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Skagit County

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You can find additional maps for individual trails and neighborhood walks at the Skagit County Healthy Communities Web site, [www.beactiveskagit.org](http://www.beactiveskagit.org).

- ### Trail Etiquette
- A few simple rules of trail courtesy can enhance everyone's experience:
- Be considerate and aware of your impact on the trail and other trail users.
  - Park in designated lots or parking areas near trailheads or trail access points.
  - Watch out for other trail users. Allow bicyclists and skaters to pass. If the trail is crowded, stay to the right and form a single line if walking with a friend or group.
  - Minimize trail erosion by staying on the designated trail. Respect the rights of privacy of adjacent property owners.
  - Use nearby toilet facilities.



- ### Rules of the Trail
- Observe trail closure signs, posted rules, and hours.
  - Observe posted dog and domestic animal rules and clean up after your pet(s).
  - Use available trash bins or pack out litter.
  - Do not damage or remove vegetation.

- ### Safety Tips for Enjoyable Walks
- Walk against traffic on roads with no sidewalks.
  - Use crosswalks when available. Watch out for turning vehicles. Look in all directions before crossing at an intersection, and obey traffic signs and signals.
  - Carry identification that includes your name, phone number, and pertinent medical information. Carry a cell phone if you have one.
  - Stay alert and be observant of your surroundings. If you wear headphones, keep the sound low so you can hear what is going on around you.
  - Walk with a partner for fun, friendship, and safety.



### TRAIL MAP LEGEND

	Trail Locations		City Park
	Pacific Northwest Trail		County Park
	Ferry Routes		State Park
			Information
			Hospital

### ADDITIONAL TRAIL INFORMATION AND RESOURCES:

There are hundreds of other trails to walk and hike in Skagit County outside the urban areas. Find information about these trails in hiking books, on maps, from various government agencies, and on the Internet. Parking permits may be required at some locations. Here are a few good options for well-maintained and easy to use trails in Skagit County:

- **Deception Pass State Park at Rosario Head and Bowman Bay:** This large park has several miles of scenic trails from flat to moderate terrain. Contact at 360-675-2417 or [www.parks.wa.gov/alpha.asp](http://www.parks.wa.gov/alpha.asp)
- **Pacific Northwest Trail Association (PNT):** Part of this diverse 1200 mile hiking and walking trail crosses Skagit County on roads and other trails. Contact at 877-854-9415 or [www.pnt.org/](http://www.pnt.org/)
- **Wiley Slough - Skagit Wildlife Area:** The land around Wiley Slough includes a few miles of easy trails to walk. This area is also used for hunting, bird watching, and boat launching. Contact Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife, Skagit Headquarters, 360-445-4441 or [www.wdfw.wa.gov/lands/wildlife\\_areas/skagit](http://www.wdfw.wa.gov/lands/wildlife_areas/skagit)
- **National Forest and National Park trails in this area** Mount Baker Snoqualmie National Forest, Mount Baker Ranger District, 360-856-5700, [www.fs.fed.us/r6/mbs/](http://www.fs.fed.us/r6/mbs/) or North Cascades National Park 360-854-7200 or <http://www.nps.gov/noca/>

## Skagit County WALKING TRAIL GUIDE

### TRAIL DESCRIPTION LEGEND

	Wheelchair Accessible		Restrooms		Playground
	Picnic		Parking		

**1 WASHINGTON PARK**  
*"Scenic Loop Road" - Anacortes Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy to moderate  
**Length:** 2.3 mile loop  
**Location:** West end of Sunset Avenue (within Washington Park, near Sunset Beach)  
**Description:** There are numerous walking and hiking trails in the park. The most popular walking trail is the Scenic Loop Road. This single lane road is closed to traffic until 10 a.m. each morning. The trail winds through forested areas with views of Rosario Straits, the San Juan Islands, Puget Sound, Burrows Channel, South Sound, Fidalgo Island and Mt. Erie.

**2 SHIP HARBOR INTERPRETIVE TRAIL**  
*Anacortes Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** Approximately .5 miles out and back  
**Location:** From Commercial Avenue (Highway 20 spur) follow 12th/Oakes Avenue; turn right at Ship Harbor Blvd. The trail begins at cul de sac.  
**Description:** A gravel trail into the Ship Harbor Interpretive Preserve. Four viewing platforms with educational signage help visitors understand the history of the site as well as local flora and fauna.

