# SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC LANDS GPS FILE DOWNLOAD INSTRUCTIONS

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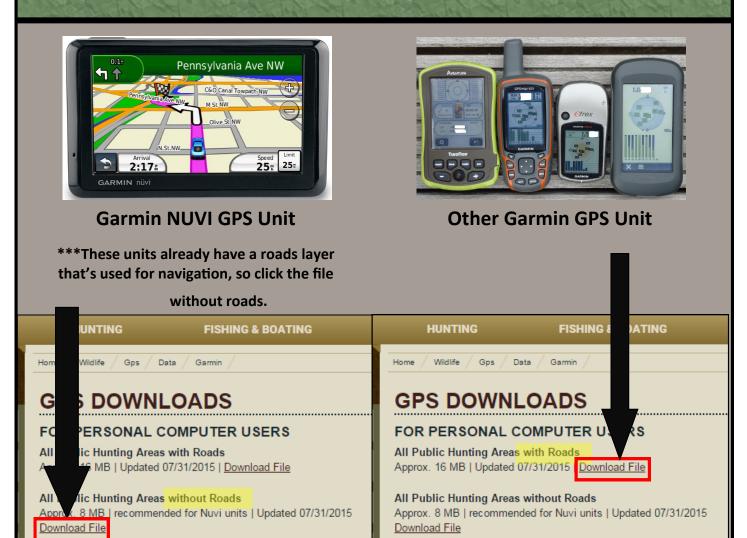
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Do you want to view the Public Lands layer in Google Earth?

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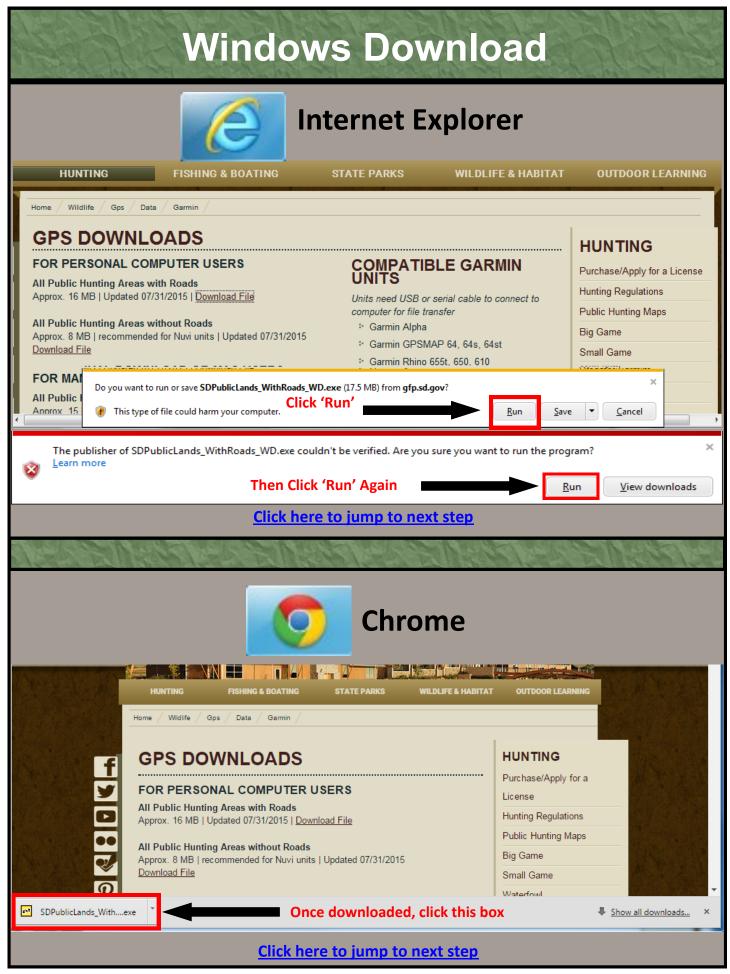
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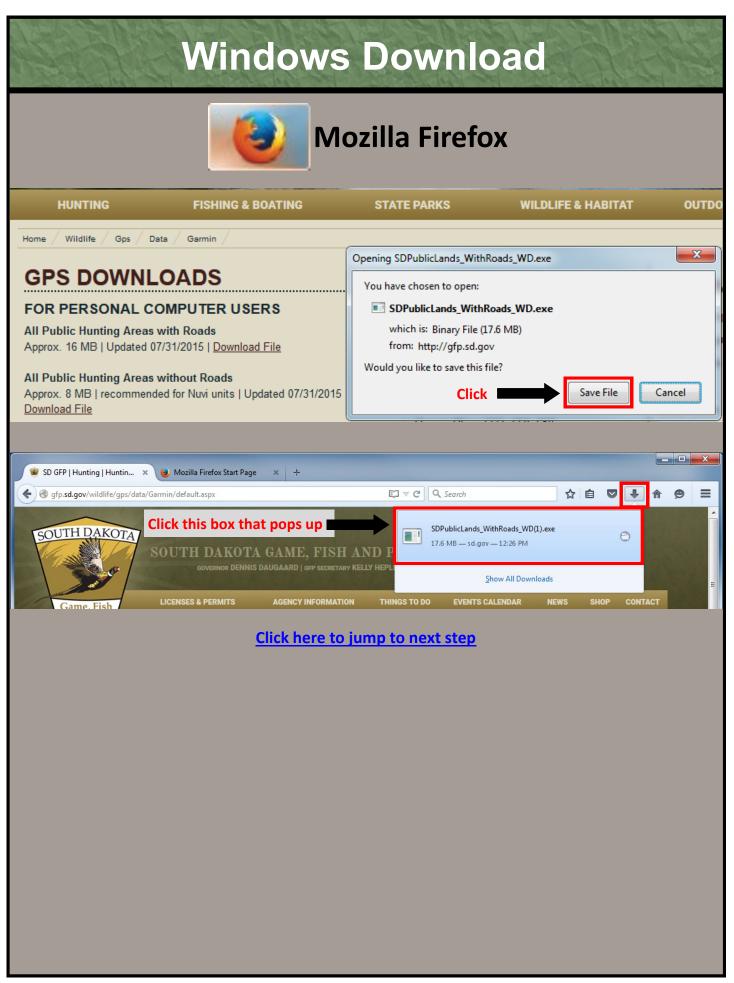
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#### **Windows Download**

