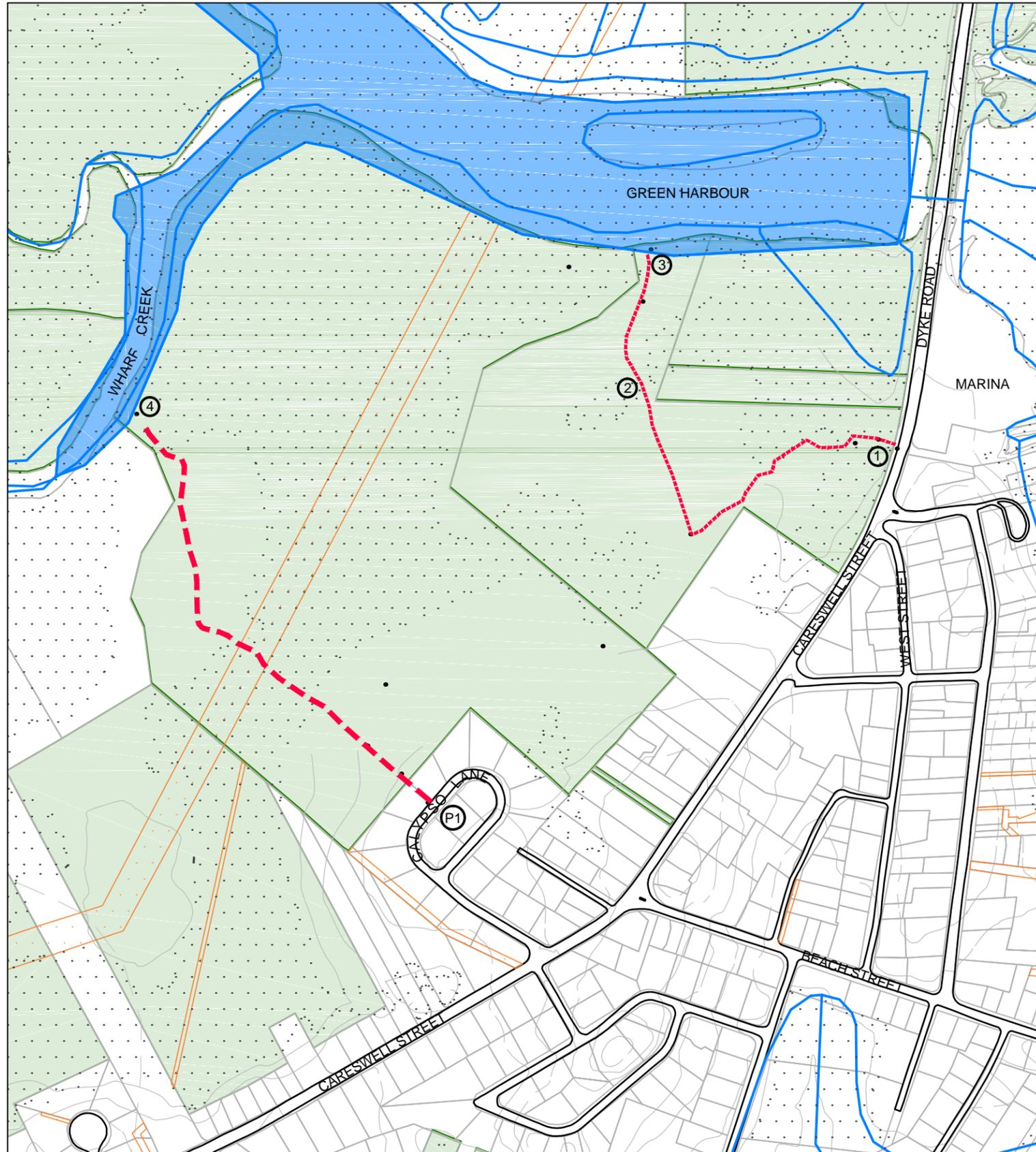


MARSHFIELD RECREATIONAL TRAILS

WHARF CREEK

AT CALYPSO LANE AND DYKE ROAD



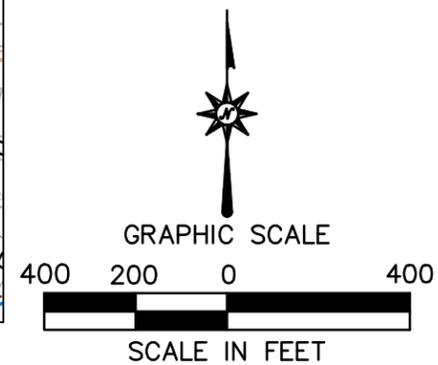
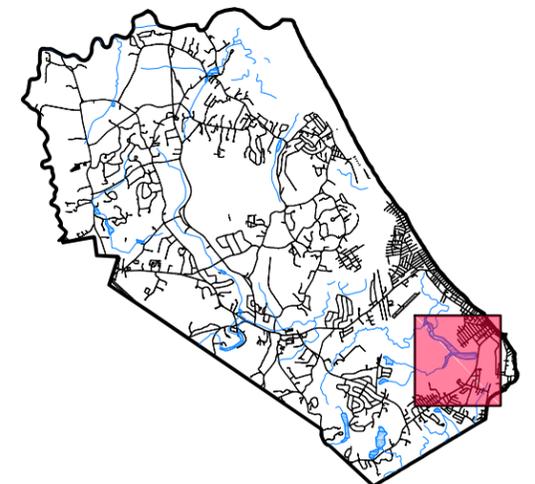
MAP KEY

- ① TRAIL ACCESS OFF DYKE ROAD. NO TRAIL PARKING PERMITTED ACROSS THE STREET.
- ② TRAIL PASSES THROUGH THICKET.
- ③ SCENIC VIEW TO GREEN HARBOUR.
- ④ SCENIC VIEW TO WHARF CREEK.
- (P1) SHOULDER PARKING AT CALYPSO LANE ENTRANCE. DO NOT BLOCK DRIVEWAYS.

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 & MAP KEY MARKER

LOCATION PLAN (TOWN OF MARSHFIELD)



MAP UPDATED: MAY, 2016

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MARSHFIELD RECREATIONAL TRAILS MAP



WHARF CREEK AT CALYPSO LANE AND DYKE 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:

THIS WAS ONCE A SINGLE LOOP TRAIL THAT HAS FALLEN INTO DISREPAIR AND NO LONGER HAS A NAVIGABLE CONNECTION. THE TRAIL IS VERY QUIET, AND LIES ON A PERCHED WOODLAND AT OR JUST ABOVE THE GREEN HARBOR FLOODPLAIN. THERE IS A DENSE UNDERSTORY OF NATIVE CHOKEBERRY THAT CREATES BOTH AN ATTRACTIVE FALL DISPLAY OF ORANGE AND RED, AND AN IMPENETRABLE THICKET. DESPITE BEING A SMALL CONSERVATION PARCEL IN CLOSE PROXIMITY