

TRAIL ASSESSMENT FORM

Doc. #	4004	Trail Name	Headquarters Trail North - Headquarters Path to 4048	Trail Type:	Wide - M	Condition	Poor
Route:		Headquarters Path – 4048					
Recent Weather:		Rainy yesterday – 0-1” snow and ice on trail					
TRAIL LANDMARKS		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trailhead is located on the north side of Headquarters Path .1 miles from the fire gate and granite marker labeled Headquarters Path. This trail is noted on the old FBH maps however is not shown on the current DCR maps. FBH map intersection marker 4002 is missing from this trailhead. (1) Trailhead access is by way of Headquarters Path located on the north side Chickatawbut Road, approximately 300 feet NE of the Route 28/Chickatawbut Road DCR parking lot. • Unnamed path leaves on left at .01 mile into signed private property. Signage on Headquarters Path identifies this as a horse trail. • Pipe enters treadway in front of rkw wb at .04 miles. Treadway needs dt for outflow from this pipe and rkw wb needs cleaning and dt off treadway. • Bn from .05 through .06 miles. Downed limbs and dt on right needs cleaning. • Sbd across treadway at .07 miles. Can be dragged of treadway w/ 2 people. • Cv under treadway at .08 miles. R to L. Severely impacted. Needs to be dug out. • Unnamed Path exits on the right at .09 miles. • Bn at .11 miles • Unnamed path leaves on the right at .14 miles. • Lbd crossed treadway at .15 miles. 14” dia. chainsaw. • Bn at .17 miles. • Cv under treadway at .18 miles. Rkw on L. 10” steel corrugated pipe 1/3 full on right. Exits on left into dt. Clean. • Cv under treadway at .22 miles. Clay pipe. Clean dt both sides. • Bn and bd to be cut back at .23 miles. Bow saw. • Runoff crosses treadway at .24 miles as small streambed with rkw. • Large cement drainage structure to left of treadway at .26 miles with large dt paralleling treadway at reservation boundary. • Treadway exits woods onto Headquarters Path at .3 miles with Bn and downed limbs needing removal. • Treadway reenters the woods onto the Headquarters Trail at .34 miles. There is a fire gate to the left of the treadway into a residential neighborhood. • Unnamed Path crosses the treadway at .44 miles. Wwb, R to L controlling runoff. • Rkw wb crosses treadway at .47 miles as Pasture Run Path enters on right. • Sbd at .52 miles. Bow saw. • Unnamed path leaves on left at .56 miles at a triangular rkw island. UNP leads into residential neighborhood. 					

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cv under treadway at .58 miles. Rkw on both sides. ½ full w/clay pipe. Clean dt and bn.• Streambed crosses treadway at .6 miles at Rd.• Headquarters Trail ends with its intersection with Sassaman Trail and Headquarters Path at intersection marker 4048 at .62 miles.		
MINOR PROBLEM AREAS	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. FBH map intersection marker 4002 is missing from this trailhead.2. FBH map intersection marker 4003 is missing. <p>Comment – Condition of this trail indicates that it is rarely used and has not undergone any significant maintenance for several years. Majority of the culverts are not functioning properly causing erosion issues. My feeling is that this trail be given immediate attention as it abuts a residential area providing access to the reservation.</p>		
MAJOR PROBLEM AREAS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• None noted		
DISTANCES TO MAJOR INTERSECTIONS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Headquarters Path to intersection marker 4048 - .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)