

## **A BIRDERS' GUIDE TO MISSOURI PUBLIC LANDS**

### **BLOCH MEMORIAL POND (LANCASTER)**

**Edge Wade, spring 2015**

**7 acres Schuyler Co. DeLorme 17, A-8/9**

**GPS: 40.5930433702,-92.520644951**

**Owned by City of Lancaster; MDC agreement; for information call 660-785-2420**

**Directions:** From Lancaster, north on US 63 about 4 miles. Pond is on the east side, immediately south of the Iowa/Missouri state line. The main entrance road goes along the south side toward the boat ramp parking area; access to the north side (other than walking around the pond) is off the paved road at the state line.

**ADA Information:** Portions of the lake may be seen from an auto from the road to the boat ramp on the south side and from a parking area on the north side.

**When to Visit/Species to Expect:** Anytime in fall/winter/early spring when the pond is not frozen may produce a variety of waterfowl. Presence of trees attracts a good variety of passerines to this tiny oasis amid farmland.

**Features of interest to birders:** Although there are no designated trails, a walk around the lake on mown grass is pleasant and can be productive. Trees at lakeside and in the stand to the east harbor a good variety of species. The northwest and west portions may have Marsh Wrens, Green Herons, or bitterns.

**Toilets:** None

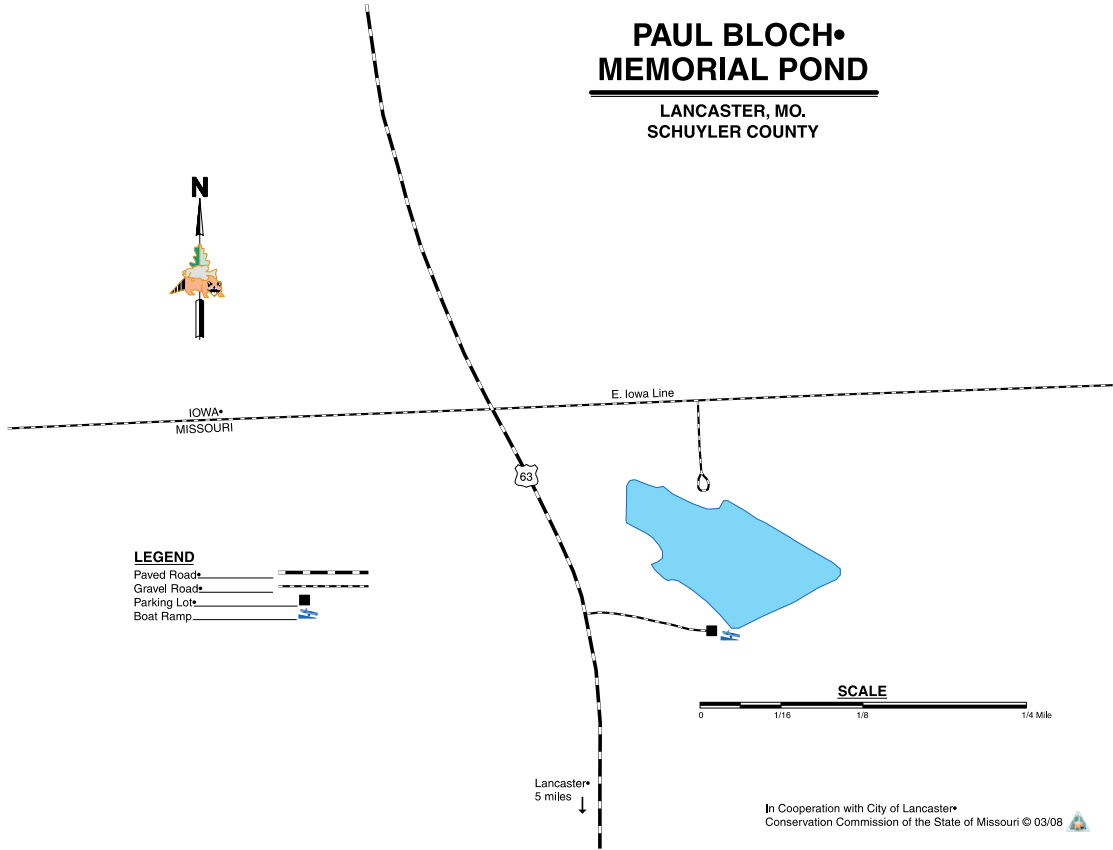
**Camping:** None

**Hazards/Limitations:** None noted.

**Nearby Birding Sites:** Lancaster New City Lake, Lancaster Water Works Lake, Rebel's Cove CA.

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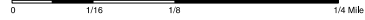
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## LEGEND

- Paved Road:
- Gravel Road:
- Parking Lot:
- Boat Ramp:

## SCALE



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