TO TOWN DEVELOPMENT, THERE IS A DISTINCT SENSE OF SOLITUDE AT THIS WOODLAND THAT SOME OF THE MORE THOROUGHLY DEVELOPED AND POPULAR AREAS DO NOT POSSESS. A SEEMINGLY ANCIENT NETWORK STONE WALLS THREAD THEIR WAY THROUGH THE WOODS RECALLING AN AGRICULTURAL HISTORY AT THIS LOCATION.

PARKING:

STREET PARKING ON CALYPSO LANE IS PERMITTED.
PARKING AT DYKE ROAD AND GREEN HARBOR MARINA IS NOT PERMITTED.

MARKINGS AND WAYFINDING:

INTERMITTENT METALLIC TRAIL MARKERS CAN BE FOUND ALONG THE TRAIL

DIFFICULTY AND TRAIL LENGTH:

THESE TRAILS ARE EXTREMELY RUGGED AND ONLY VERY ABLE BODIED AND SKILLED NAVIGATORS ARE RECOMMENDED TO USE THEM. USERS ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO TURN AROUND IF THE TRAIL BECOMES TOO DIFFICULT TO FOLLOW. THE FOLLOWING TRIP TIMES ARE BASED ON AN EASY HIKING SPEED OF BETWEEN 1.0 AND 2.0 MPH:

- TRIP FROM DYKE ROAD TO GREEN HARBOR VIEWING = .3 MILES OR APPROXIMATELY 12 MINUTES.
- TRIP FROM CALYPSO LANE TO WHARF CREEK VIEWING = .3 MILES OR APPROXIMATELY 12 MINUTES.



CALYPSO LANE TRAIL ENTRANCE.



TYPICAL TRAIL CONDITIONS.



SCENIC VIEW OF WHARF CREEK.



REMNANTS OF STONE WALL.

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