The MapUpload software automatically runs

\*\*You do NOT need it installed on your computer.\*\*



The GPS file is already

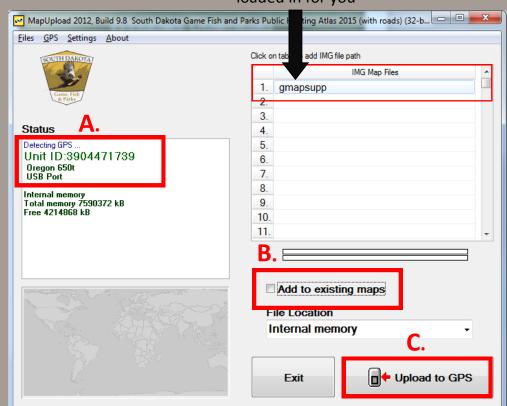
loaded in for you

A. Connect your GPS to the computer via USB cord

Unit ID should be populated with a number

\*\*If not, click GPS in the menu above, and click Detect

- B. Check 'Add to Existing Maps' if you are worried about
- C. losing purchased maps.



Once the Upload is complete, you can unplug your GPS unit from the computer and turn it on. Go to the map on your GPS unit and zoom in to an area in South Dakota. You may need to zoom in a ways before the layers show up.

If you have any trouble, please visit our troubleshooting tips on the **GPS Map Website**.

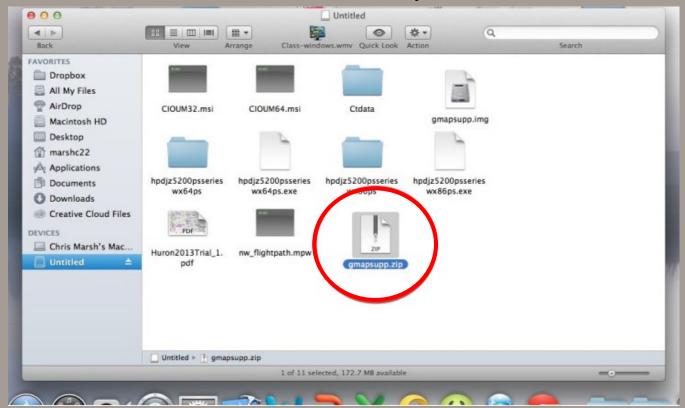
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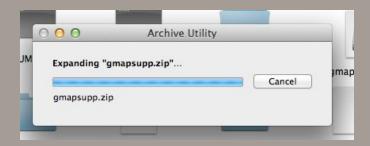
If you have a GPS unit OTHER than a Garmin Nuvi, click to download this file

