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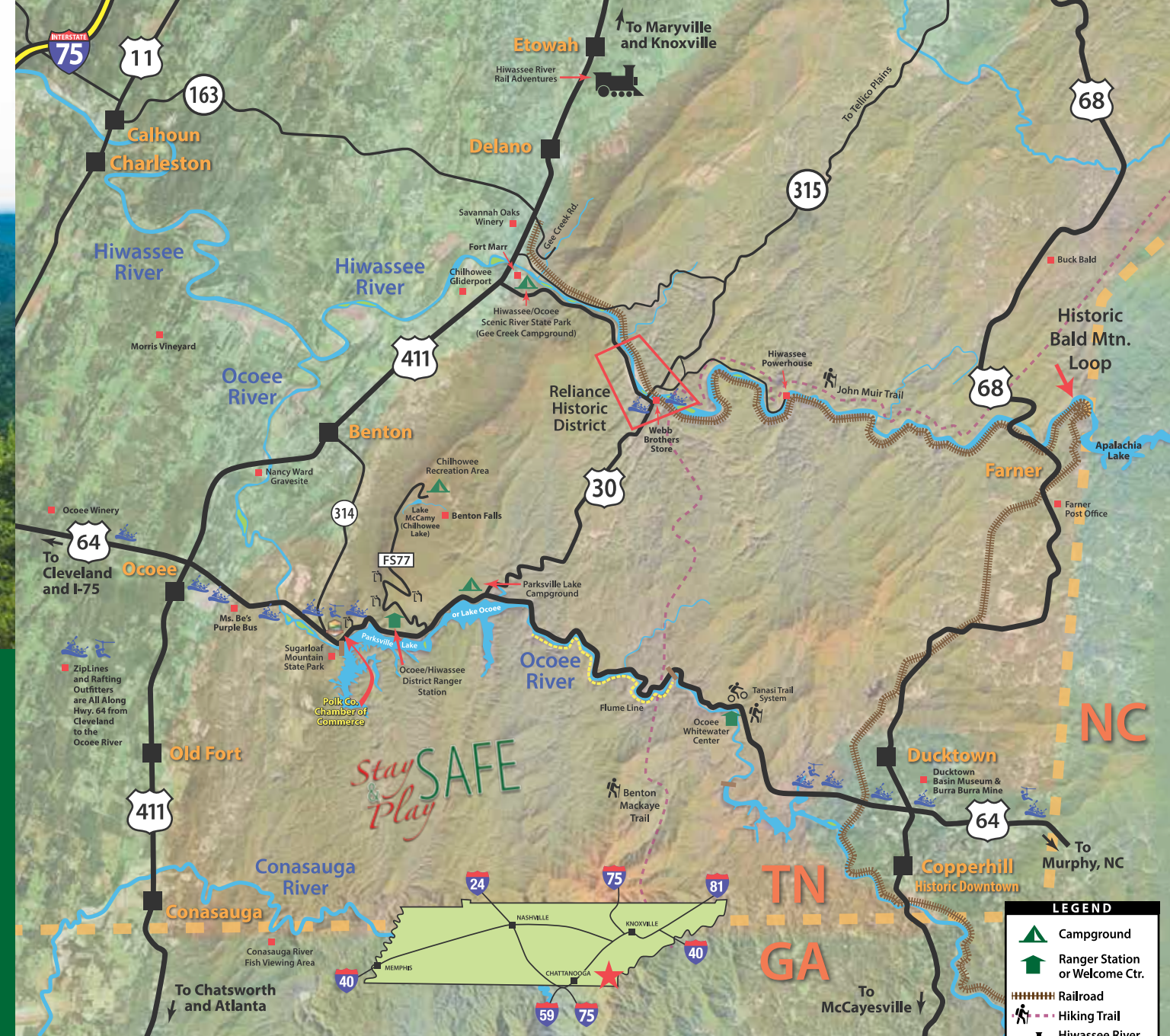
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Enjoy the beauty of the outdoors at your pace in Polk County, Tennessee!

Hiwassee Scenic River Canoeing, kayaking, rafting, and tubing adventures abound. There's no need to own a boat as river outfitters will rent funyaks, rafts, and tubes. The Hiwassee is primarily Class I and Class II, although certain sections may be considered Class III. Named by Trout Unlimited as one of the Top 100 Trout Streams in America, the Hiwassee is regularly stocked with trout. Fly fishing companies will provide guided fishing trips, instruction, and equipment.

Ocoee River Site of the 1996 Olympic Canoe and Kayak Slalom Races, and the #1 whitewater river in America!. Commercial river outfitters offer expert guides to help you capture the excitement of the Class III and Class IV rapids.

Conasauga River Snorkeling, canoeing and fishing abound on this pristine mountain stream, located in the Cherokee National Forest. Home to an underwater fish viewing area with more diverse species than the entire Columbia River Basin.

Hiking/Mountain Biking Polk County

encompasses the entire southern portion of the Cherokee National Forest, a state park, and TVA lakes – all offering hiking, biking and horseback riding trails that ranges from family friendly and easy to challenging. Whether you choose to backpack into a Wilderness Area or casually ride alongside a scenic river trail, you will have ample opportunities to enjoy nature at your pace.

Ziplines Adventure for the whole family! Enjoy breathtaking views of the Cherokee National Forest and surrounding mountains while zipping through lush canopies.

Glider Rides Enjoy a birds eye view of this breath taking area from a glider plane!

Whitewater Rafting Step out of your comfort zone and enjoy the thrill of class III and IV

History Buffs will delight in museums, historic sites, Civil War and Cherokee history. Antique hunters and collectors will be right at home in our shops and galleries. Our music and art will nourish your soul.

Take a Scenic Drive that meanders through the countryside, through the Ocoee River Gorge, the Hiwassee Valley or travel to the top of the world where you can watch the sunset from one of our many overlooks. Highway 64 in Polk County is the first designated scenic by-way in Tennessee.

Enjoy a Train Excursion that will take you over the Bald Mtn Loop and along the Hiwassee River, or ride the Blue Ridge Scenic Railway and spend the afternoon exploring the quaint little town of Copperhill with its unique restaurants and shops before you hop the train for the second leg.

Visit One of Our Wineries where you can taste the selections, then take home a bottle or two of our award winning wines made right here in Southeast Tennessee.



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