Volunteer Opportunities

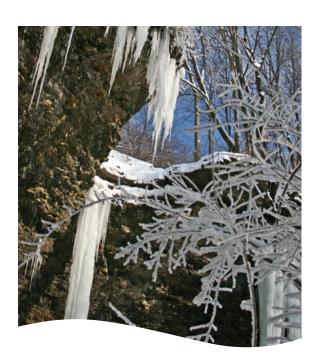
Many opportunities await volunteers. Help with a variety of activities, including leading nature walks, working on conservation projects and trail work. Call (937) 275-PARK or visit

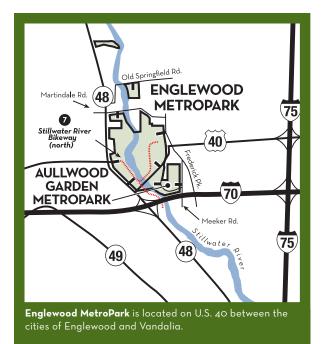


metroparks.org/volunteer for more information.

Support Your MetroParks

By making a donation to the Five Rivers MetroParks Foundation, you support Five Rivers MetroParks' mission to protect the region's natural heritage and provide outdoor experiences that inspire a personal connection with nature. Donations are tax deductible and used to support programs and special projects. Sponsorships, tribute benches and trees, and planned giving options also are available. Visit metroparks.org/donate or call (937) 275-PARK for more information.





It's our nature.

This park is one of 25 outstanding public facilities operated by your Five Rivers MetroParks system. Founded in 1963 to serve the greater Dayton area, MetroParks protects more than 15,800 acres of open space and provides year-round recreation, education and conservation opportunities. Facilities are available to the public free of charge — made possible by Montgomery County citizen support of a property tax levy.

For More Information

Administrative Offices......(937) 275-PARK (7275) Websitewww.metroparks.org

Ranger Assistance

Contact the Montgomery County Sheriff's Office dispatcher at:

(937) 535-2580





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ENGLEWOOD METROPARK

GUIDE & MAP **ENGLEWOOD**

FIVE RIVERS

METROPARKS

Englewood MetroPark



The Stillwater River, lakes, woods and wetlands serve as focal points of this 1,900-acre MetroPark. They provide the setting for fishing, birdwatching and picnicking. Discover the beauty of woodlands, meadows and three waterfalls. Enjoy scenic hiking, recreation and bridle trails. Englewood MetroPark also offers fossil collecting, canoeing and kayaking. Each season highlights different wonders of nature. including spring wildflowers blanketing the forest floor, plants and trees dressed in full foliage in summer, the warm colors of fall leaves and frozen waterfalls in winter.

Nestled in this MetroPark is Aullwood Garden MetroPark on Aullwood Road. Stroll through the beautiful, shady gardens and view the tapestry of colors and textures.

For Year-Round Fun, Escape to Englewood MetroPark

Things to Do

WALKING & HIKING - More than 20 miles of trails in natural settings are open year round.

PICNICKING - Reserve a shelter in a beautiful natural setting for your exclusive use by visiting metroparks.org/reservations or calling (937) 275-PARK (7275) during weekday business hours. Amenities and fees vary by shelter. Shelters that haven't been reserved are available on a first-come, first-served basis. A variety of sites with picnic tables are also available.

FISHING - Fish the lakes, ponds and river. An Ohio fishing license is required. Ice fishing is permitted, but conditions are not monitored.

FOSSIL COLLECTING – Search for fossils south of the Englewood Dam. Collecting fossils is only permitted in the marked area. Follow the rules posted at the site.

CANOEING & KAYAKING - Popular trips begin north of the park on the scenic Stillwater River and conclude at the designated takeout. Trips south of the dam are also possible. No watercraft are permitted through the dam. Check **outdoordayton.com** for rentals.

HORSEBACK RIDING – Bring your own horse and ride the nearly 3.5 miles of scenic bridle trails. Horse trailers may be unloaded in the parking area south of the park office. Rentals are not available. Horseback riders must remain on designated bridle trails.