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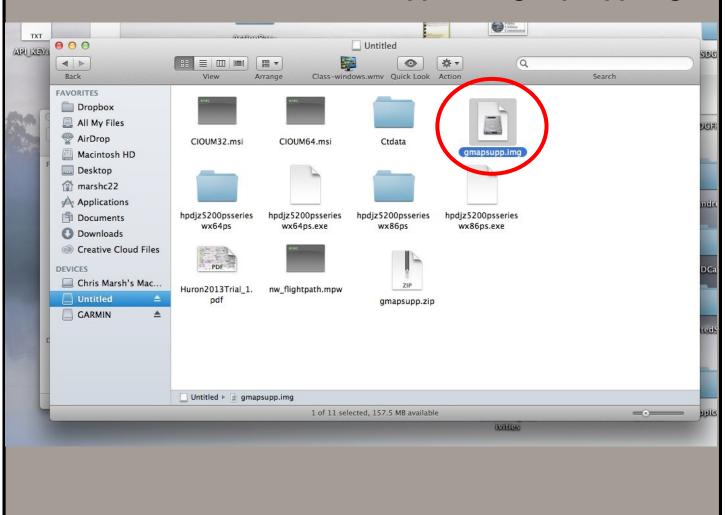


# The file will appear as gmapsupp.zip in the downloads. Double click it to UnZip the file



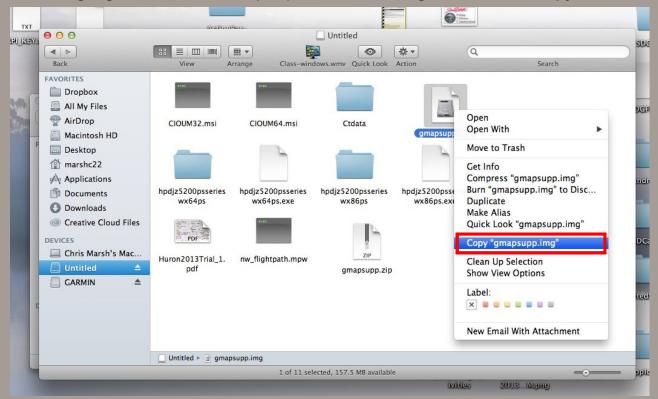


#### After the file is extracted, it will appear as gmapsupp.img

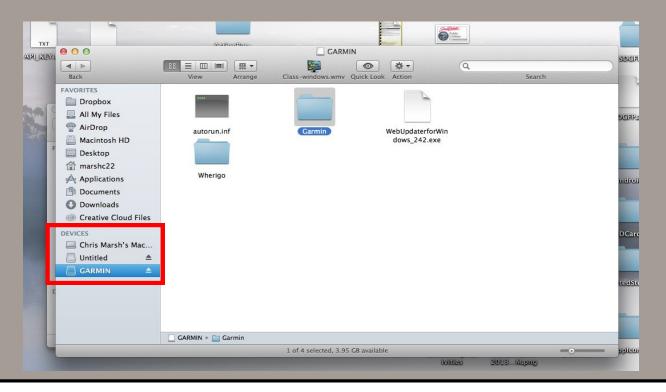


Next, Click to highlight the file gmapsupp.img.

After it's highlighted, hold control (Ctrl) and click on it again and select copy.



Connect your GPS unit to your computer. It should appear under devices.

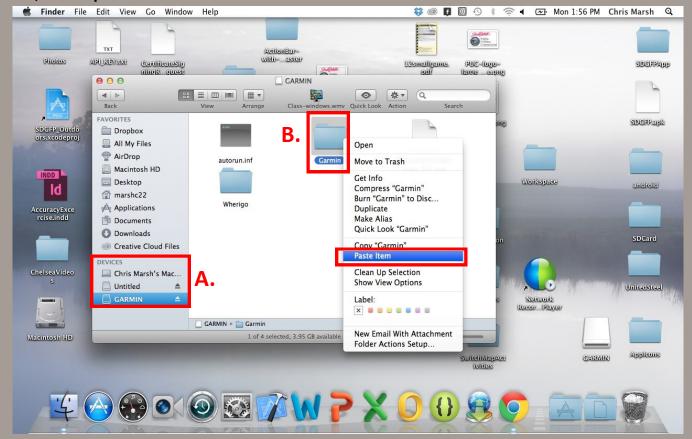


Next you'll want to paste the file you just copied onto the device.