**3 GUEMES CHANNEL TRAIL**  
*Anacortes Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** 1 mile out and back  
**Location:** From Commercial Avenue (Highway 20 spur) follow 12th/Oakes Avenue; turn right at Ship Harbor Blvd. The trail begins at cul de sac.  
**Description:** Paved trail along the Guemes Channel with views of the San Juan Islands to the north and west. Trail heads approximately .5 miles east along the shoreline.

**4 SMILEY'S BOTTOM**  
*Anacortes School District*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** 1 mile  
**Location:** West of Anacortes High School. Accessed at 17th Street parking lot or Volunteer Park off 12th Street.  
**Description:** This former bog now holds a mixture of sports fields and wetland habitat. There is plenty to explore as you walk around the entire basin. Head behind the baseball outfield walls to get to the wild side. The trail follows the shore of the largest pond and then becomes a mowed

pathway between deciduous forest and grassy meadow. In the winter the trail gets wet below the hillside on the south end. Look for ducks, herons, muskrat, and red winged blackbirds. Restrooms are available at Volunteer Park.

**5 ROTARY PARK**  
*Anacortes Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** .25 mile  
**Location:** Close to the east end of 6th Street take a left towards Cap Sante Marina  
**Description:** A walk along this paved trail provides views of Anacortes, the San Juan Islands, and several mountain peaks of the North Cascades. The trail starts at Cap Sante Marina and ends at a gazebo and picnic area.

**6 TOMMY THOMPSON**  
*Anacortes Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** 3.3 miles  
**Location:** Q and R Avenues, between 22nd and 11th Streets.  
**Description:** 12-foot wide asphalt pathway extends from 4th Street to 34th and continues out to March Point over Fidalgo Bay on abandoned railroad trestle. The trail has a parking lot and restroom facility on 22nd Street, as well as parking lots at the Fidalgo Bay Resort and at the trail's intersection with 30th Street. Along the trail there are benches, and a lookout point with picnic tables.

**7 ANACORTES COMMUNITY FOREST LANDS**  
*Anacortes Parks & Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy to moderate and difficult  
**Length:** Fifty miles of trails  
**Location:** Anacortes  
**Description:** A network of easy to moderate trails located on 2800 acres of diverse terrain in the Anacortes Community Forest Lands. The acreage includes Heart Lake, Whistle Lake, Little Cranberry Lake, and the Mt. Erie/Sugarloaf area. The trails meander under the canopy of native vegetation, some of which lead to distant view lookouts. Detailed maps may be obtained from the Anacortes Parks and Recreation Department. Restrooms are available at Whistle Lake (intersection of Trail 20 and 21), and at the Heart Lake parking lot.

**8 SHARPE PARK/MONTGOMERY DUBAN HEADLANDS**  
*Skagit County Parks & Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy to difficult  
**Length:** 4 miles  
**Location:** Accessed off Rosario Road, south of Anacortes.  
**Description:** A 112-acre nature preserve with almost 3000 feet of shoreline, an extensive freshwater beaver pond and a walking trail to a breathtaking view of Rosario Strait, the Olympic Mountains, and San Juan Islands.

**9 PASS LAKE**

**Degree of difficulty:** Moderate  
**Length:** 2-mile loop  
**Location:** Park at Pass Lake in the Deception Pass area, at intersection of Highway 20 and Rosario Road. Trail begins on north side of parking lot.  
**Description:** Loop trail. Lakeshore portion follows the contour of the shoreline about a hundred yards in from the lake on the lake's northern shore then leaves the shore and heads left at the fork and loops back around to the start further up the hill.

**10 PIONEER PARK TRAILS**  
*Town of La Conner*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy to moderate  
**Length:** 2,285 lineal feet  
**Location:** Pioneer Park is located at the bridge crossing from La Conner to the Swinomish Tribal Community. Pioneer Parkway divides the park into northern and southern sections. The main park entrance is into the southern section. The trails may also be accessed beneath the bridge.  
**Description:** Louisa Ann Conner, the town's namesake, donated 12-acre Pioneer Park to the town of La Conner. Public access and park amenities are mostly located in the southern section. Trails are mostly in the northern section with vistas of the Swinomish Channel and westerly views of farmlands and Mount Baker. Proximity to picturesque La Conner makes it easy to combine a walk in the park with an extended stroll through town or a walk to the Rainbow Bridge.