CYCLING – The main road through the park is marked with a bike lane. Also ride the northern segment of the Stillwater River Bikeway in the West Park. The trail extends south beyond Englewood MetroPark to Jake Grossnickle Park.

DISC GOLF COURSE – Try this family-friendly outdoor activity on your next visit. Players throw special flying discs toward baskets positioned a distance away from the starting pad. The player who can get his or her disc in the basket using the fewest number of tries is the winner. Learn more at **metroparks.org/disc golf**.

CAMPING – Overnight camping is available with a permit. Call Five Rivers MetroParks at (937) 275-PARK (7275) or visit the main office between 9 AM to 4 PM. weekdays at 409 E. Monument Ave., third floor, in downtown Dayton.

NATURE PLAY AREA - Children are encouraged to explore nature, gather sticks and build a fort, turn over rocks and look for critters, climb on tree trunks and more in this natural play area designed to help children discover the outdoors.

Information & Regulations

Protect Englewood MetroPark as a natural area: Do not pick, collect or disturb plant or animal materials of any kind. Hunting, frog gigging and swimming are not permitted. Hikers and horseback riders must remain on marked trails. Motor vehicles must stay on



roads; parking is permitted in specified parking areas only. **Thank you for your cooperation.**

FIRES - Fires are allowed in designated areas only; bring your own charcoal to use in grills. Do NOT bring firewood.

PETS - Dogs allowed on leash only. Leashes may be no longer than 8 feet. **Dog droppings must be** removed from walking trails.

ALCOHOL - Prohibited.

BICYCLES - Permitted on bikeway and in bike lane only. Not permitted on hiking trails.

HOURS

Park Grounds:

April 1 - October 31: 8 AM - 10 PM November 1 - March 31: 8 AM - 8 PM Closed Christmas and New Year's Day

North Park Fishing Hours:

April 1 - October 31: 24 Hours a Day

YOUR FIVE RIVERS METROPARKS

No matter where you live in Montgomery County, you are just minutes away from a MetroPark facility made possible by your levy investment.

ACTIVITIES & PROGRAMS Educational and recreational programs are offered year-round. For a list of upcoming activities or informational brochures, call (937) 275-PARK (7275) and visit www.metroparks.org.

HOURS MetroParks grounds are open 8 AM - 10 PM, April 1 - October 31 and 8 AM - 8 PM, November 1 - March 31. Closed Christmas and New Year's Day. Hours may vary at Island and RiverScape MetroParks.

RESERVABLE SHELTERS Reserve a shelter in a beautiful natural setting for your exclusive use by visiting metroparks.org/reservations or calling (937) 275-PARK (7275) during weekday business hours. Amenities and fees vary by shelter. Shelters that haven't been reserved are available on a first-come, first-served basis. A variety of sites with picnic tables are also available.

SPEAKER'S BUREAU A variety of programs are available to groups. Call (937) 275-PARK for topics and scheduling information.

VISITOR CENTERS

Carriage Hill MetroPark Visitor Center

East Shull Road, Huber Heights • (937) 278-2609 Country Store, Exhibits, Interactive Room, Rotating Art Gallery

Cox Arboretum MetroPark Zorniger Education Center 6733 Springboro Pike, Miami Township • (937) 434-9005 Rotating Art Gallery

Twin Valley Welcome Center

6910 Boomershine Road, Germantown • (937) 855-7717 Exhibits, Wildlife Viewing

Wegerzyn Center at Wegerzyn Gardens MetroPark 1301 E. Siebenthaler Ave., Dayton • (937) 277-6545

BIKEWAYS IN YOUR METROPARKS

Dayton is home to more than 330 miles of paved bikeways - the nation's largest paved trail network. Portions of five bikeways run through your Five Rivers MetroParks:

