

87.25: DSL Island



Primitive island with a gravel bar extending upriver. May not be desirable for camping because of immense traffic noise from Highway 22.

88-86: Navigation Hazard
Congested area:
Watch for other river traffic in the downtown Salem vicinity.

87-85: Minto Brown Park
(City of Salem)



This large park is a great natural area in the heart of Salem. It provides an abundance of wildlife and serves as a great lunch-hour bird-watching escape. From downtown Salem you can paddle up the back channel for a chance to see great blue herons, wood ducks, and other species.

Minto Island and Brown Island were once islands, but the river's changing course has dried up their back channels so they are now part of the mainland. (amenities difficult to access by boat)

89.5: DSL Island



This low-lying, willow-covered gravel island makes a good primitive camp spot, with several relatively flat areas for pitching a tent. Leave No Trace!



Willamette River

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Marion County

Polk County

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Miles 93-90

River Rd