**11 PADILLA BAY UPLAND TRAIL**  
*Padilla Bay Reserve*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** .8 mile  
**Location:** 10441 Bayview-Edison Road. Departs from Breazeale Interpretive Center parking lot. Pick up trail guide in the Center at front desk.  
**Description:** Winding stroll in the Padilla Bay upland area through meadow and forest habitat you will see views of Mt. Erie, Padilla Bay, and eastern San Juan Islands. The first half of the trail is paved for wheelchair accessibility; the rest is composed of gravel.

**12 PADILLA BAY SHORE TRAIL**  
*Skagit County Parks & Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** 4.2 miles  
**Location:** Accessed from Bayview-Edison Road  
**Description:** An easy out and back trip along the Padilla Bay shoreline with views of the Cascade and Olympic mountain ranges and a biologically significant Puget Sound estuary. Padilla Bay hosts one of the largest wintering populations of peregrine falcons. Limited parking is available at the southern trailhead. There is ample parking available at the parking lot off Second Street, just north of the trailhead.

**13 PORT OF SKAGIT NATURE TRAILS**  
*Port of Skagit*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** 10.22 miles  
**Location:** The Port of Skagit Nature Trails travel through the Bayview Business Park and Skagit Regional Airport. Parking is available at the Ovensell Road and Higgins Airport Way, Josh Wilson Road and Higgins Airport Way, or at the Port Administration Building at 15400 Airport Drive.  
**Description:** The Port's trails are a gravel network of trails open to bicycles, pedestrians and pets on leash. They wind through forests, along roadways and around wetlands.

**14 POMONA GRANGE PARK**  
*Skagit County Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** Two separate trails, each trail is .25 miles long.  
**Location:** Pomona Grange Park is about 2 miles north of Cook Road on Old Hwy 99. The park is on the east side of the road and well marked.  
**Description:** This is an interpretive trail. Salmon can be seen spawning during the fall months. The ADA accessible portable toilet is available year round at this park.

**15 ALLEN PLAYFIELD**  
*Skagit County Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** .75 miles  
**Location:** Off Chuckanut Drive in the 9300 block. Parking is available on Chuckanut Drive and off Allen West Road just north of the Chuckanut Drive lot.  
**Description:** There is no formal walking trail at this location; walkers encircle the large grass athletic field complex. This is a great off-street option. \*Portable toilet is seasonal (April-November) and ADA accessible.

**16 BURLINGTON-EDISON SCHOOL DISTRICT REGIONAL PLAYFIELDS**  
*Burlington Edison School District*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** .75 miles  
**Location:** 601 North Burlington Boulevard, north of Burlington-Edison High School.  
**Description:** This trail loop around a ball field complex provides a place for walking or jogging and consists of sawdust over rock. No animals, drugs, alcohol, or smoking allowed. Restrooms are available during daylight hours. The trail is not ADA compliant; however there is a ramp and paved access to the picnic area and playground.

**17 HIGHWAY 20 TRAIL**  
*Burlington Parks and Recreation/ Skagit County Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** 1.7 miles (.8 paved)  
**Location:** West end is located at Lions Club Park, off Highway 20 at Anacortes Street.  
**Description:** Asphalt paved trail from Regent Street to Gardner Road becomes a compact gravel trail as it travels east to District Line Road in a tree-lined parkway between Highway 20 and Burlington Northern railroad tracks.

