

TRAIL ASSESSMENT FORM

Doc. #	1017	Trail Name	Chestnut Run Path North	Trail Type:	Wide - M	Condition	Good
Route:		Unquity Road – 1203 – 1191 - 1175					
Recent Weather:		Warm - melting snow and ice – Snow cover on trail was 0-2 inches					
TRAIL LANDMARKS		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Trailhead is located at the fire gate on the west side of Unquity Road ¼ mile north of the Hillside Street / Unquity Road intersection. Trailhead is identified with a granite marker to the right of the fire gate labeled Chestnut Run Path. Sbd leaning into the trail slightly (2 feet) and should be cut back at 130 feet. Unnamed trail crosses at 314 feet to parking area. Wooden wb at .1 miles. L to R. Should be dug out and dt on right. Base Path and Breakneck ledge Path enter on left at intersection marker 1203 at .14 miles. Yellow triangular directional blazing begins at this point. Wooden wb at .2 miles. L to R. Dt on right not on left. Needs cleaning. Cv under road at .35. L to R. Rkw on left. 18' clay pipe. Cannot locate inlet well on left. No flow on right. Investigate inlet. (1) Unnamed path leaves on left at intersection marker 1191 at .45 miles. Connector to Base Path. Bn at .47 miles. Minor erosion in treadway downhill section at .5 miles. Trail is the low point. Recommend possible dt in treadway shoulder. (2) Wb crosses at .53 miles. Partially submerged. Needs cleaning and dt on right needs to be deeper as it is higher than treadway. Dt enters on left into dt in treadway shoulder at .59 miles. Requires cleaning. This solution could be used for note 2 above. Base Path enters on left at .59 miles. Unofficial marker on left labeled 1184 with arrow. Cv for stream at .6 miles. 42" clay. Rkw both sides. Well maintained. Chestnut Run Path ends with its intersection with the Border path at intersection marker 1175 at .62 miles. 					
MINOR PROBLEM AREAS		<p>(1) Cv under road at .35. L to R. Cannot locate inlet well on left. No flow on right. Investigate inlet.</p> <p>(2) Minor erosion in treadway downhill section at .5 miles. Trail is the low point. Recommend possible dt in treadway shoulder.</p>					
MAJOR PROBLEM AREAS		None Noted					
DISTANCES TO MAJOR INTERSECTIONS		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unquity Road Fire gate to intersection with Base Path and Breakneck Ledge Path at intersection marker 1203 - .14 miles. Unquity Road Fire gate to unnamed path at intersection marker 1191 - .45 miles. Unquity Road Fire gate to Base Path enters on left. - .59 miles. Unquity Road Fire gate to Chestnut Run Path end with its intersection with the Border path at intersection marker 1175. - .62 miles. 					
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Abbreviations:

Usage type: foot traffic only (H), multi-use (M)

waterbars (wb)	small blowdowns (sbd)
culverts(cv)	large blowdowns (lbd)
rolling dips (rd)	rock work (rkw)
bridges (br)	bridge building (bbd),
bog bridges (bb)	culvert replacement (cr)
rock stairs (rs)	trail relocation (tr),
cribbing (cb)	building new trail drainage (ntd)
retaining walls (rw)	brushing needed (bn)
ditches (dt)	excessive erosion (ee)
	leaning tree (lt)