

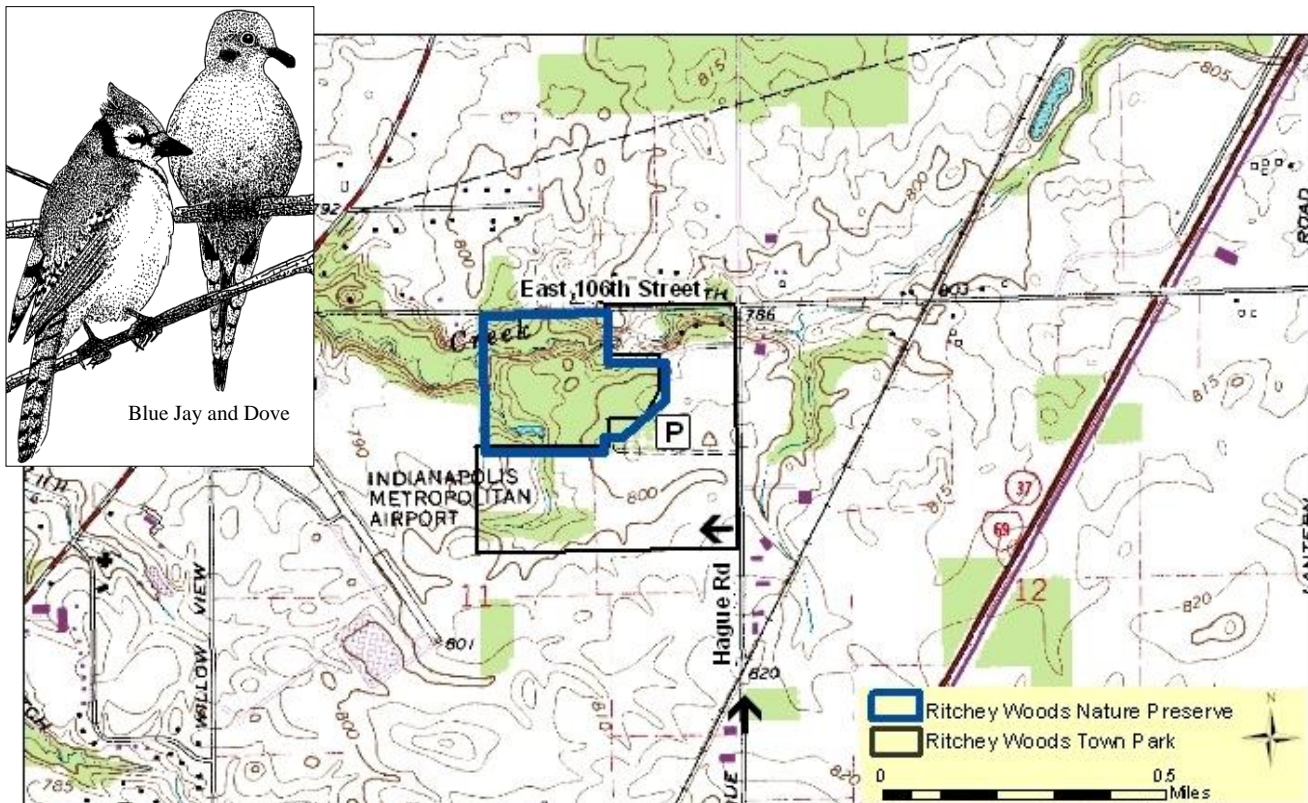
# Ritchey Woods Nature Preserve

County: Hamilton      Size: 55 acres  
Ownership: Fishers Park and Recreation



## Location and Access

**Parking and trails.** From I-69, take the 96th St exit, go west on 96th St to Hague Rd. Turn north (right) and go 0.5 mile to the Ritchey Woods entrance on the left side of the road.



**Description:** The preserve is primarily mesic upland forest dominated by sugar maple and red oak. There is also a small portion of wet-mesic floodplain forest along Cheeny Creek. In this portion of the preserve green ash, buckeye, and American elm are common.

The preserve is part of a larger area that has been restored to wetlands, prairies, and forests, and is open for outdoor education activities coordinated by Fishers Parks Department staff. The learning center provides environmental education programming for the general public and private groups, focusing on the wildlife, flora, and fauna of the immediate area.

## Further Information:

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