**18 MOUNT VERNON**  
*Skagit County Parks and Recreation*

- ### Trail Contact Information
- Breazeale Padilla Bay Interpretive Center**  
360-428-1558, [www.padillabay.gov](http://www.padillabay.gov)  
**Burlington-Edison School District**  
360-757-3387  
**City of Anacortes Parks and Recreation**  
360-293-1918, [www.cityofanacortes.org](http://www.cityofanacortes.org)  
**City of Burlington Parks and Recreation**  
360-755-9649, [www.ci.burlington.wa.us](http://www.ci.burlington.wa.us)  
**City of Mount Vernon Parks and Recreation**  
360-336-6213, [www.mountvernonwa.gov](http://www.mountvernonwa.gov)  
**City of Sedro-Woolley Parks and Recreation**  
360-855-1661, [www.ci.sedro-woolley.wa.us](http://www.ci.sedro-woolley.wa.us)  
**Department of Natural Resources**  
360-856-3500, [www.dnr.wa.gov](http://www.dnr.wa.gov)  
**La Conner Town Hall and Facility Information**  
360-466-3125, [www.townoflaconner.org](http://www.townoflaconner.org)  
**Pacific Northwest Trail Association**  
360-854-9415, [www.pnt.org](http://www.pnt.org)  
**Port of Skagit County**  
360-757-0011, [www.portofskagit.com](http://www.portofskagit.com)  
**Skagit County Parks and Recreation**  
360-336-9414, [www.skagitcounty.net](http://www.skagitcounty.net)  
**Skagit County Healthy Communities**  
360-814-2331, [www.beactiveskagit.org](http://www.beactiveskagit.org)  
**Skagit Land Trust**  
360-428-7878, [www.skagitlandtrust.org](http://www.skagitlandtrust.org)  
**WA State Parks Information Center**  
360-755-9231, [www.parks.wa.gov](http://www.parks.wa.gov)

**18 ROTARY PARK**  
*Burlington Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** .5 miles  
**Location:** 851 South Section Street, south off Rio Vista Avenue.  
**Description:** Encircling the athletic complex, this flat soft wood chip surface provides an easy walk with views of the park and residential Burlington.

**19 BURLINGTON DIKE TRAIL**  
*Burlington Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** 1.5 mile  
**Location:** Accessible from Skagit River Park/Playfields or at the dike on the north end of Whitmarsh soccer fields. Parking is available at the park or in front of the soccer fields. There is also limited parking at the boat launch, which is locked from dusk to dawn.  
**Description:** This 1.5 mile stretch of scenic dike trail travels along the Skagit River from Whitmarsh Field train trestle at the southern end to the Roger "Gus" Tjeerdsma Boat Launch.



**20 WALNUT POND TRAIL**  
*Burlington Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Distance:** 1/8 mile  
**Location:** Entrance is on southeast corner of the parking lot behind K-Mart off Burlington Boulevard or from the west side of the south end of Walnut Street before the road intersects with Port Drive.  
**Description:** A wood chip trail that circles Walnut Pond.

**21 SKAGIT COUNTY PLAYFIELDS TRAIL**  
*Skagit County Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** 1.5 miles  
**Location:** Access from Skagit Valley College, 2405 East College Way (at rear of campus) or from 2700 Martin Road.  
**Description:** Part of this 25-acre complex provides a fitness trail used for walking and jogging. This trail makes a loop around the perimeter of the athletic field complex and college campus. Several cross trails are available for shorter loops.