Stillwater River

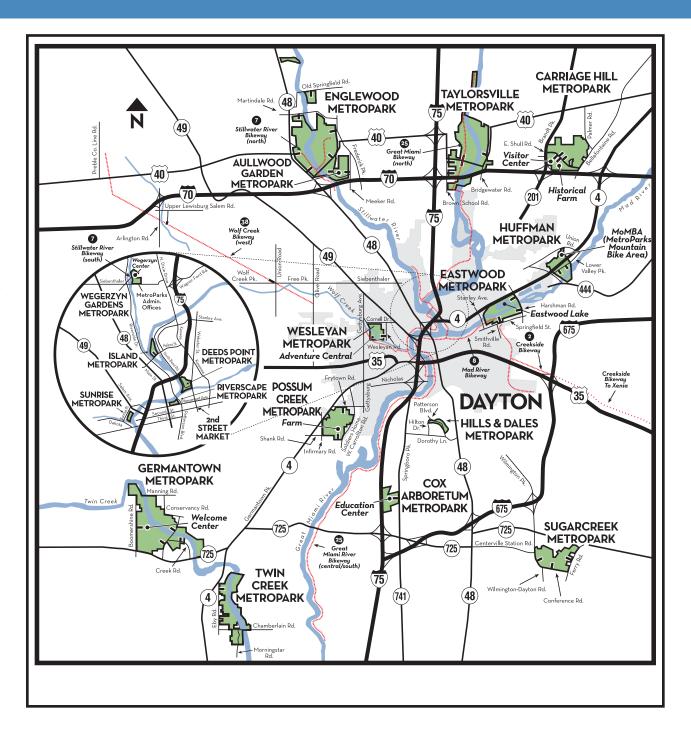
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Great Miami River