Where you paste this file is important.

Below is an example for the Garmin Oregon unit.

- A. Single click on GARMIN under devices. Look to the right to view its folders.
- B. Single click on the Garmin folder. Once it's highlighted, hold control and single click. Next, select paste item.



Once it's finished pasting, you can disconnect the device.

#### \*\*For a Garmin Nuvi:\*\*

It is the same process but instead you want to paste the file into the "Map" folder.

Turn on your GPS device. Go to the map and zoom in to an area in South Dakota. You may need to zoom in a ways before the layers show up.

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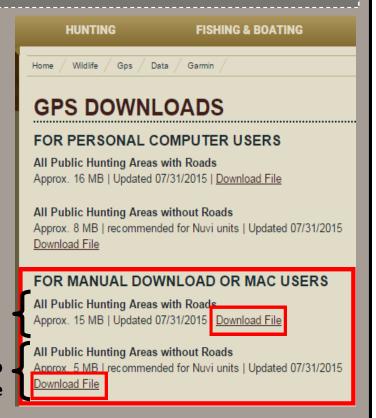
If you have preloaded maps or maps that were purchased, there is the potential the GFP Hunting Maps could permanently overwrite those maps.

This set of instructions is for manually loading the file onto your device and avoiding overwriting those custom maps.

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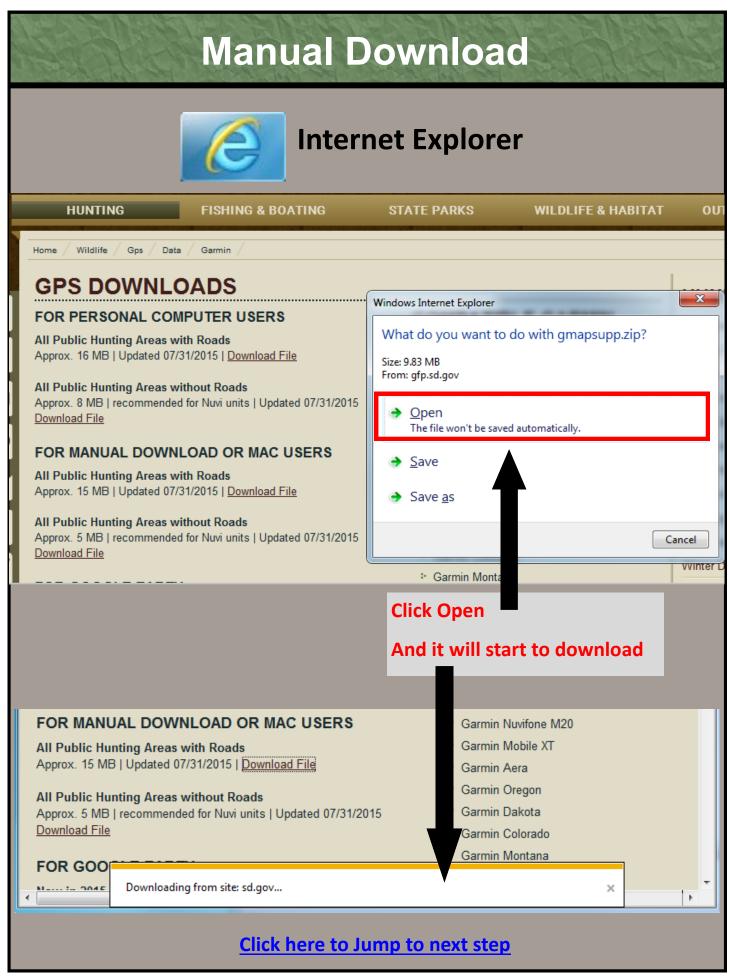
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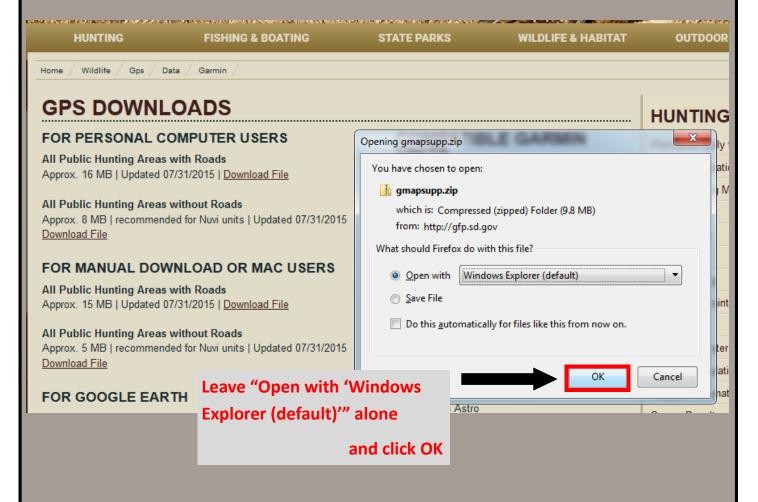
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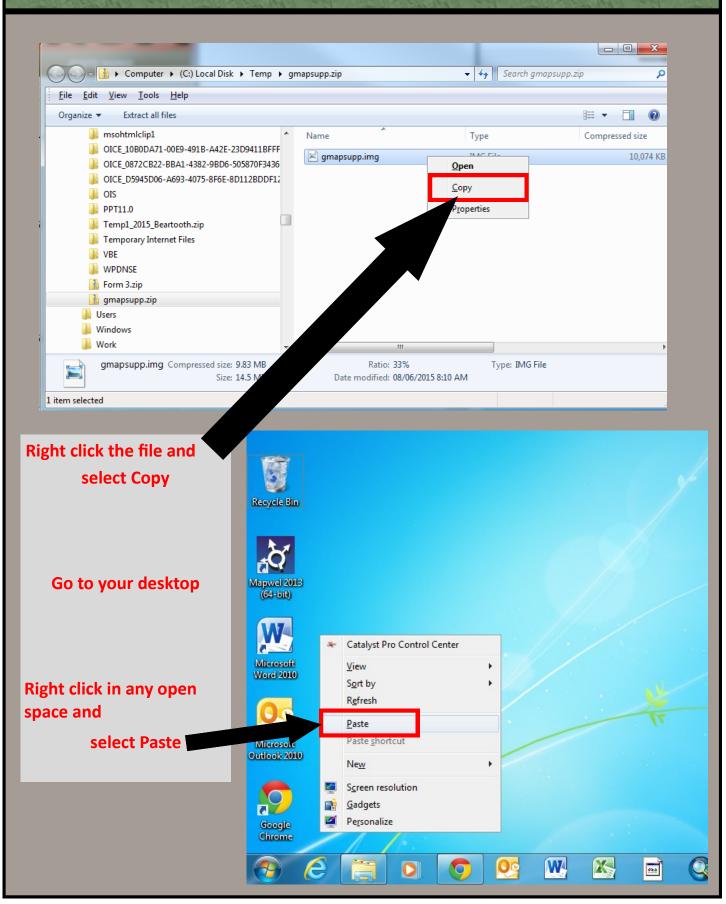
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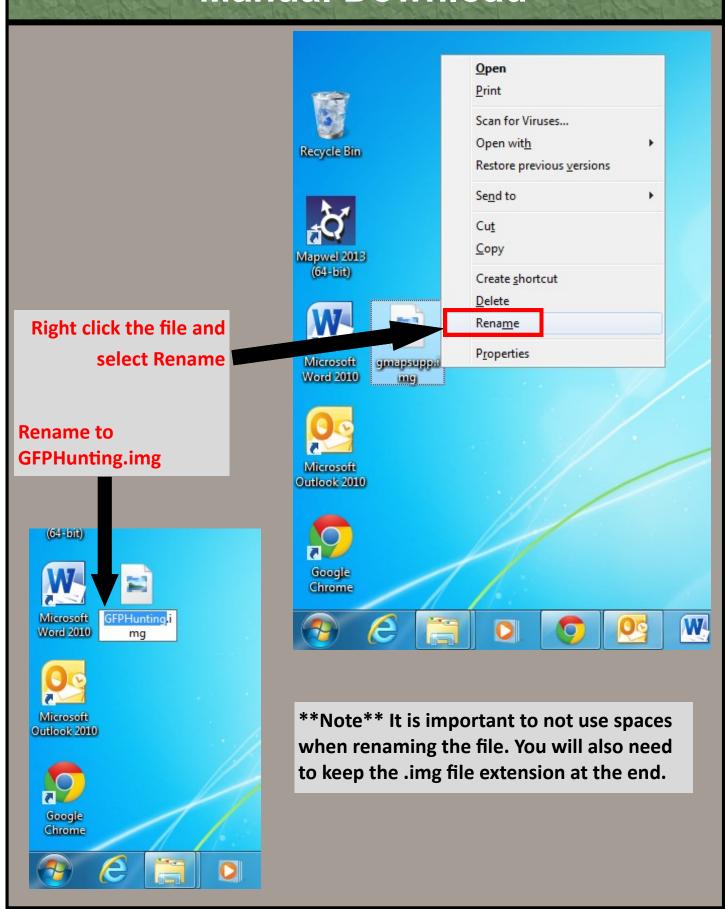