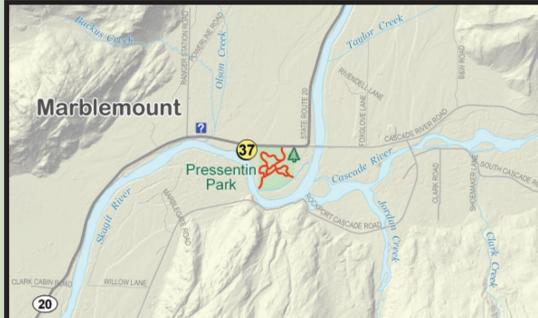
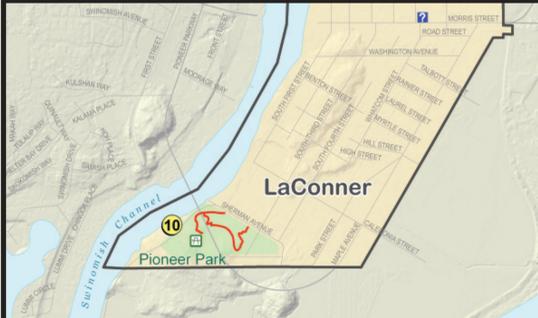
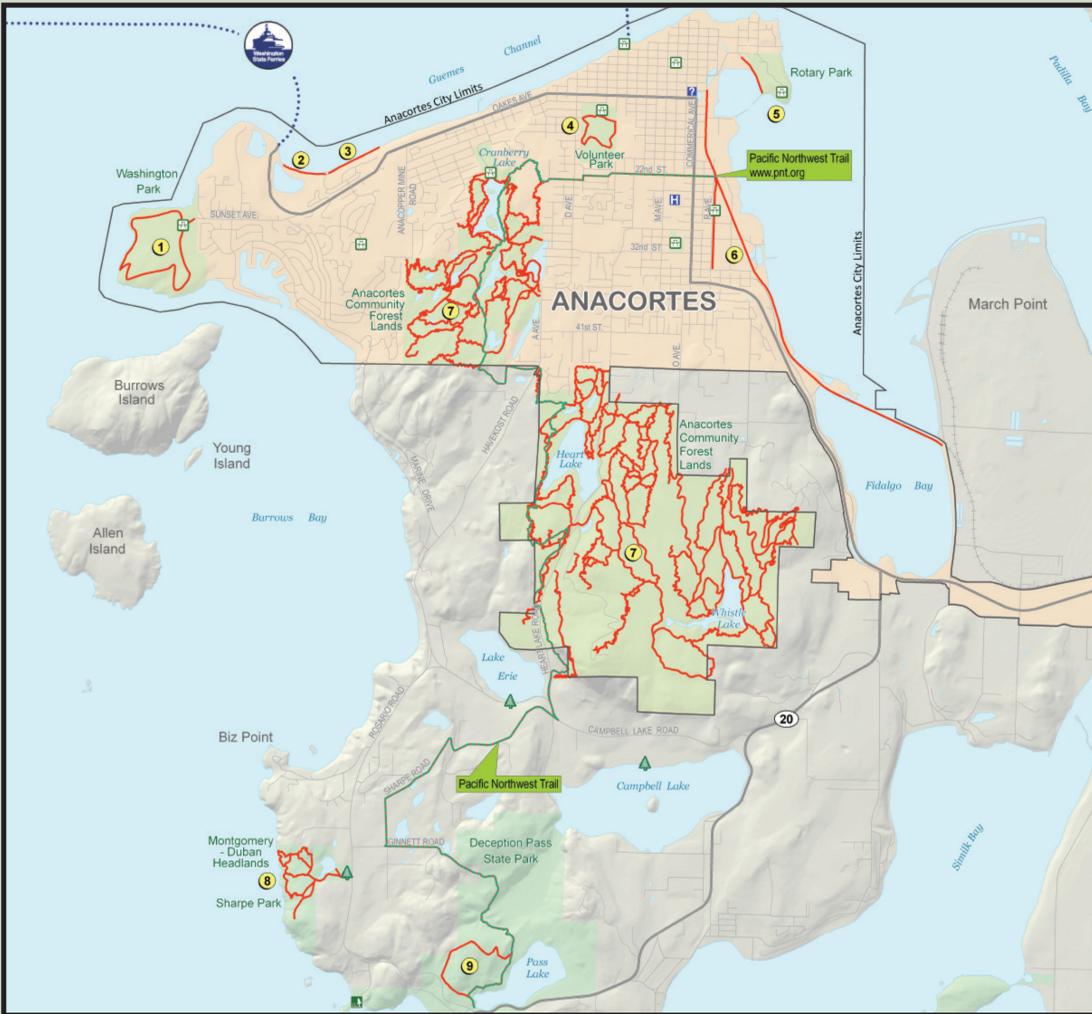


**22 EDGEWATER PARK**  
*Mount Vernon Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** .25 miles  
**Location:** Edgewater Park in west Mount Vernon  
**Description:** A series of paved and unpaved areas along the Skagit River in Edgewater Park. Trail passes by artwork and playground. Walking along the perimeter of the grassy fields can create a longer walk.

**23 SKAGIT RIVERWALK**  
*Mount Vernon Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** .5 miles  
**Location:** Along the river, west of Main Street from the Moose Lodge to the bridge. Then travel carefully beneath the west Mount Vernon Bridge, where you pick up the new section of the trail and connect with Lions Park and Kulshan Trail.  
**Description:** The Skagit Riverwalk overlooks the Skagit River. Parking is available at both ends.



