

# TRAIL ASSESSMENT FORM

<b>Doc. #</b>	2028	<b>Trail Name</b>	Buck Hill Summit Trail	<b>Trail Type:</b>	M	<b>Condition</b>	Fair
<b>Route:</b>		Top of Buck Hill heading northeasterly down the hill to base at marker 2160, (junction with Headquarters Path)					
<b>Recent Weather:</b>		Cool and dry					
<b>TRAIL LANDMARKS</b>		Trailhead leaves the Skyline Trail from the western end of the summit of Buck Hill. It starts off as a narrow, single-track through scrub oak and blueberry – excellent views to the north and east – before entering the tree line. Trail bed is good to fair with a bit of loose rock. (1) 156 ft. More loose rock. Erosion becomes moderate 470 ft. Trail widens here and erosion becomes worse 0.13 m. possible sunken nf rwb. Trail bed is up to 2' below grade from the surrounding area – considerable erosion (2) 0.15 m. trail narrows a bit here. 0.25 m. severe erosion evident. Trail bed is at least 3' below grade here 0.30 m. approaching base of hill, trail widens. Much less erosion 0.39 m. trail ends at Headquarters Path, marker 2160.					
<b>MINOR PROBLEM AREAS</b>		(1) Minor bn rear summit					
<b>MAJOR PROBLEM AREAS</b>		(2) Should consider installing a minimum of 5 grade reversals between the 470 foot mark and the 0.28 mile mark.					
<b>DISTANCES TO MAJOR INTERSECTIONS</b>		0.39 m. trail ends at Headquarters Path, marker 2160.					
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## Abbreviations:

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

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