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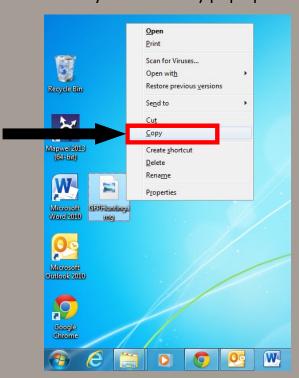


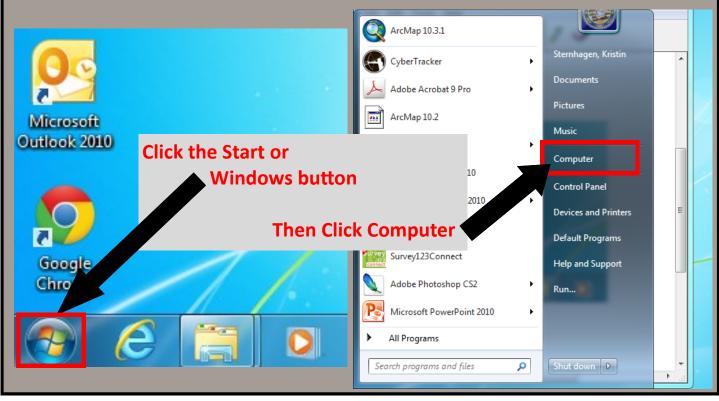
#### Plug in your GPS Unit now

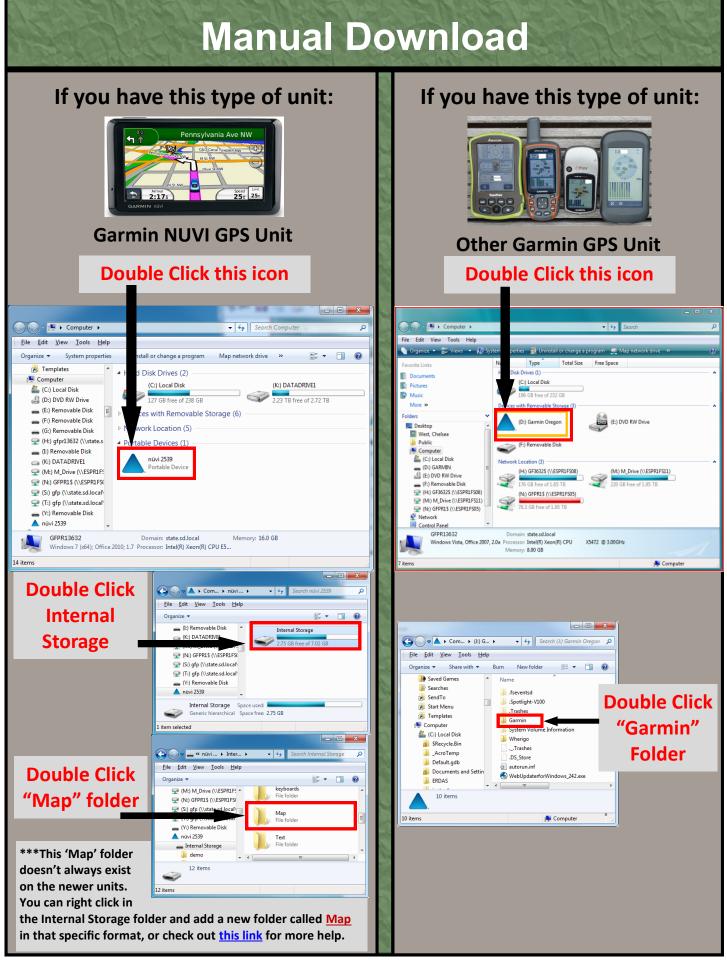
Give it a couple seconds for your computer to register that it is connected. In some cases, it can take up to 2 minutes. Close any box that may pop up.

