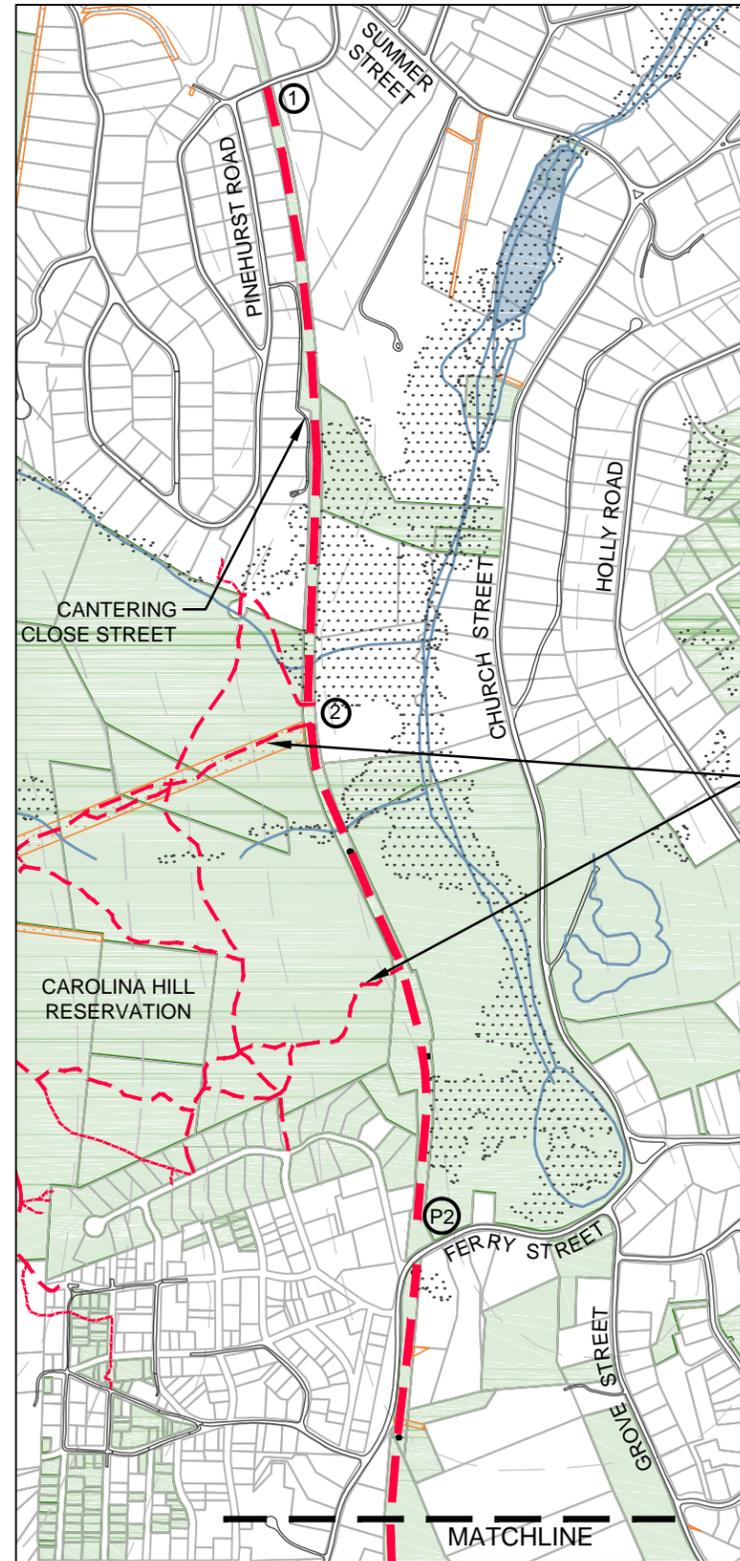
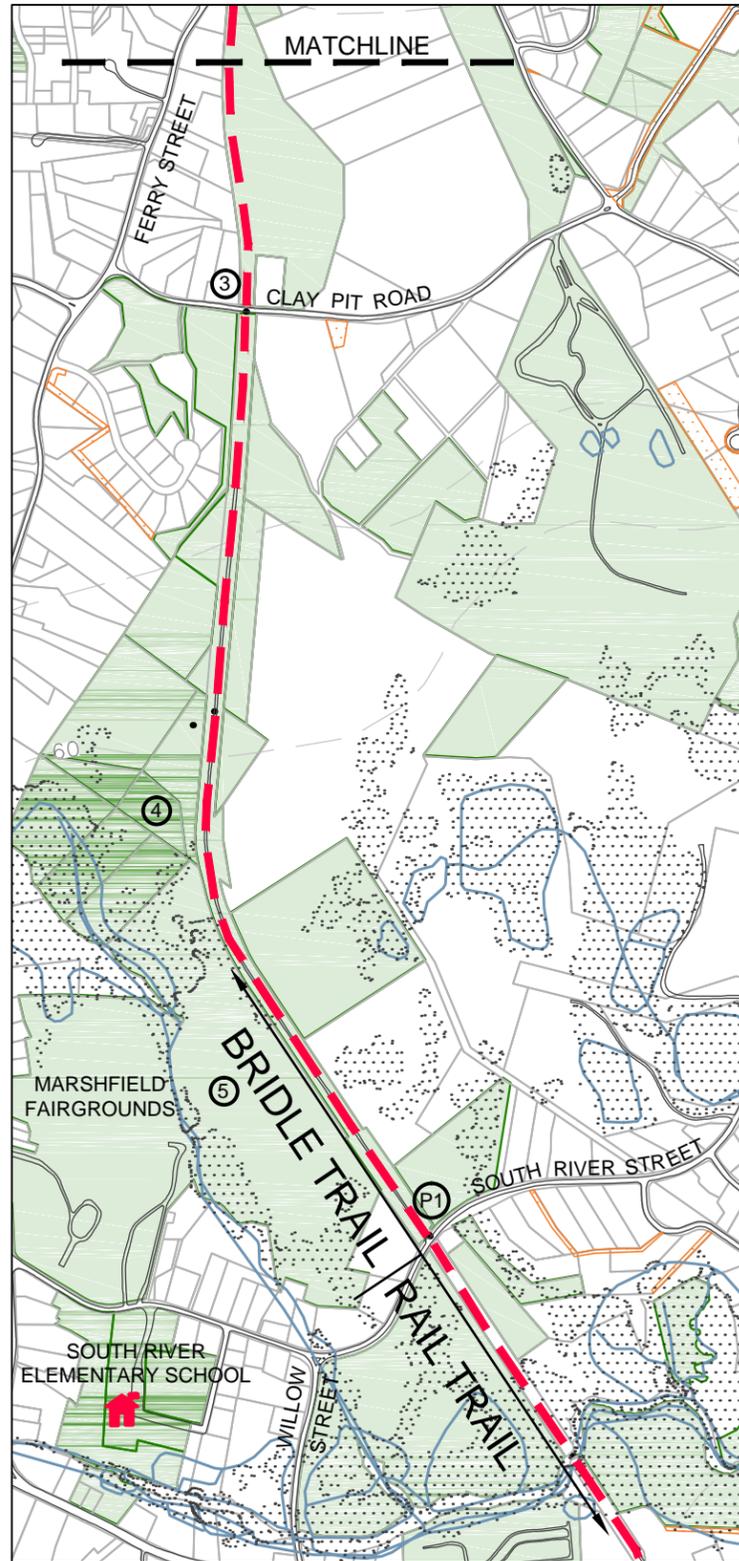


