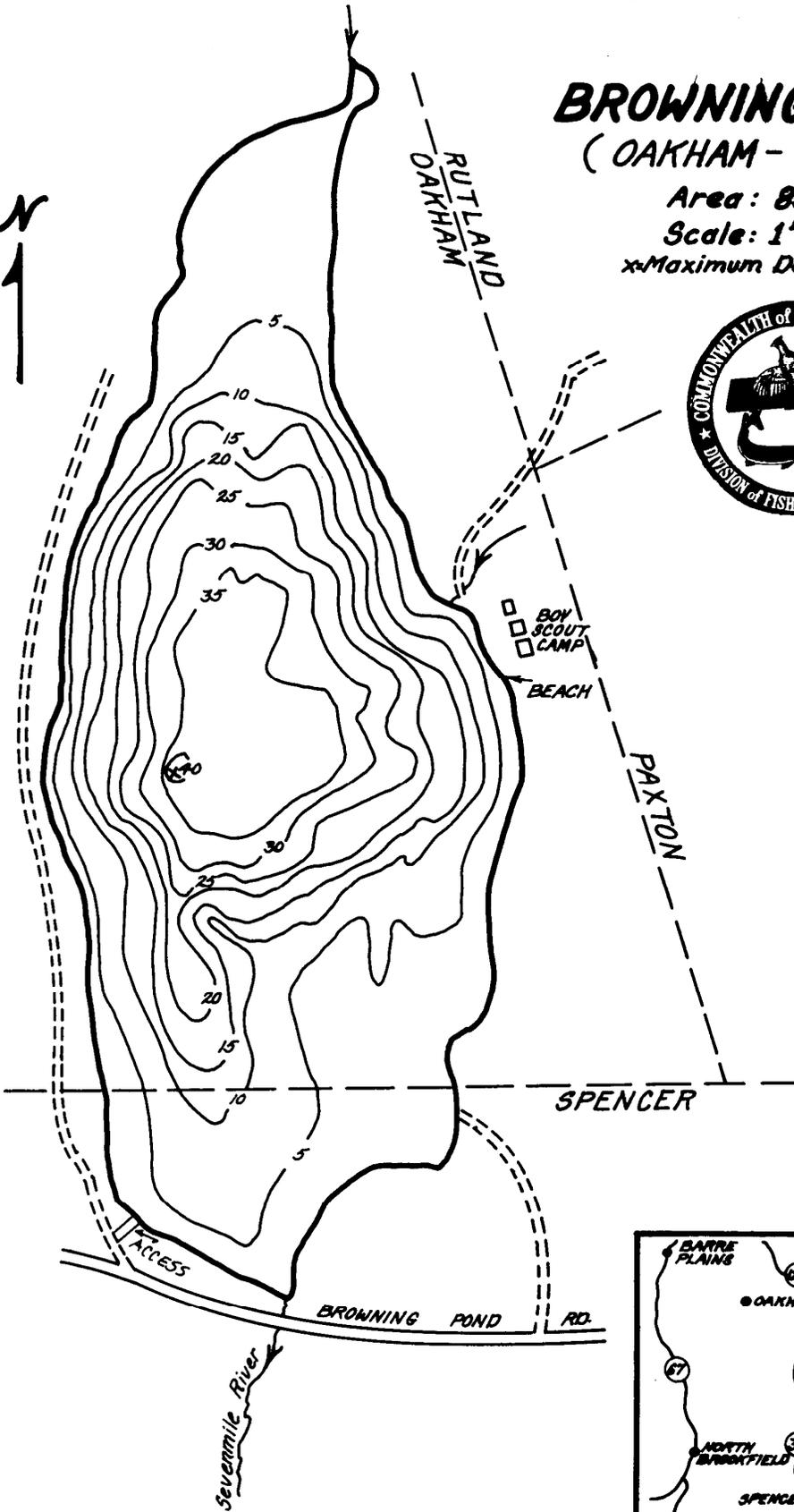


BROWNING POND (OAKHAM - SPENCER)

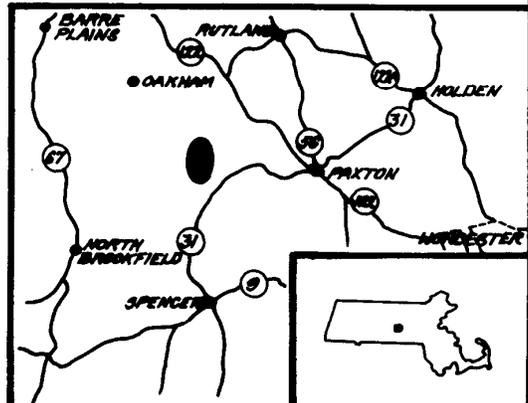
Area: 89 Acres

Scale: 1" = 666'

xMaximum Depth = 42'



LOCATION



Browning Pond
Spencer
Worcester County
Chicopee Watershed

Latitude: 42°18'29.10"N
Longitude: 71°59'55.93"W



89 Acres
Depth: 16 Feet Average
42 Feet Maximum
Primary Gamefish:
Trout / Largemouth Bass

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General Information: Located in Oakham and Spencer, this 89 acre great pond may be reached off of Browning Pond Road. Although the water is dark colored, a moderately high transparency of 10 feet is usual. Aquatic vegetation and fallen trees provide cover and are scattered along the shoreline and in the northern cove.

Access: A public boat ramp is located on Boy Scout property on Browning Pond Road. This is a gravel ramp and the parking is limited to about five cars. Shore access is limited to the Browning Pond Road frontage and the Mid-state trail along portions of the western shore.

Management History: Managed for both cold and warmwater species.

Fish Populations: A 2007 fish sampling effort indicated a fish population composed of largemouth bass, chain pickerel, yellow perch, bluegills, pumpkinseeds, brown trout, as well as various shiners and "minnows".

Fishing: Browning Pond is stocked with rainbow, brown, and brook trout in the spring and fall. An excellent largemouth bass and chain pickerel population are present and many large specimens were observed during the sampling.

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