WENTWORTH FARM
CONSERVATION AREA
AMHERST, MASS
DISTANCE: 1.5 MILES TOTAL
The conservation lands around Wentworth Farm offer easy walking through open fields that allow expansive views of the sky, as well as access to fishing on Owen’s Pond.

**SUGGESTED ROUTE**

The trails on this land are made up of two separate loops around the edges of adjacent tree-rimmed fields, with a short trail linking the two. The loops can be accessed from two different parking areas. From Stanley Street, walk over a substantial bridge to cross the Fort River after passing through a swampy area. From Old Farm Road, view the kiosk and walk along Owen’s Pond to access the loops. To do both loops from either entrance is just over 1.5 miles, and includes several bridge crossings. Keep an eye out for the many nestboxes that are installed to see which birds are using them: house wrens, eastern bluebirds, tree swallows, perhaps American kestrels or eastern screech owls?

**WHAT YOU CAN DO HERE**

- Walk/Jog
- Play in the Water
- XC Ski / Snowshoe
- Bring Your Dog
- Sniff Wildflowers

**DIRECTIONS**

- **GPS address**: 135 Stanley St., Amherst, MA 01002
- Parking is available at the bend in Stanley Street beside the playing fields. A second parking area is off Old Farm Road, a short distance from its intersection with Route 9.
- **Bus**: 30 - North Amherst/ Old Belchertown Road: Rolling Green and Colonial Village Apts

**WHAT TO LOOK FOR**

- Turtles at Owen’s Pond
- The big views of Mount Holyoke Range and Pelham Hills
- The swimming hole below the bridge over Fort River

**YOU SHOULD KNOW**

- Open dawn to dusk, year round
- Please keep dogs on leash and pick up after your pet
- Respect adjacent private property by staying on the trail

**PARTNERS MAKE CONSERVATION POSSIBLE**

Kestrel Land Trust partners with towns to create, conserve, and care for public lands to help everyone connect with nature. The conservation lands here are owned by the Town and portions are monitored by Kestrel through a Conservation Restriction. For more information contact Kestrel or:

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