



LEGEND

-  Potential Camping Site
-  Boat Ramp
-  Hand Launch
-  Picnic
-  Universally Accessible
-  Unimproved Road
-  Highway
-  Railroad
-  Bike Shuttle Route
-  Bike Rack
-  Stream Mileage Point
-  Paddle Sign
-  Private Land
-  **Unknown Extent of Navigable Water**
Water depth may vary in these areas. You may not be able to navigate the entire course as shown on the map.
-  **Caution: Open Water**
Be aware of river water levels, tidal changes, strong currents and weather changes.
-  **GPS Disclaimer:** This map is an aid to navigation and should not be relied upon as a primary navigational source. Point data is provided for general reference only.

TRIP 3 – Graham Creek to Butcher Pen Landing

1–2 days; 16–17 miles



A 16-mile day trip or an easy overnight paddle on secluded creeks through cypress swamp and floodplain forest.

Start at Graham Creek. From Hwy. 98, turn north on S.R. 65 and continue 13.2 miles to the bridge over Graham Creek. The improved boat ramp is on southwest side of the bridge. Consider a 3.2-mile bike shuttle option between access points to help conserve resources.

End at Butcher Pen Landing. From Hwy. 98 turn north on S.R. 65 and continue 12 miles to Gardner Landing Road. Turn left and follow signs to the Butcher Pen Landing.

Navigation

Day 1: 8-9 miles. From Graham Creek boat ramp, paddle downstream about 2.7 miles to East River. Turn right and go upriver about 0.8 miles to the Apalachicola River (current may be strong). Paddle downriver about 0.7 miles to the entrance of Humphrey Slough on the left bank (GPS = N 29° 51' 13" / W -85° 01' 15"). Paddle about 2.3 miles to the St. Marks River. Continue to the left and go 1.5 miles to the confluence of the East River Cutoff. You may camp anywhere (unless posted) to make this an overnight trip.

Day 2: 8-9 miles. From the confluence of the St. Marks River and East River Cutoff, paddle 0.4 miles to explore scenic Fanny Lake on your left; (GPS = N 29° 48' 37" / W -85° 00' 10"). Return to East River Cutoff and head east (left) about 1.5 miles to join the East River. Paddle downstream about 2.1 miles to Thank You Ma'am Creek

on your left; (GPS = N 29° 48' 03" / W -84° 58' 18"). Proceed up the twisting creek about 1.5 miles until it becomes too narrow and return. Head downstream 0.3 miles to boat dock at Butcher Pen Landing.

GPS:

- A.** = N 29° 51' 12" / W -84° 58' 2"
- B.** = N 29° 51' 13" / W -85° 01' 15"
- C.** = N 29° 48' 37" / W -85° 00' 10"
- D.** = N 29° 48' 03" / W -84° 58' 18"
- E.** = N 29° 48' 12" / W -84° 58' 01"