**24 KULSHAN TRAIL**  
*Mount Vernon Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** Approximately 2.5 miles  
**Location:** The Kulshan Trail corridor extends from the downtown Mount Vernon Skagit Riverwalk and Lion's Park easterly past Bakerview Park to Waugh Road.  
**Description:** A multi-use paved trail that connects Mount Vernon's downtown area with commercial and residential areas to the east. This trail passes by several schools, salmon-rearing ponds, natural areas, a community garden and the Bakerview Park complex. Bicycle commuters, walkers, joggers, and skaters enjoy this shared-use trail. At 30th Street users can continue straight or take the wide sidewalk/asphalt pathway around the perimeter of Bakerview Park, then turn into the park at the gate and proceed through the soccer center parking area to pick up the trail on the east side of the Skate Park where it travels through a restored wetlands area.



**25 HILLCREST PARK**  
*Mount Vernon Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Moderate  
**Length:** .25 mile loop  
**Location:** Hillcrest Park is located at: 1717 South 13th Street. Park in the parking lot and go southwest from the lot to locate the trail.  
**Description:** A nice stroll through the wooded area of lower Hillcrest Park. This is a great off-street option.

**26 KIWANIS PARK BOARDWALK**  
*Mount Vernon Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** Approximately 2 miles  
**Location:** Kiwanis Park on 18th Street  
**Description:** The raised boardwalk travels through park wetlands connecting Broadway to 20th street. The trail is ADA compliant.

**27 TRUMPETER TRAIL**  
*Mount Vernon Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** Approximately 1.1 miles  
**Location:** North of Division Street, or north and south side of Section Street.  
**Description:** The north section of Trumpeter Trail travels from the corner of Division and 25th Street on a paved trail through a wetland to LaVenture Road. For the central and south sections of trail start at Division and 25th Street, cross Division and walk east on the wide sidewalk to the trailhead. Head south, enjoying this narrow greenway, cross Section Street and continue to 27th Street.

**28 MADDOX CREEK TRAILS**  
*Mount Vernon Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Moderate  
**Length:** .75 miles  
**Location:** Maddox Creek Road  
**Description:** A series of paved and gravel pathways through the woods and hills of the Maddox Creek neighborhood. A new addition is the Maddox Creek Canyon



**29 EAGLEMONT TRAILS**  
*Mount Vernon Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Moderate  
**Length:** About .8 miles one way  
**Location:** Eaglemont Development off South Waugh Road. It is best to park in the Eaglemont Golf Course parking lot as direct trail access is in a no-parking zone.  
**Description:** This loop starts from the parking lot and travels to a wooded trail on sidewalks. From the parking lot go north to Landmark Drive, turn left on Alpine View Drive and continue to New Woods Place. In the cul-de-sac you will find the trailhead behind the "No Parking" sign. The gravel pathway, which includes a steep slope, passes by wetlands and beaver ponds. After you pass the retention pond turn right, cross Beaver Pond Drive and go to left on sidewalk for .3 miles. A gravel walkway branches off to the right and proceeds .2 miles through the woods up the hill to Parkview Drive. Turn right on Park View Drive and follow the sidewalk .1 miles down the hill. Continue by sidewalk up the hill on Beaver Pond Drive North, turning right on Eaglemont Drive and the parking lot. Another option when you return to Beaver Pond Drive North is to go back on the original section of trail for an out and back loop. For additional walking loops that feature Eaglemont Trail and the surrounding neighborhoods visit [www.beactiveskagit.org](http://www.beactiveskagit.org).



**30 LITTLE MOUNTAIN PARK TRAILS**  
*Mount Vernon Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy to moderate and difficult  
**Length:** Mileage total of all trails 7.33 plus the paved road is 1.5 miles  
**Location:** Little Mountain Park  
**Description:** A network of trails located on 517 acres of diverse terrain in Little Mountain Park. Little Mountain Park offers views of western Skagit Valley, Puget Sound, and the Olympic Mountains. Multi-use and hiker-only trailheads can be accessed off Hickox Road in south Mount Vernon or from Little Mountain Park. If starting from Hickox Road there is limited parking on the private road just west of the trailhead. Little Mountain Park is off Little Mountain Road about .2 miles from Blackburn Road. Restroom is located off the upper parking lot.