MARSHFIELD RECREATIONAL TRAILS

BRIDLE TRAIL

NORTH OF SOUTH RIVER STREET



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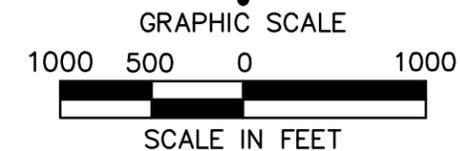
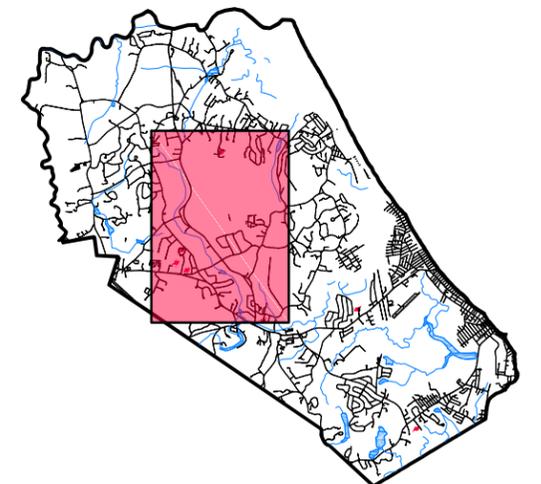
- ① TRAIL TERMINUS AT PINEHURST ROAD, NO PARKING.
- ② PRIMARY CONNECTION INTO CAROLINA HILLS TRAIL SYSTEM.
- ③ TRAIL INTERSECTION AT CLAY PIT ROAD, NO PARKING.
- ④ SUBSTATION, ACCESS PROHIBITED.
- ⑤ MARSHFIELD FAIRGROUNDS, ACCESS PROHIBITED.
- Ⓟ TRAIL TERMINUS AT SOUTH RIVER STREET. PARKING AVAILABLE NEXT TO SUBSTATION. DO NOT BLOCK SUBSTATION ACCESS.
- Ⓟ PARKING FOR 15 VEHICLES AT FERRY STREET. DO NOT BLOCK TRAIL.