Now you are going to copy the file from the desktop to the GPS unit

Right click the file on the desktop and select Copy







## If you have this type of unit (Cont'):

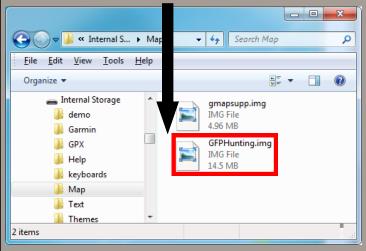


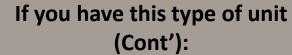
**Garmin NUVI GPS Unit** 

In the "Map" folder.
Right click anywhere in the white space and choose Paste



The GFPHunting.img file should now be in the list of files on your unit.

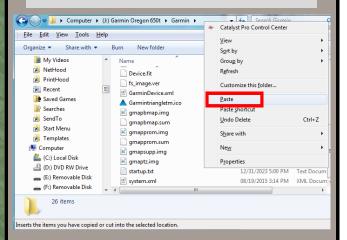




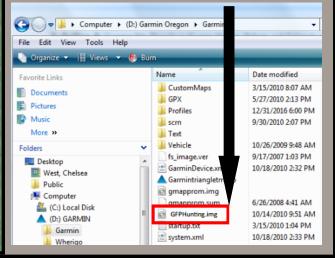


**Other Garmin GPS Units** 

In the "Garmin" folder.
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This set of instructions is for viewing the South Dakota Public Lands file in Google Earth.

\*\*You must have Google Earth downloaded on your computer to use these files\*\*

Google Earth can be downloaded for free at <a href="https://www.google.com/earth/">https://www.google.com/earth/</a>



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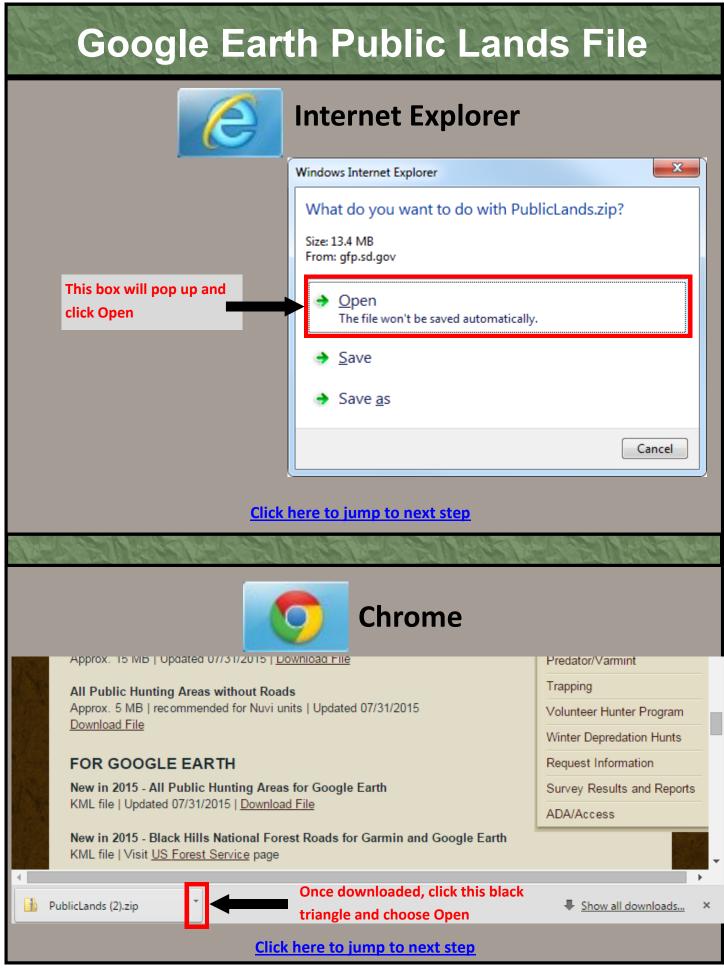
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#### All Public Hunting Areas with Roads

