

## Trails East of Route 24

Trail #: 5000s-1  
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**Hike # and title** – 5000s – 1: East of Route 24

**Type and difficulty of trail** - loop - easy but long (could split into 2, 4-mile days)

**Distance** - Apprx 8 miles (I had more as I crossed the bridge to cover some of Ponkapoag ...recommended if you have the energy).

**Elevation** – 390 feet but all very gradual

**Parking and starting point** - Park in the Donovan school lot (123 Reed St. – Randolph). Walk up the street approximately 100 yards to enter trails. Alternate parking at High St. fields near Pasture Rd trail.

**Description** - This loop is designed to cover all the trails east of route 24 in one trip. Therefore it covers several miles and requires some retraces and loopbacks. Otherwise it should be covered in two separate trips. Main trails are relatively flat and wide. Side trails are decent single track. The trails are mostly wooded paths with no rock clamoring. Note- walking south down the pipeline I went halfway between 5421 & 5413 and back. Then after the Pasture Rd section and 5423 I walked the pipeline North until my prior stopping point then back down.

### MAP