LEGEND

- TRAIL CLASS I
NARROW WIDTH, POTENTIAL STEEP AND RUGGED TERRAIN, NONE OR FEW SIGNS
- - - TRAIL CLASS II
MEDIUM WIDTH, MODERATE GRADE, LIMITED TRAIL MARKING
- TRAIL CLASS III
BROAD WIDTH, EASY GRADE, WELL-MARKED
- ROADWAY
- 30 FT ELEVATION CONTOUR
- PARCEL BOUNDARY
- STREAM/WATERWAY
- WATERBODY
- EASEMENT
- WETLANDS
- OPEN SPACE
- SCHOOL FACILITY
- Ⓟ # TRAIL PARKING AND TRAIL MARKER

CAROLINA HILL TRAIL CONNECTIONS

LOCATION PLAN (TOWN OF MARSHFIELD)



MAP UPDATED: MAY, 2016

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MARSHFIELD RECREATIONAL TRAILS MAP



BRIDLE TRAIL

NORTH OF SOUTH RIVER ROAD

PERMITTED ACTIVITIES

HIKING
DOG WALKING
BIKING
HORSEBACK RIDING
NORDIC SKIING

PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES

CAMPING
FIRE
SMOKING
CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOL
USE OF FIREARMS AND TRAPPING
USE OF PAINTBALL GUNS

MOTOR VEHICLES (EXCEPT FOR EMERGENCY OR SERVICE)

DESCRIPTION

LAND DESCRIPTION:

THE BRIDLE TRAIL BEGINS AT SOUTH RIVER STREET AND EXTENDS NORTH TO ITS INTERSECTION WITH PINEHURST ROAD, A DISTANCE OF ROUGHLY 2¾ MILES. TRAIL ACCESS CAN BE FOUND AT FERRY STREET, CLAY PIT ROAD, AND INTERSECTIONS AT PINEHURST ROAD AND SOUTH RIVER STREET. MOST OF ITS LENGTH FOLLOWS AN OLD RAIL BED, IS LEVEL, AND WELL-GRADED. A WIDE RANGE OF USES CAN BE ACCOMMODATED ALONG THIS LENGTH, PERHAPS MOST NOTABLY BEING EQUESTRIAN USE. THE TRAIL WIDTH VARIES FROM 8' TO GREATER THAN 25' IN OTHER LOCATIONS. THE SURFACE IS A MIX OF COMPACTED EARTH, GRAVEL, AND INTERMITTENT PAVED SURFACE.

PARKING:

PARKING IS AVAILABLE AT THE TRAIL ENTRANCE ON SOUTH RIVER STREET NEXT TO THE SUBSTATION, DO NOT BLOCK THE SUBSTATION ACCESS. PARKING IS ALSO AVAILABLE FOR ROUGHLY 15 VEHICLES AT THE FERRY STREET ENTRANCE.

MARKINGS AND WAYFINDING:

THERE IS SOME WAYFINDING SIGNAGE ALONG THE TRAIL, THOUGH SIGNAGE IS GENERALLY LIMITED. TRAIL USERS MUST USE CAUTION AT INTERSECTIONS AND YIELD TO ONCOMING VEHICLES.

DIFFICULTY AND TRAIL LENGTH:

THE ENTIRE TRAIL IS VERY EASY TO NAVIGATE WITH A MIX OF ASPHALT AND GRAVEL SURFACE. THE FOLLOWING TRIP TIMES ARE BASED ON AN EASY HIKING SPEED OF BETWEEN 1.5 AND 2.5 MPH:

- ENTIRE LENGTH FROM SOUTH RIVER STREET TO PINEHURST ROAD = 2.75 MILES OR APPROXIMATELY 90 MINUTES.
- SOUTH RIVER STREET TO CLAY PIT ROAD = 1.2 MILES OR APPROXIMATELY 40 MINUTES.
- CLAY PIT ROAD TO FERRY STREET = .6 MILES OR APPROXIMATELY 20 MINUTES.
- FERRY STREET TO PINEHURST ROAD = 1.2 MILES OR APPROXIMATELY 80 MINUTES.



NORTHERN END OF BRIDLE TRAIL AT PINEHURST ROAD.



VIEW SOUTH AT CLAY PIT ROAD INTERSECTION.



TRAIL SECTION WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT.



TRAIL SECTION WITH GRAVEL PAVEMENT.

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