**31 CENTENNIAL TRAIL**  
*Skagit County Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** 1.25 miles  
**Location:** Off Highway 9 at south end of Lake McMurray  
**Description:** 1.25-miles round trip. The trail bisects a wetland and connects to the Snohomish portion of the Centennial trail while providing wildlife viewing opportunities.

**32 FRUITDALE/ MCGARIGLE ROAD PATH**  
*City of Sedro-Woolley*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** 1.2 miles  
**Location:** The trail runs along Fruitdale Road from State Route 20 to McGarigle Road, then west on McGarigle to State Route 9.  
**Description:** 10-foot wide paved multi-use path in the northeast region of the city runs past the Northern State Recreation Area grounds and offers scenic views including Haystack Mountain and Lyman Hill. The trail connects to the Cascade Trail at the intersection of Highway 20 and Fruitdale Road, and also connects to the Northern State Recreation Area Trail at the intersection of McGarigle and Fruitdale Roads. Parking is available on State Route 20 at the SW corner of the intersection at Fruitdale Road.

**33 NORTHERN STATE RECREATION AREA TRAIL**  
*Skagit County Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** 6 miles  
**Location:** North of State Route 20 on Helmick Road, just east of Sedro Woolley.  
**Description:** This trail meanders over what was once the Northern State Hospital farm. The trail wanders through a historical farm, along Hansen Creek, and atop upland meadows. The trail will take you to the heart of prime elk habitat and you'll find signs of coyote, deer, and occasionally cougar and bear. Bring a flying disc and play the disc golf course while you wander the trails. Several new berm trails bisect the Hanson Creek alluvial fan on the south end of the park. Birding is superb in these wetlands.

**34 CASCADE TRAIL**  
*Skagit County Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** 22 miles  
**Location:** Sedro Woolley to Concrete  
**Description:** The Cascade Trail is a banked railway that has been developed into a 22-mile multi-use (pedestrian, cycling, and equestrian) gravel trail linking Sedro Woolley to Concrete. The trail meanders through towns and agricultural lands along the way.



**35 CUMBERLAND CREEK INTERPRETIVE TRAIL**  
*Skagit Land Trust*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** 2.5 miles  
**Location:** From the South Skagit Highway Park & Ride off Route 9, between Clear Lake and Sedro-Woolley, take the South Skagit Highway 12 miles east. Turn left into the driveway marked #34183 and take the left fork (do not block private driveway on the right). Park on side of driveway in front of the (locked) gate and walk in.  
**Description:** Explore the Skagit Land Trust's Cumberland Creek Conservation Area via a network of interpretive trails. Experience the diverse deciduous 195-acre forest in the Skagit River floodplain, which protects vital salmon-spawning habitat and is home to many amphibians and birds. Visit the Skagit Land Trust Web site (<http://www.skagitlandtrust.org/properties/cumberland-creek.aspx>) to download a brochure that corresponds to numbered posts for the interpretive trail.

