

Recreation Trails and Points of Interest in Montgomery County

Trail Information

Detailed Trail Maps

The maps at right provide users with detailed information about each trail shown on the reverse side of this map including points of interest, street names and other features. The trail numbers correspond to a coordinated statewide numbering system for all trails in Ohio. Local trails are indicated in the color blue and are designated with a letter.

The featured trail maps at right have, in some cases, been rotated off due north for easier reading. Be sure to check the white NORTH arrow shown on each map to determine the trail's directional orientation.

Trail Rules & Regulations

- Please observe the following rules so that everyone can enjoy the trails. For help or to report problems, please call (937) 225-HELP (225-4357).
- Bicycles must yield to all other users (skaters, runners, walkers, etc.)
- Keep right except to pass
- Announce that you are passing so as not to startle others
- Move off the paved trail when stopped so that others may continue unobstructed and for the safety of those who have stopped
- Pets MUST be on a leash. Remove all pet droppings from the trail and dispose of them far from the trail's edge
- All trails close at dark and open at dawn
- Motorized vehicles and horses are prohibited from trails
- Dispose of trash in provided receptacles

In Case of an Emergency

Call 911 for all emergencies. Be sure to state the number and name of the trail you are on, and if possible, give the emergency dispatcher the nearest mile marker designation painted on the trail pavement. Or, give a description of the area and the closest cross street or notable landmark.

To report non-emergency situations, call (937) 225-HELP (225-4357).

Enjoy the Trails!

Miami Conservancy and Five Rivers MetroParks make every effort to provide well-designed and maintained recreational trails.

Responsibility and maintenance of the various trails is indicated on the maps at right with a dotted or solid line running in the center of the color-marked trails:

- Solid Center Line: Miami Conservancy
- Dotted Center Line: Five Rivers MetroParks
- No Center Line: Municipal or Other Local Trails

If you notice maintenance issues or areas in need of repair, or have a suggestion concerning how we could improve the trail system, please let us know. Every effort has been made to include as many details and highlights in these maps as possible. If you have corrections or additions to this map, please contact us.

Revised and updated maps will be printed periodically. To view and download PDF files of the most current changes, visit the Five Rivers MetroParks or Miami Conservancy websites.

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Map Legend

Refer to the legend at right for an explanation of the details shown on the above maps.

Recreation Trails:

- Recreation Trails are indicated in various colors.
- Miami Conservancy/Five Rivers MetroParks Recreation Trail numbers
- Local municipal recreation trails are indicated in blue and a corresponding letter code

Recreation Trail Features:

- Mileage markers are indicated in one-mile increments along the length of the trails, beginning from the southern or eastern starting point of the trail or trail segment
- Points of Interest on or near trail

Recreation Trail and Park Services:

- Parking
- Restrooms
- Parks
- Drinking Water
- Picnic Area
- Information Kiosk

Roadway Designations:

- Interstate Highways
- U.S. Highways
- Ohio State Routes
- Local Roads

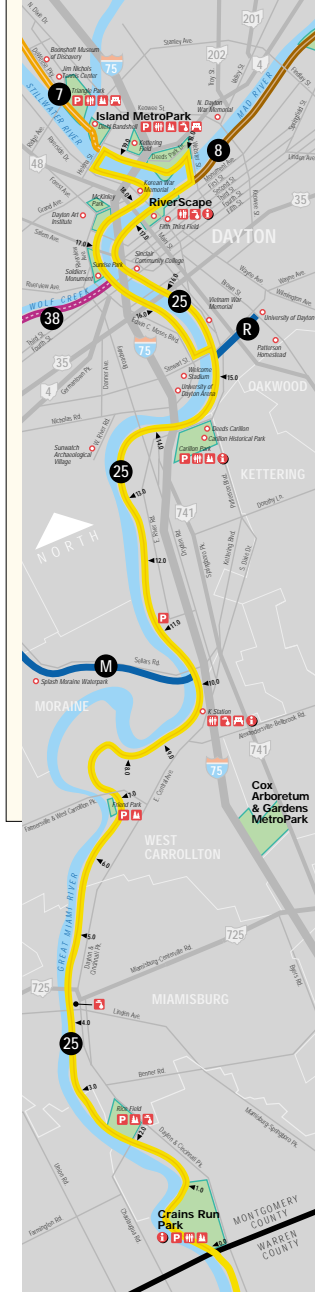
Other Map Designations:

- Municipal Boundaries and Names
- Local Parks and Five Rivers MetroParks

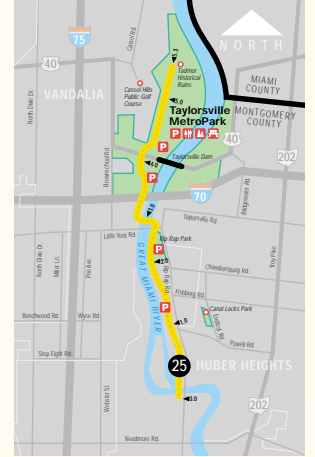
NOTE: Some trail & park services may be available ONLY on a seasonal basis

Route 25 — Great Miami River Recreation Trail

Central & Southern Segments



Northern Segment



From urban skylines to beautiful river vistas, the Great Miami River Recreation Trail has something for everyone. The trail winds its way near museums, picnic facilities, acres of natural parkland and over gently rolling terrain — a perfect match for the runner, skater or cyclist.

