

Township Bicycle Paths: The 1-mile **Mansfield Bike Path** is a well-defined woods road that crosses two streams and serves as part of the Highlands Trail. It connects Byram's town hall and schools with the East Brookwood neighborhood and with Sparta-Stanhope Road, near Lenape High School. Hikers can connect with the Mansfield Woods Trail and trails in the municipalities of Hopatcong and Stanhope, via the Tri-Community Trails Link at the old Cutoff rail overpass next to Sparta-Stanhope Road. The 1.2-mile **Jefferson-Glen Bike Path** travels through the woods within Allamuchy Mt. State Park. It connects the Hi Glen neighborhood with Jefferson Lake and Sussex Branch Trail and links with a short walking path leading to a local restaurant, the Salt Gastropub on Route 206.

Allamuchy Mountain State Park Trails: The many miles of trails are easily accessed from Sussex Branch Trail and off Waterloo Road across from Waterloo Village. The terrain is typically fairly rugged and the trails are multi-use, including bicycles, horses, and hunters at various times of the year. The Park is a very large area, occupying roughly a third of Byram and crossing over into Allamuchy and Green Townships. Only the major formal trails are shown on this map. The Highlands Trail crosses through the Park. For more detailed trail maps visit www.state.nj.us/dep/parksandforests/parks/allamuch.html.

Briar Ridge Trails: These 1.5-mile and 1-mile trails are in Briar Ridge Park, on both sides of Andover-Mohawk Road. The northernmost trail ascends to a scenic vista over Lake Mohawk and descends to Whippoorwill Road, but access is off Andover-Mohawk Road. The southernmost trail is less steep, with a loop at the top near a wetlands and another large wetlands beside the trail head on Andover-Mohawk Road.

Brookwood Park Trail: A 0.3-mile easy loop trail between Brookwood Road and Lubbers Run, where benches and a picnic table provide a place for sitting and fishing.

Cat Swamp Connector: An easy to moderate 0.2 mile walking/jogging trail from the Salt Gastropub on Route 206 to the Highlands Trail within Allamuchy Mt. State Park; open woods and nearby wetlands. Cat Swamp Hill is the historic name of the uphill section of Route 206 that starts at the restaurant.

C.O. Johnson Park Paths: Walking and jogging paths within Byram's largest recreational facility. Mostly asphalt; a few short hills; the paths wind around the ballfields and roadways of the park.

Cranberry Overlook Trail: This 0.5-mile main trail (with two shorter spur trails to official parking on C.O. Drive) climbs to a scenic overlook with views of Cranberry Lake and the Delaware Water Gap.

Glenside Woods Trail: A moderate 1-mile circular trail that wanders through open woods, past wetlands, over a small stream, and through rocky outcrops. Accessed via Ranger Trail (a neighborhood road off Lee Hill Road).

Highlands Trail: This trail has been re-routed and now enters Byram from Hopatcong, at Sparta-Stanhope Road. It follows the Mansfield Bike Trail, then follows Lackawanna Drive, Route 206, and Hi Glen Drive to the Jefferson-Glen Bike Trail, which it shares briefly before taking a steeper route across Allamuchy Mountain State Park, crossing Dragon Brook on a wooden bridge and exiting the Park opposite Waterloo Village.

Lubbers Run Preserve Trail: Located mostly on lands owned by the NJ Natural Lands Trust, this 0.6-mile woods trail parallels Lubbers Run, Byram's longest stream. On one side is the stream and its marshes bordered by ledgerrock outcrops; on the other, a continuous wetland. Departs from Mansfield Drive near Neil Gylling Field; ends at border of the NJNLT parcel.

Mansfield Woods Trail: An easy 0.8 mile loop trail off the Mansfield Bike Trail, through open woods and along Cowboy Creek; near the Lackawanna Cutoff railroad embankment.

Morris Canal Trail: Less than 0.5-mile of this trail is in Byram, with other walkable sections in nearby towns. Eventually, a much longer trail is planned along the 102-mile Canal route from Phillipsburg to Jersey City. The Canal operated from 1831 to 1924; for more information, go to www.morriscanal.org.

Sussex Branch Trail: This 22-mile multi-use (including horses and bicycles) rail trail travels from Waterloo Road in Byram to Branchville Borough. About 3.5 miles are in Byram, passing by Jefferson and Cranberry Lakes, with a waterfall in between. This is the route of Sussex County's first railroad to transport coal from Andover mines to Waterloo Village, with parts of the earliest mule-driven line looping off the current route.