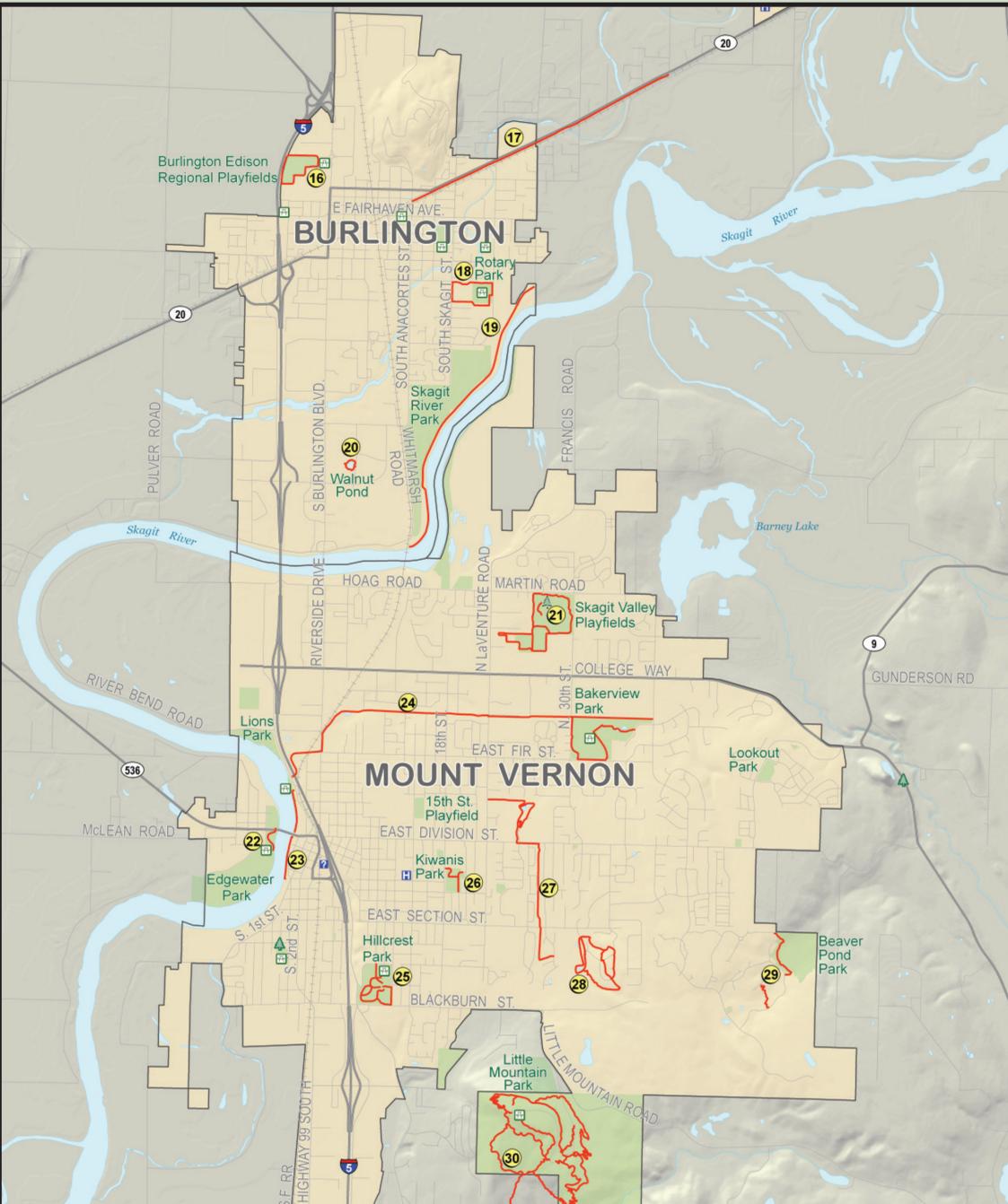
**36 HOWARD MILLER STEELHEAD PARK TRAIL**  
*Skagit County Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** 4 miles  
**Location:** Howard Miller State Park, Highway 20  
**Description:** The 8-miles roundtrip trail meanders along the north side of the Skagit River and begins on the west end of the park. Watch the eagles swoop down to talon chum salmon on the sand bars on Washington State's second largest river. The "fly bars" along this section of the river are well known amongst the local fly fishermen.



**37 PRESENTIN TRAILS**  
*Skagit County Parks and Recreation*

**Degree of difficulty:** Easy  
**Length:** 1 mile  
**Location:** Highway 20 in Marblemount  
**Description:** Great birding trails twisting along open meadows and dense forested groves of trees. Views of the Skagit River and connecting sloughs. If you are lucky, you may even spot a black bear.



*Discover the wonderful trails and walking opportunities Skagit County has to offer.*



This map is intended to familiarize walkers with the many great walking and trail opportunities in Skagit County and to provide basic information for users to locate and use them.

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- If you want more trails for exercise and non-motorized transportation in your community.
- If you like to use certain walking trails, consider improvements or make a financial contribution.
- If you are planning a trip that manages to see you and other daily activities.
- Integrate fun, exercise, and trails into your errands and other daily activities.

*Take the Next Step*