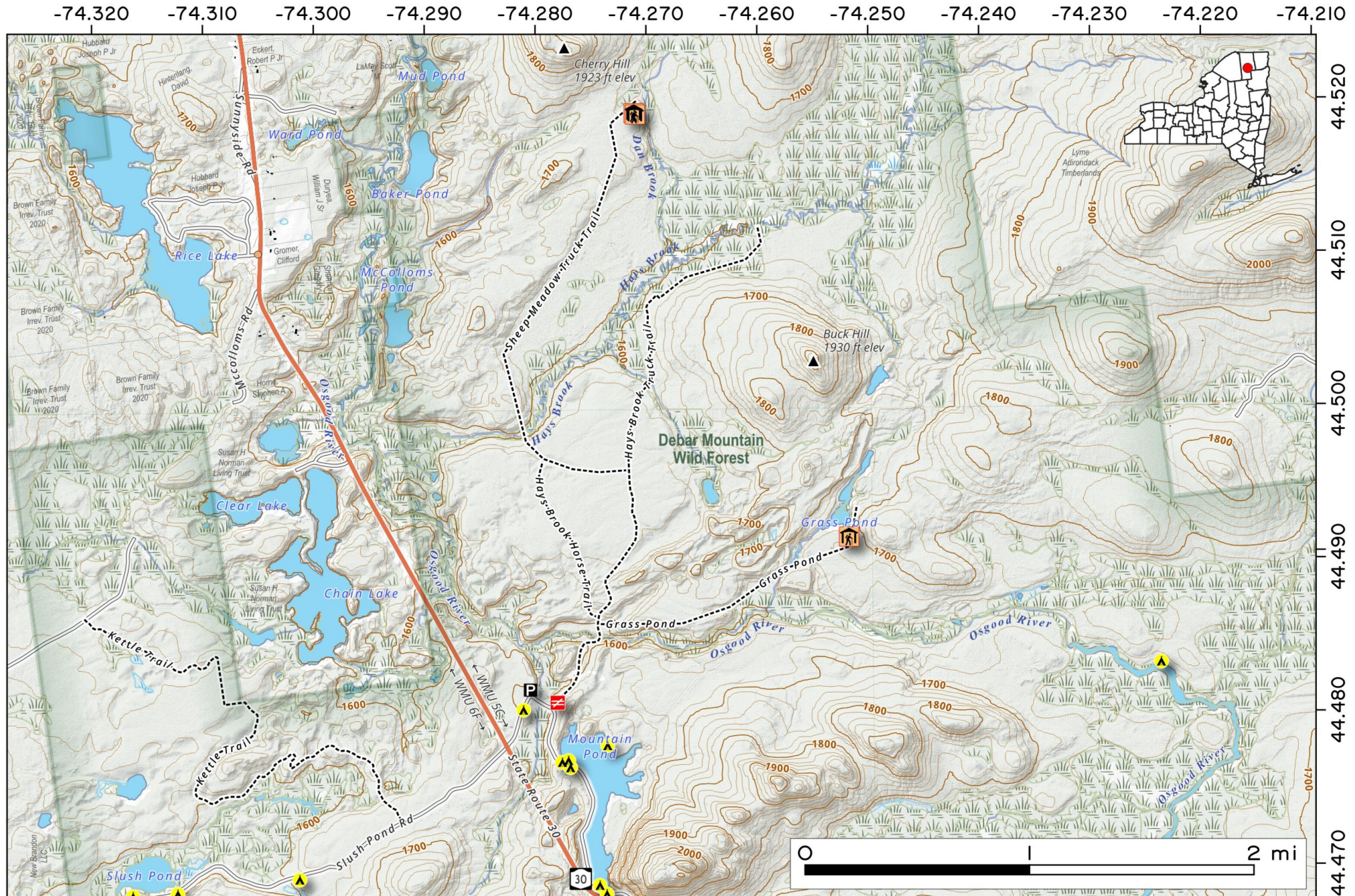


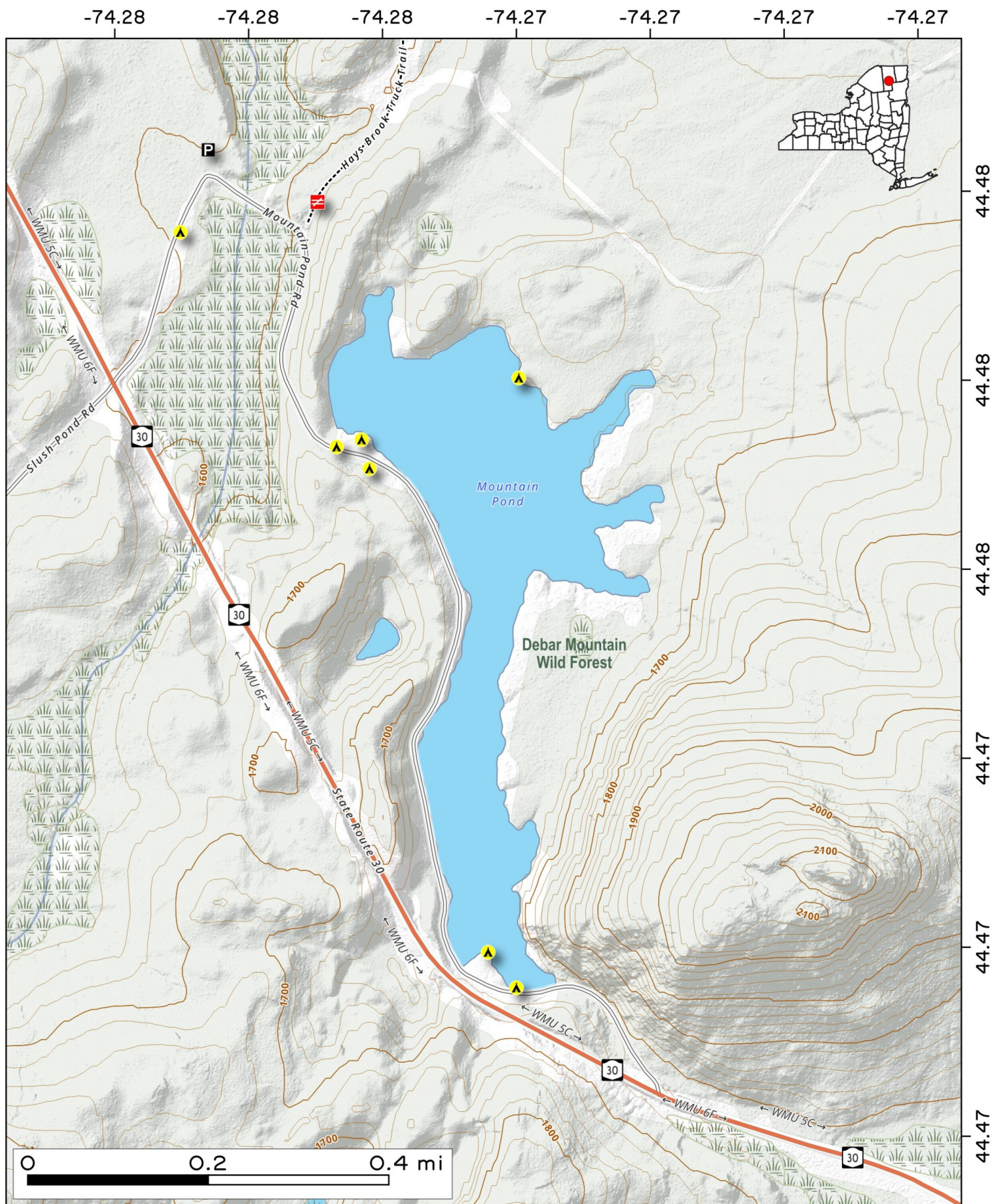
Hays Brook Horse Trails. North of Pauls Smiths on NY 30 there is Mountain Pond, and off Mountain Pond Road where it turns sharply west is the Hays Brook Horse trails that lead back to Grass Pond and Shepmeadow along old DEC-maintained fire protections roads carved into the forest preserve. Lightly used outside of hunting season, it can be accessed on horseback, mountain bike or foot but some sections may be swampy.

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Mountain Pond Campsites. One mile north of Pauls Smiths and the VIC, Mountain Pond Road is an old routing of NY 30. Additional campsites can be found along Slush Pond Road and this area provides access to the Hays Brook Horse Trails.

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Slush Pond Road. There are a series of campsites along Slush Pond Road, north of Paul Smiths and across from Mountain Pond. Most of campsites are on western portion of this fairly rough and remote road.

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