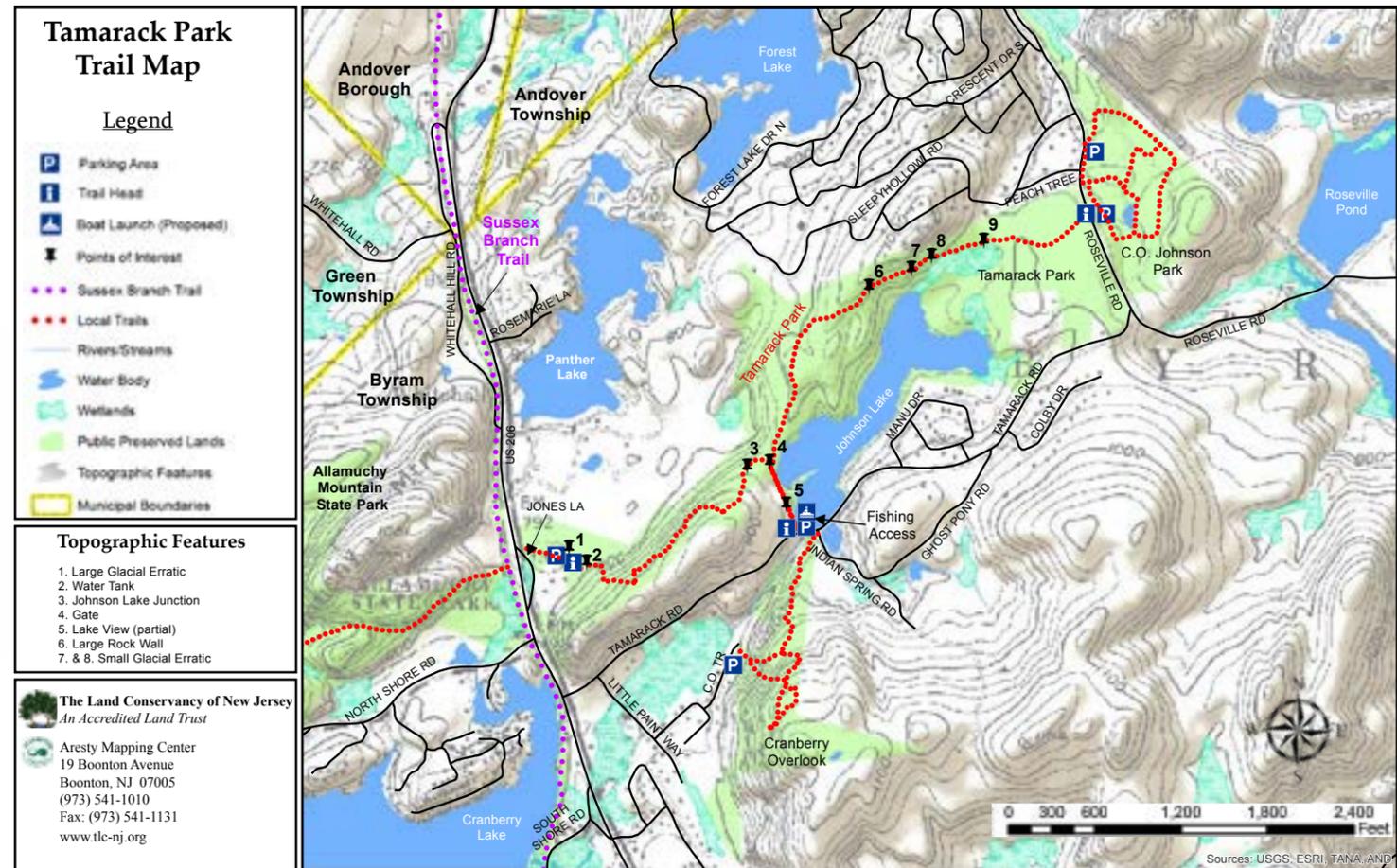
Tamarack Park Trail: This 1.5 mile trail extends from Route 206 at Jones Lane to C. O. Johnson Park at Roseville Road. Terrain is various; a spur trail leads to Johnson Lake (seen from Tamarack Road, this spur looks like a paved driveway). See inset map.



Byram Trail Regulations

BE SAFE. BE CONSIDERATE. RESPECT NATURE.

- Trails are open from dawn to dusk.
- Trails are carry-in, carry-out; refuse is to be disposed of properly.
- Pets must be leashed and pet waste is to be carried out.
- Motorized vehicles are prohibited, including ATVs, motorcycles, and snowmobiles. Police may impound such vehicles pending a municipal court hearing.
- Horses and bicycles are allowed on some trails (check trail descriptions).
- Protect plants and animals. Do not damage or remove rocks, vegetation, or other living things.
- Alcohol and all illegal substances are prohibited.
- Paintball is prohibited.
- Fires are prohibited. Do not drop matches or cigarettes.
- Respect private property and nearby homes. Stay on designated trails.
- Wear orange on all trails during hunting season (September through January).
- Tell someone where you are going and when you expect to return. Prepare for weather changes.



