

About This Property

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hall of Cambridge enjoyed some 30 years of walking and horseback riding at Henry's Hill before giving it to SVT in 1983 so that it would be conserved for others to enjoy.

In June 2018, SVT and the City of Framingham protected the adjacent Wayside Forest, a 52-acre wooded gem.

The land on the east side of Wayside Inn Road was given by Dr. Robert Gross in 1975 and was later enlarged by the addition of a private conservation restriction (CR). A CR prevents the land from ever being further developed.

Features of Note

- The Bay Circuit Trail (BCT) traverses the property; the BCT stretches 200 miles through eastern Massachusetts, from Plum Island on the North Shore to Kingston on the South Shore. The BCT links Henry's Hill with SVT's Baiting Brook-Welch Reservation to the southwest and with the Nobscot Scout Reservation CR to the northeast.
- The trail on the west side of Wayside Inn Road loops through the woods and over the meadow on Henry's Hill.
- The bird boxes in the open meadow are used by tree swallows and eastern bluebirds. Bird boxes like these mimic cavities in dead standing trees, the natural choice for these species.
- Two trails cross Wayside Inn Road. The northern option passes through and then skirts the edge of a CR before starting to climb to a connector with the City of Framingham's Wittenborg Woods.
- If you approach Wittenborg Woods from SVT land when the leaves are off the trees, the view out to the west will remind you that you're high on a hillside.

Learn more:

www.svtweb.org/HenrysHill

Trail Policies and Regulations

These policies apply to SVT properties on the map. Properties owned by other entities have their own posted policies.

The following are prohibited:

- Motorized vehicles
- Hunting without a permit
- Trapping
- Camping
- Bicycling
- Fires
- Disposing of trash or yard waste
- Cutting or removing plants



Dog walkers:

- Pick up and dispose of dog waste.
- Keep dogs on trails.
- Keep dogs out of ponds/streams/vernal pools.
- Put dogs on a leash when other hikers approach.

See our full dog-walking policy on the trail head kiosk.

Directions

With mapping software, search for this address:
14 Wayside Inn Road, Framingham, MA

From the intersection of Edgell Road, Edmands Road, and Water Road in Framingham, go west on Edmands Road for 1.7 miles. Turn right onto Wayside Inn Road. Go 0.1 mile. The SVT sign for Henry's Hill is on the left. Park on the left side of the road. Access to Gross Tract is across the street.

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Henry's Hill and Wayside Forest Trail Map



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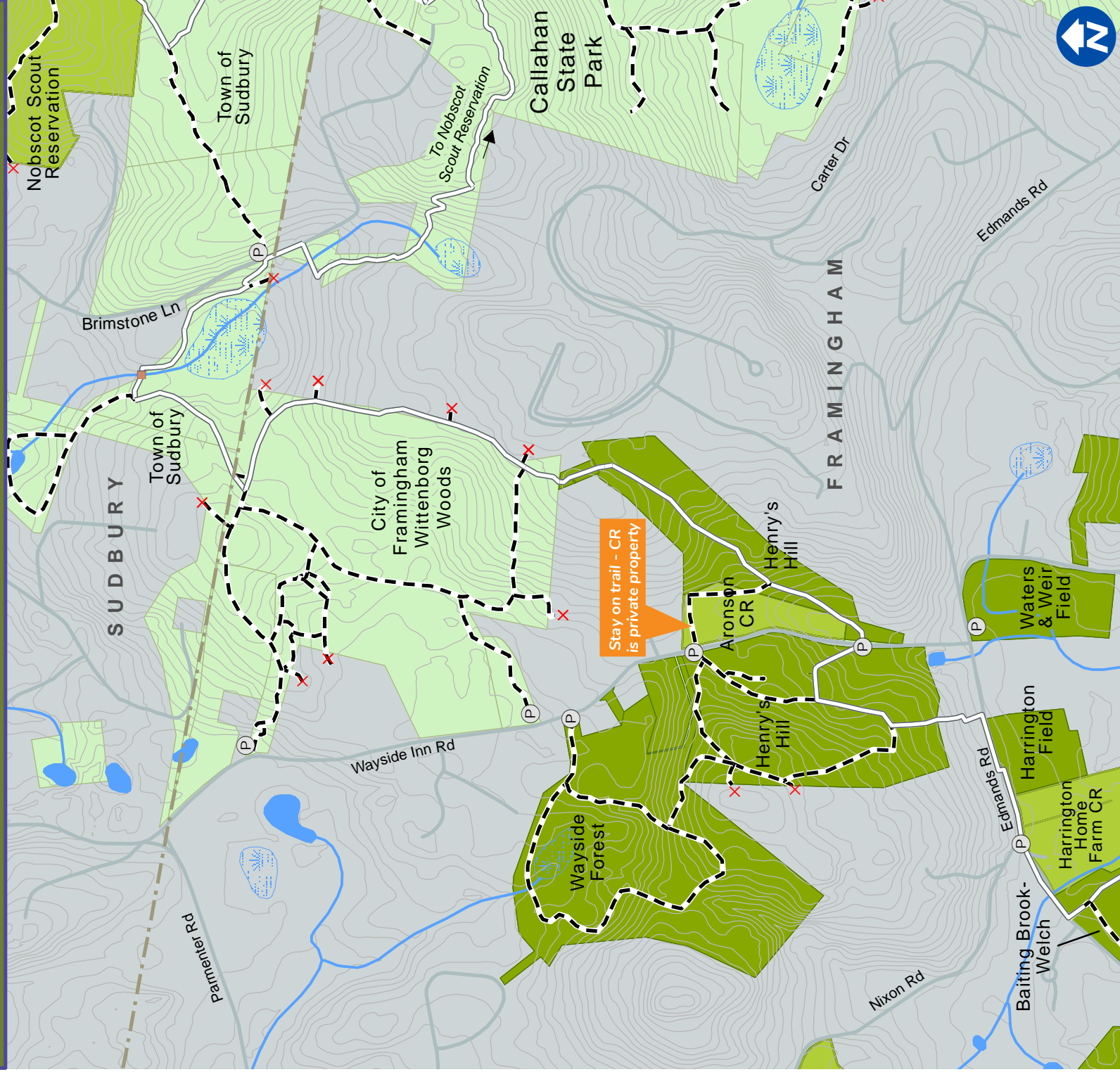
This map includes trails that cross properties owned and maintained by private individuals, the City of Framingham, the Town of Sudbury, the Department of Conservation and Recreation, and the Nobscot Scout Reservation.



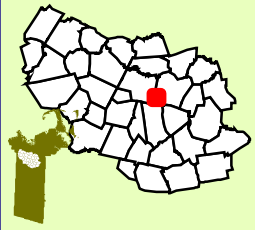
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How to
Get Here



- Parking
- Trail
- Water Body
- Road
- SVT CR
- SVT
- Other Owner
- Bridge
- Private
- Wetland
- BCT

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