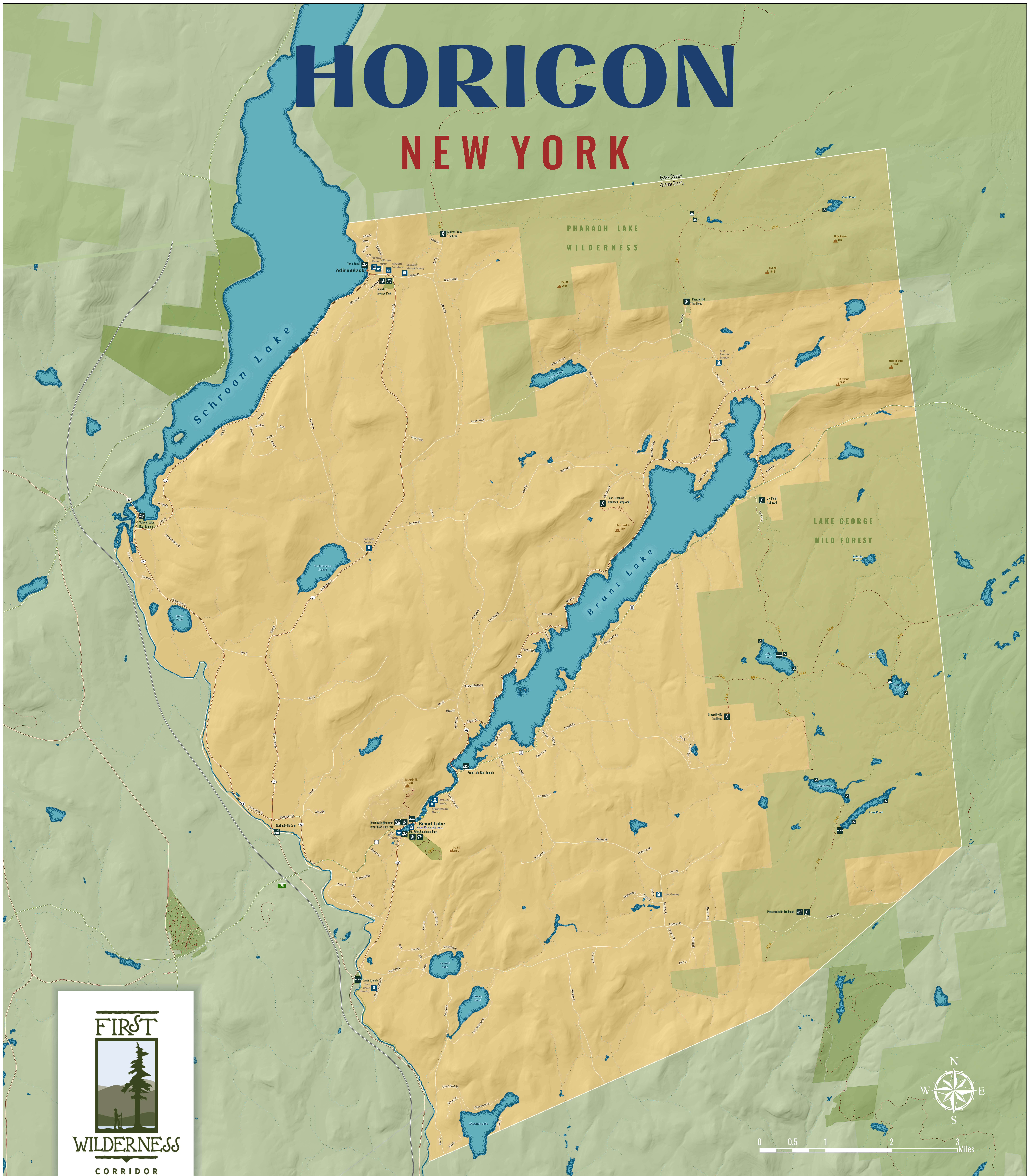


HORICON

NEW YORK



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| arts & theater | canoe/kayak launch | summit |
| cemetery | shopping/dining | hamlet |
| historic marker | fishing | trail |
| museum | golf | river or stream |
| National Register site | hiking | lake or pond |
| school | park/picnic area | park |
| amusement | downhill skiing | State land |
| beach | visitors center | town boundary |
| bike | xc-skiing | Adirondack Northway |
| mountain bike | skating | state or federal highway |
| boat launch | sledding | county highway |
| campground | playground | local road |
| primitive campsite | snowshoe | |

It was Moses Stickney who in the late 1700s dammed the creek that created the Mill Pond that remains today the center of activity in the town. And it was his land, which Stickney bought for five cents an acre, that mostly made up the town when it was carved from the towns Bolton and Hague in 1838. South Horicon had the largest tannery in New York State and lumbering also was important. The first hotels and boarding houses catered to loggers, tanner, and teamsters. Later, around the lake, they catered to the wealthy. The area remains a tourist mecca today with natural beauty, fishing, and hunting being a draw.

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