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#### All Public Hunting Areas without Roads

Approx. 5 MB | recommended for Nuvi units | Updated 07/31/2015 Download File

#### FOR GOOGLE EARTH

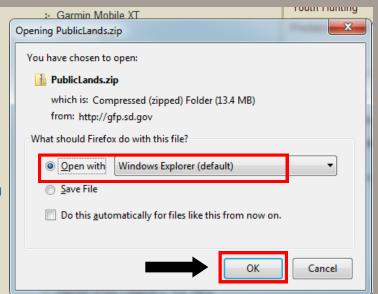
New in 2015 - All Public Hunting Areas for Google Earth KML file | Updated 07/31/2015 | Download File

New in 2015 - Black Hills National Forest Roads for Garmin and Google Earth

KML file | Visit US Forest Service page

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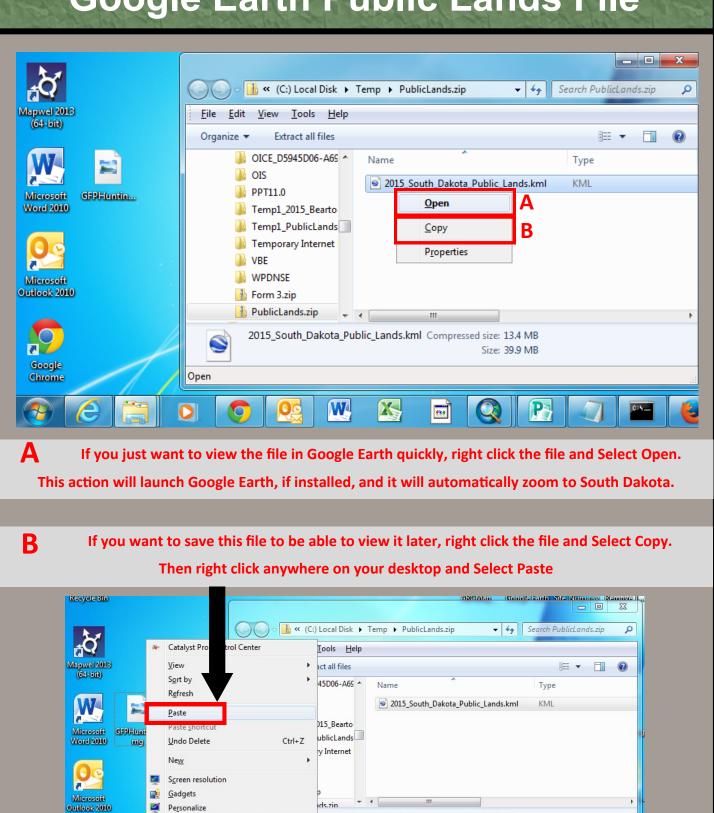
Instructions and frequently asked questions



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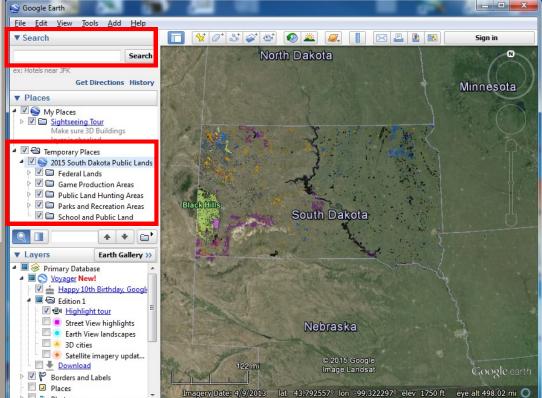
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You can double click this file, and it will launch Google Earth, if installed, and automatically zoom to South Dakota.

If you want to find a specific state park, GPA, lake, or town, you can use the search bar.

This is the list of layers that can be toggled on and off to show any specific public land type you want.



If you have any problems or questions, please contact 605-223-7660 or email SDGFPinfo@state.sd.us