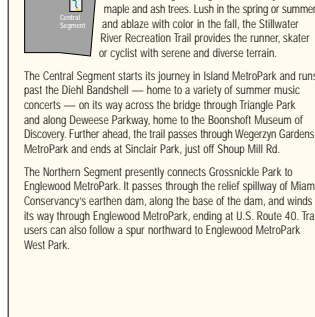
The Southern Segment follows the Great Miami River and passes through small towns rich with history — a testament to the importance of the river at the turn of the 20th century. South of Montgomery County, the trail connects to a trail system under development in Warren County that will soon extend through Butler County to the city of Hamilton.

The Central Segment makes its journey through downtown Dayton, in close proximity to top-notch museums, numerous monuments and RiverScape. Historic parks and markers make the Central Segment an intense in Dayton's contribution to the region's history.

The Northern Segment wanders its way through the heavily wooded Taylorville MetroPark and along the scenic Great Miami River, past Taylorville Dam and Tadmor historic site.

Route 7 — Stillwater River Recreation Trail

Central Segment

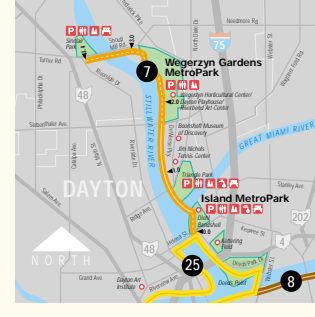


Lining the banks of the scenic Stillwater River are some of the region's largest stands of sycamore, maple and ash trees. Lush in the spring or summer, and ablaze with color in the fall, the Stillwater River Recreation Trail provides the runner, skater or cyclist with serene and diverse terrain.

The Central Segment starts its journey in Island MetroPark and runs past the Diehl Bandshell — home to a variety of summer music concerts — on its way across the bridge through Triangle Park and along Deweese Parkway, home to the Boonshoft Museum of Discovery. Further ahead, the trail passes through Wegerzyn Gardens MetroPark and ends at Sinclair Park, just off Shoup Mill Rd.

The Northern Segment presently connects Grossnickle Park to Englewood MetroPark. It passes through the relief spillway of Miami Conservancy's earthen dam, along the base of the dam, and winds its way through Englewood MetroPark, ending at U.S. Route 40. Trail users can also follow a spur northward to Englewood MetroPark West Park.

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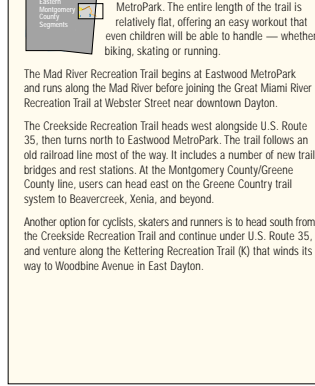


Northern Segment



Route 8 — Mad River Recreation Trail & Route 2 — Creekside Recreation Trail

Eastern Montgomery County Segments with Link to Greene County Trails



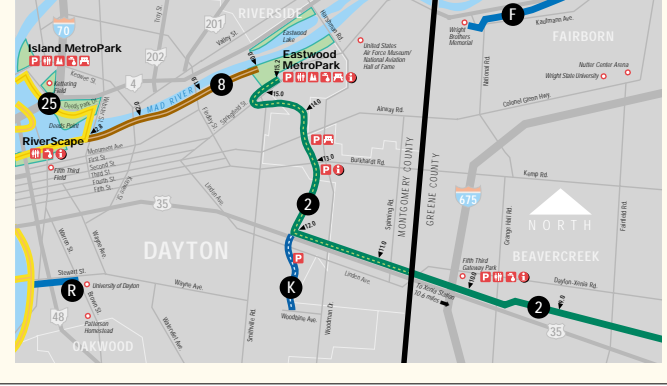
The Mad River Recreation Trail is a great way to get from downtown Dayton to Eastwood MetroPark. The entire length of the trail is relatively flat, offering an easy workout that even children will be able to handle — whether biking, skating or running.

The Mad River Recreation Trail begins at Eastwood MetroPark and runs along the Mad River before joining the Great Miami River Recreation Trail at Webster Street near downtown Dayton.

The Creekside Recreation Trail heads west alongside U.S. Route 35, then turns north to Eastwood MetroPark. The trail follows an old railroad line most of the way. It includes a number of north trail bridges and rest stations. At the Montgomery County/Greene County line, users can head east on the Greene County trail system to Beaver Creek, Xenia, and beyond.

Another option for cyclists, skaters and runners is to head south from the Creekside Recreation Trail and continue under U.S. Route 35, and venture along the Kettering Recreation Trail (K) that winds its way to Woodbine Avenue in East Dayton.

Eastern Montgomery County Segments with Link to Greene County Trails



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The Recreation Trails in Montgomery County are designed for your enjoyment!

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