



EIGHTMILE RIVER WILD & SCENIC WATERSHED



Preserves, parks, and forests open for exploration in the Eightmile River Wild & Scenic Watershed

Colchester

- 1. Whispering Winds Preserve
- 2. Bulkeley Hill Preserve

East Haddam

- 3. Shugrue Farm Reserve on Long Hill
- 4. Urbanik Reserve
- 5. Devils Hopyard State Park
- 6. Burnham Brook Preserve
- 7. Lena Reserve
- 8. Hammond Mill Preserve
- 9. Ayers Preserve
- 10. Chapal Farm/Boot Rock Preserve
- 11. Chapal Farm/Patrell Preserve
- 12. Chapal Farm/Pizzini Reserve
- 13. Eightmile River Wildlife Management Area

East Haddam

Lyme

- 14. Hand Smith Preserve
- 15. Johnston Preserve
- 16. Jewett Preserve
- 17. Pleasant Valley Preserve
- 18. Mt. Archer Woods Preserve
- 19. Slawson/Fehrer Preserve
- 20. Plimpton Preserve
- 21. Chestnut Hill Preserve
- 22. Augur Preserve
- 23. Nehantic State Forest, (Lyme, E. Lyme, Salem)
- 24. Beckett Hill State Park
- 25. Grassy Hill Preserve
- 26. Idlewild Preserve
- 27. Beebe Preserve
- 28. Riverside Preserve
- 29. Young Preserve
- 30. Walbridge Woodland Preserve
- 31. Hartman Park

Lyme

Salem

- 32. Darling Road Preserve
- 33. Salem Riverside Preserve
- 34. Tatson's Woods Preserve
- 35. Alf & Sylvia Bingham Preserve
- 36. Walden Preserve
- 37. Salem Community Park
- 38. Woodland Warbler Preserve
- 39. Salem Multipurpose Trail
- 40. Zemko Pond Wildlife Management Area
- 41. Smuggler's Rock Preserve
- 42. Zemko Sawmill Preserve
- 43. Ahnert Preserve
- 44. Big Brook Gorge Preserve

Salem

East Lyme

- Preserves & Parks with public access
- Other Preserved Lands (not open to public)
- Richard H Goodwin Trail
- Eightmile Rivers & Streams
- Eightmile River Watershed Boundary
- Town Boundaries



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Sources: CT DEEP data, Esri, NASA, NGA, USGS, FEMA, Esri, HERE, Garmin, SafeGraph, INCREMENT P, METI/NASA, USGS, EPA, NPS, US Census Bureau, USDA

With nearly 16,000 acres of protected open space, there are diverse offerings for recreating in the many preserves and parks within the Eightmile River Watershed. Our partners, including the towns of East Haddam, Salem, and Lyme, the East Haddam Land Trust, the Salem Land Trust, the Lyme Land Conservation Trust, the Colchester Land Trust, The Nature Conservancy, and the State of CT have done an outstanding job preserving and stewarding these beautiful places. Please treat them kindly and enjoy your wanderings in this wild and scenic landscape.



Discover outdoor activities in the Eightmile River Wild & Scenic Watershed



Devis Hopyard State Park, East Haddam (#5)



Burnham Brook Preserve, East Haddam (#6)



Patrell Preserve, East Haddam (#11)

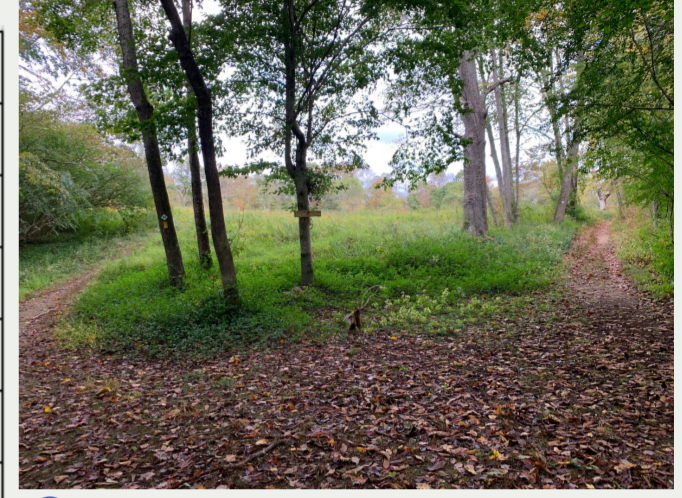


Johnston Preserve, Lyme (#15)



Woodland Warbler Preserve, Salem (#38)