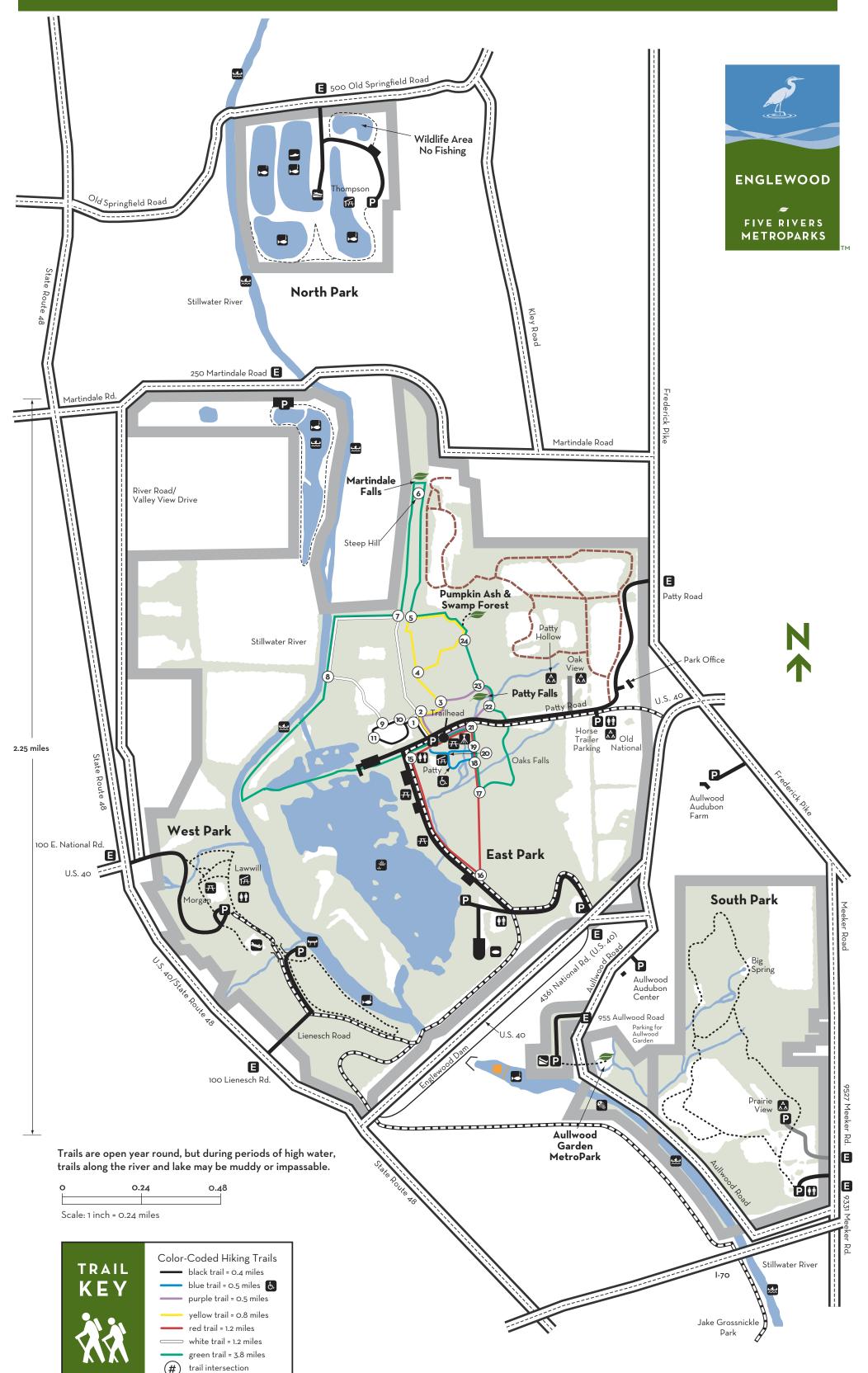
3 Wolfcreek

Mad River

For more information, visit **metroparks.org/cycling**. For a complete map of regional bikeways, visit **www.miamivalleytrails.org**.



ENGLEWOOD METROPARK



PARK FEATURES

■ PUMPKIN ASH & SWAMP FOREST

Tucked away in Englewood MetroPark is a unique woodland area - a remnant swamp forest. Visitors can follow a boardwalk into this wet area that supports an unusual population of trees, including black ash, swamp white oak and pumpkin ash. This wetland has been dedicated as a state natural landmark in recognition of the occurrence of pumpkin ash, a tree rarely found in Ohio.

■ MARTINDALE FALLS

From the trail entrance on Patty Road, the falls is less than a mile walk north on mostly level terrain through scenic woods.

■ PATTY FALLS & OLD NATIONAL ROAD

Named after the Patty family, who settled nearby more than 150 years ago, Patty Falls provides an easily reached scenic spot. From the falls, a short hike down the hill leads to a bridge over which Old National Road passed (near trail intersection 21). Note the limestone blocks and oak planks used in construction.

■ AULLWOOD GARDEN METROPARK

Discover the beauty of color, texture and form expressed through plants at this 31-acre country garden donated by Mrs. Marie Aull. For years, this garden has touched visitors with its diversity and abundance of floral displays, towering trees and serenity.

LEGEND.

LEGEND:			
3	entrance		sledding
P	parking	Λ	camping
† †	restrooms	Λ	group camping
A	picnic area	A	low dam
<u> </u>	reservable shelter		woods
E	wheelchair accessible	-	stream/intermittent stream
	fishing		lake or pond
	canoe & kayak launch canoes & kayaks	<u>*</u>	wetlands non-color-coded hiking trail
	permitted canoe & kayak takeout		Stillwater River Bikeway
%	fossil collection area		bridle trail
*	boat ramp		park boundary
	disc golf		park road
<u> </u>	nature play		public road

Five Rivers MetroParks supports the Americans with Disabilities Act by making reasonable accommodations in serving individuals with disabilities. Programs and facilities are offered on a non-discriminatory basis. If accommodations are needed, please call (937) 275-PARK (7275) at least one week in advance. Five Rivers MetroParks is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

boats-electric

service road

park feature