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| <b>Site Name:</b>  | <b>Taylor Lake</b>                |
| <b>Site Type:</b>  | <b>Natural Area</b>               |
| <b>Status:</b>   | Order-in-council (OC)             |
| <b>Subtype:</b>  | Conservation                      |
| <b>PASite ID (Map Ref #):</b>                              | 366                               |
| <b>O.C. No. (Land Ref. Manual):</b>                        | 454/71                            |
| <b>Site # (Parks Website):</b>                             | 489                               |
| <b>Reserved Area:</b>                                      | 0.00 ha. (0.00 ac.)               |
| <b>Designated Area:</b>                                    | 42.49 ha. (105.00 ac.)            |
| <b>Total Area:</b>   | 42.49 ha. (105.00 ac.)            |
| <b>Additional Protected Areas:</b>                         | none                              |
| <b>Lat/Long Co-ordinates:</b>                              | 54.0964673276 N, -113.332241521 W |
| <b>Natural Region:</b>                                     | Boreal                            |
| <b>Natural Subregion(s):</b>                               | Dry Mixedwood                     |
| <b>2nd Natural Region:</b>                                 |                                   |
| <b>2nd Natural Subregion(s):</b>                           |                                   |
| <b>IUCN Classification:</b>                                | II                                |
| <b>Operated By:</b>  | Parks Division                    |
| <b>Info Phone:</b>   | 780-623-5235                      |
| <b>Steward(s) Aug2002:</b>                                 | Volunteer(s) 1                    |
| <b>Steward(s) Aug2003:</b>                                 | Volunteer(s) 1                    |
| <b>Steward(s) Dec2011:</b>                                 | yes                               |
| <b>Petroleum &amp; Natural Gas Surface Access Aug2002:</b> | Conditional                       |
| <b>Day Use Site(s):</b>                                    | Taylor Lake                       |
| <b>Recreation Activities:</b>                              | none noted                        |

**Access:**

**Notes:** Taylor Lake Natural Area encompasses a gently rolling landscape that is part of a pre-glacial lake bottom. The site is mainly wetland; mainly black spruce-tamarack peatland with some willow/sedge shrubland.

This site lies in the Boreal Forest Natural Region, Dry Mixedwood Sub-region. The Dry Mixedwood Sub-region is the only Boreal Forest sub-region that does not have excellent representation within Alberta's parks and protected areas network. There are still significant shortfalls in the glacial lakebed, ground moraine, sandplain and sand dune natural history themes. Listed in "Other Natural Areas" (Alberta Parks web site, 2012).

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