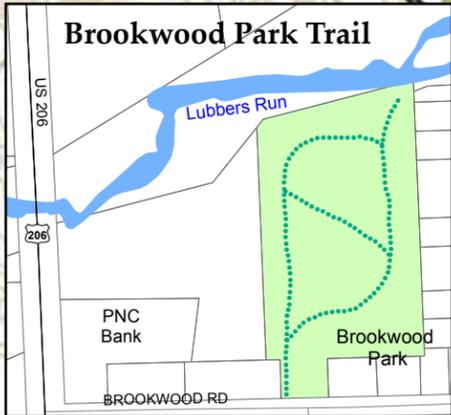
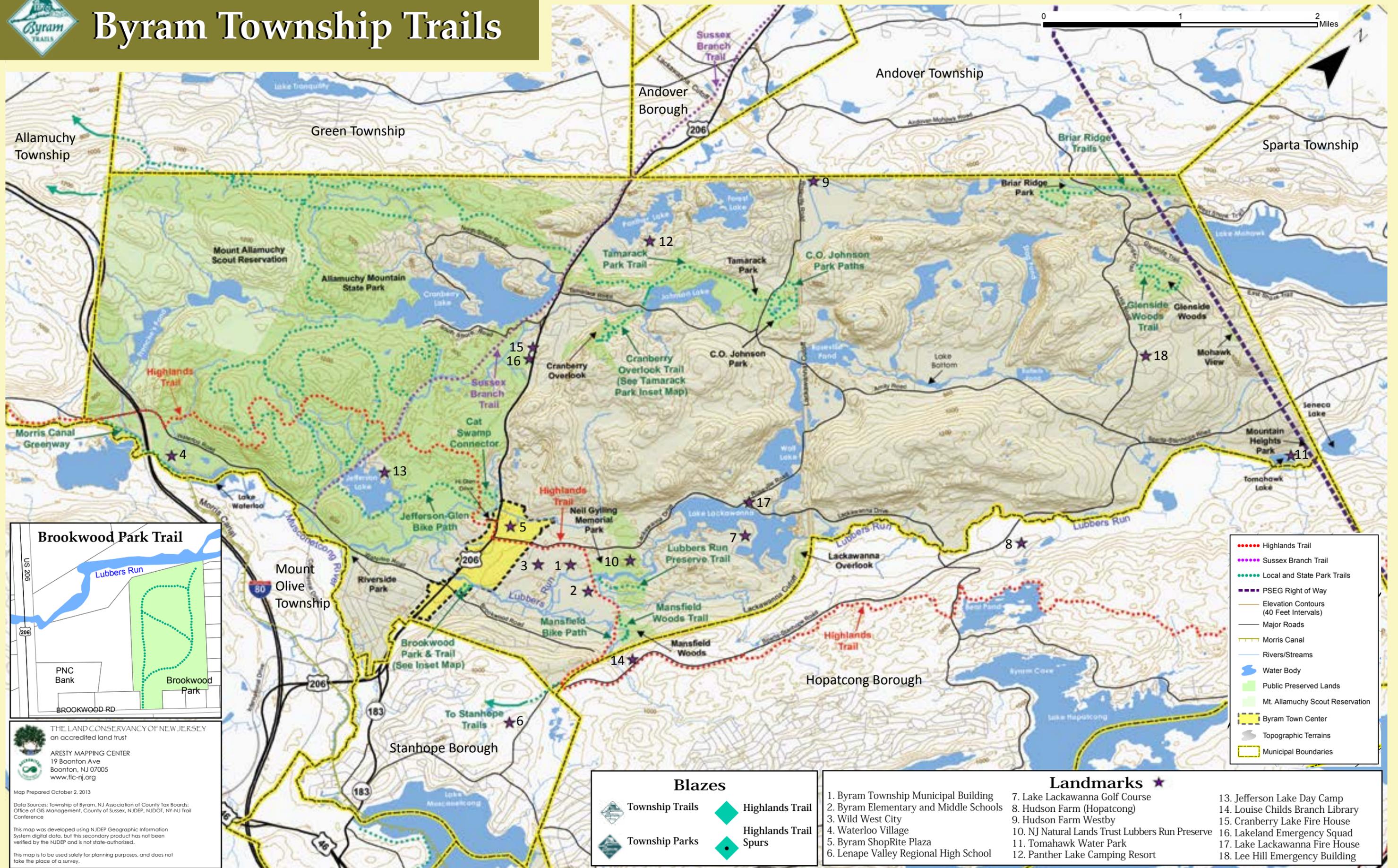
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Report violations to the Police Department: (973) 347-4008
Report maintenance issues to Recreation: (973) 347-2500 x 160

Please visit www.ByramTwp.org for the most current information about trails in Byram Township



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Township Trails	Highlands Trail
Township Parks	Highlands Trail Spurs

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1. Byram Township Municipal Building
 2. Byram Elementary and Middle Schools
 3. Wild West City
 4. Waterloo Village
 5. Byram ShopRite Plaza
 6. Lenape Valley Regional High School

7. Lake Lackawanna Golf Course
8. Hudson Farm (Hopatcong)
9. Hudson Farm Westby
10. NJ Natural Lands Trust Lubbers Run Preserve
11. Tomahawk Water Park
12. Panther Lake Camping Resort
13. Jefferson Lake Day Camp
14. Louise Childs Branch Library
15. Cranberry Lake Fire House
16. Lakeland Emergency Squad
17. Lake Lackawanna Fire House
18. Lee Hill Emergency Building