	Hiking Trails	Snow Shoeing	X-Country Skiing	Horseback riding	Mountain Biking	Fishing	Trail running	Birding	Geological & Historical features	Scenic-photography	Dogs allowed on leash	Off road parking	Seasonal hunting - wear safety orange
Whispering Winds Preserve 1.								X			X		
Bulkeley Hill Preserve 2.	X	X	X				X	X		X	X	X	
Shugrue Farm Reserve 3.	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Urbanik Reserve 4.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		X
Devils Hopyard State Park 5.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Burnham Brook Preserve 6.	X	X	X				X	X	X	X			
Lena Reserve 7.	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Hammond Mill Preserve 8.						X		X	X	X	X	X	
Ayers Preserve 9.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		
Chapal Farm/Boot Rock Preserve 10.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Chapal Farm/Patrell Preserve 11.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Chapal Farm/Pizzini Reserve 12.	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Eightmile River W.M.A. 13.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Hand Smith Preserve 14.		X	X			X		X		X	X		X
Johnston Preserve 15.	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Jewett Preserve 16.	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Pleasant Valley Preserve 17.	X	X	X				X	X	X	X		X	
Mt. Archer Woods Preserve 18.	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Slawson/Fehrer Preserve 19.		X	X					X	X	X	X		X
Plimpton Preserve 20.	X	X					X	X	X	X	X		X
Chestnut Hill Preserve 21.	X	X		X	X		X	X	X	X	X		X
Augur Preserve 22.								X		X			
Nehantic State Forest 23.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Beckett Hill State Park 24.								X			X		
Grassy Hill Preserve 25.								X	X	X	X	X	
Idlewild Preserve 26.								X		X	X		
Beebe Preserve 27.	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Riverside Preserve 28.	X	X	X					X		X	X	X	
Young Preserve 29.	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	
Walbridge Woodland Preserve 30.	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X		
Hartman Park 31.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Darling Road Preserve 32.	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Salem Riverside Preserve 33.	X	X	X			X		X		X	X	X	
Tatson's Woods Preserve 34.	X	X	X				X	X			X		
Alf & Sylvia Bingham Preserve 35.	X	X	X					X		X	X	X	
Walden Preserve 36.	X	X	X			X	X	X	X	X		X	
Salem Community Park 37.	X	X	X	X	X			X			X	X	
Woodland Warbler Preserve 38.	X	X	X				X	X		X	X	X	
Salem Multipurpose Trail 39.	X	X	X	X	X			X			X	X	
Zemko Pond W.M.A. 40.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X
Smuggler's Rock Preserve 41.	X	X	X				X	X	X	X	X	X	
Zemko Sawmill Preserve 42.	X	X	X			X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Ahnert Preserve 43.								X			X	X	
Big Brook Gorge Preserve 44.	X	X	X				X	X	X	X	X	X	



Jewett & Pleasant Valley Preserve, Lyme (#16 & 17)



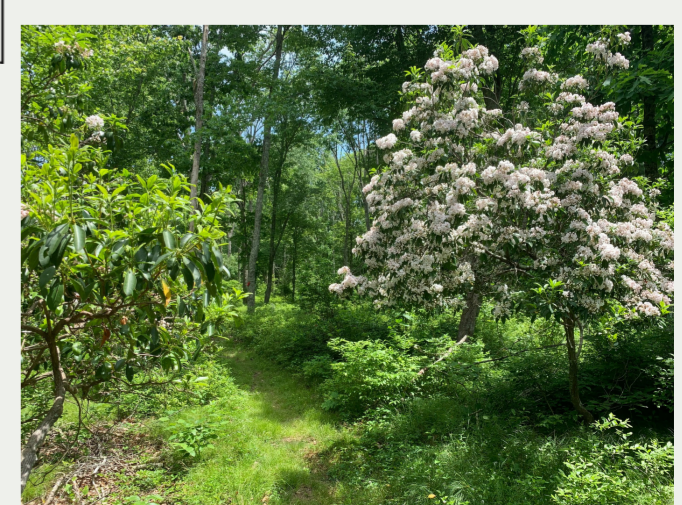
Hartman Park, Lyme (#31)



Walden Preserve, Salem (#36)



Goodwin Trail at Chapal Farm/Pizzini Reserve, East Haddam (#12)



Salem Riverside Preserve, Salem (#33)

It is recommended to wear safety orange during hunting season even if hunting is not allowed on a preserve. Many of these properties about other properties that allow hunting. Motorized vehicles are not allowed on trails. Please check preserve kiosks or websites for trail maps and more detailed information on restrictions. Scan the QR codes below with your smartphone camera to be automatically directed to the listed websites.



Salem Land Trust (salemlandtrust.org)



Lyme Land Trust (lymelandtrust.org/properties)



East Haddam Land Trust (ehlt.org/preserves)



Colchester Land Trust (colchesterlandtrust.org/protected-lands)



Richard Goodwin Trail Map (https://rb.gy/fpejzh)