Once the area's major commerce route, the Oconto River now serves as a recreation corridor. The river hosts native trout, smallmouth bass, walleye, and northern to thrill the angler. Visitors can spend the day floating or paddling the river for miles uninterrupted to the dam in Oconto Falls.

The Oconto River flows through the communities of Oconto Falls, Suring and near the City of Gillett. Take time to explore the 2,600 acres of Oconto County Forest including the South Branch Unit, South Peshtigo Brook Unit or Charles Fleischman Memorial Unit. Both summer and winter enthusiasts enjoy the county's many lakes which include White Potato, Anderson and Kelly, as well as the Chute Pond, Leigh and Oconto Falls Flowages.

The Oconto River Valley business community is served by the Gillett Area Business Association, Suring Area Business Association, and the Oconto Falls Area Chamber of Commerce. Communities in the Valley have a robust economy created by a diverse commercial and industrial base.

You will find friendly people in the communities within the Oconto River Valley. Stop awhile to browse or shop and be treated to the small town friendly atmosphere. You are most welcome in the Oconto River Valley.



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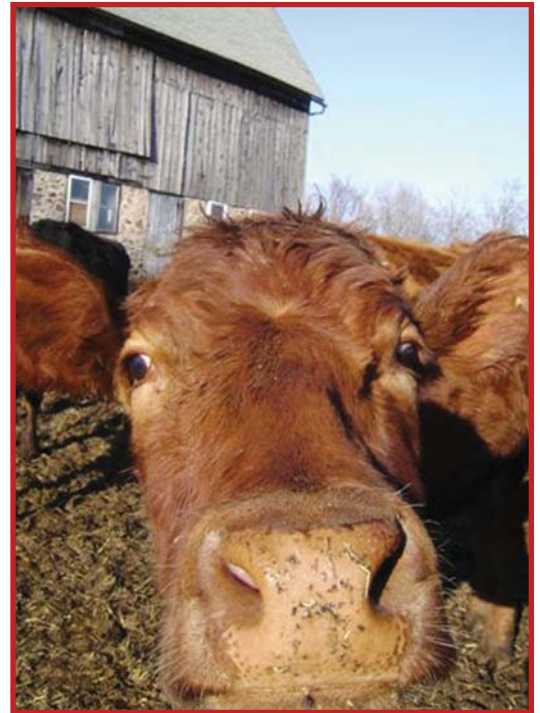
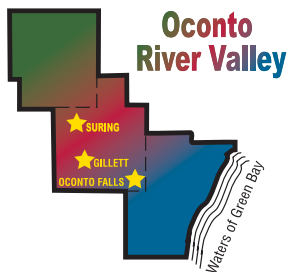


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Warm, friendly people.

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