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FRYE & HOGBACK MOUNTAINS TRAIL Montville, ME

The Frye Mountain Trail is an 8.4-mile network of trails that pass through mixed and coniferous forests and parallel a stretch of Bartlett Stream, the northern-most feeder stream of the Georges River. Frye Mountain rises to a height of 1,122 ft and is located within the 5,240-acre Frye Mountain Wildlife Management Area (Maine Department of Inland Fisheries & Wildlife).

The Frye Mountain Trail connects to the Sheepscot Headwaters Trail Network, created by the Sheepscot Wellspring Land Alliance, via the Hogback Mountain Trail. This partnership provides an additional 15 miles of trail for the public to enjoy.

The Hogback Mountain Trail is a 2.8-mile trail that takes hikers past the gigantic glacial erratic known as “piano rock,” through a young beech forest, and up a 50-foot cliff with tiny cascading waterfalls. The payoff at the summit (1,115 ft) is a fantastic southerly view of the Georges River watershed. Hogback Mountain sits to the west of Frye Mountain and the trails of both mountains are linked for an 11-mile adventure.

DIRECTIONS TO THE TRAILHEADS

From the intersection of Routes 3 and 220 in Liberty, follow 220 north for 6.5 miles to Walker Ridge Road on the right. Park at Dept. of Inland Fisheries & Wildlife maintenance building lot and walk up the jeep road 0.4 miles to the trailhead on the right.



GEORGES HIGHLAND PATH

A Unique System of Trails

The 50+ miles of the Georges Highland Path are built primarily on privately owned land thanks to handshake agreements. Please respect the rights of these generous landowners during your visit. Without their participation, this trail system would not exist.

The Georges Highland Path has been described as a “hikers hiking path” and the maintenance standard aligns with a desire to provide a back country experience within minutes of the busy towns of midcoast Maine. Expect tree roots, rocks to scramble over, wildlife, and a wonderful time!

Thanks to our sponsors and contributions from people like you, we are able to keep these trails available to all who seek the inspiration and solace of the natural world.

Leave No Trace™

on the Georges Highland Path

- Stay on the trail to minimize erosion and protect sensitive plant life.
- Carry out what you carry in.
- Be considerate to wildlife and your fellow hikers by keeping your pets leashed.
- Please leave flowers, plants, and rocks undisturbed.
- Respect others using the trail today...and tomorrow.



GEORGES RIVER LAND TRUST

Our mission is to conserve the ecosystems and traditional heritage of the Georges River watershed region through permanent land protection, stewardship, education, and outdoor experiences.

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LENGTH

8.4-mile network

DIFFICULTY

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The Georges Highland Path is a project of the Georges River Land Trust.

Learn more at www.GeorgesRiver.org.



The Georges Highland Path is available to the public thanks to private landowners, volunteers and donations from the hikers who use it.

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Georges River Land Trust
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--- Georges Highland Path

--- Hills-to-Sea Trail

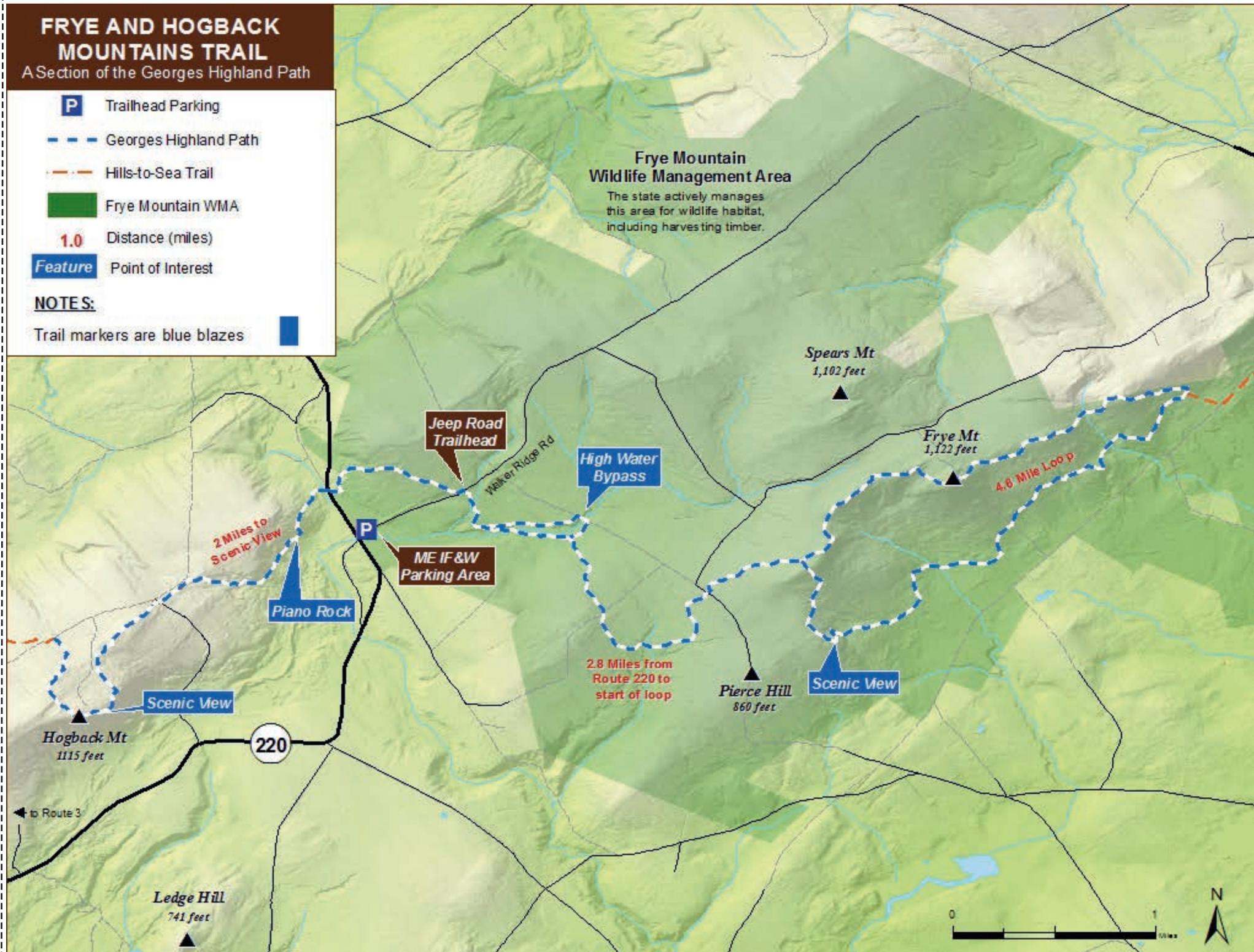
■ Frye Mountain WMA

1.0 Distance (miles)

Feature Point of Interest

NOTES:

Trail markers are blue blazes



Frye Mountain Wildlife Management Area
The state actively manages this area for wildlife habitat, including harvesting timber.

Jeep Road Trailhead

High Water Bypass

ME IF&W Parking Area

Piano Rock

Scenic View

Spears Mt
1,102 feet

Frye Mt
1,122 feet

4.8 Mile Loop

Pierce Hill
860 feet

Scenic View

Hogback Mt
1115 feet

Ledge Hill
741 feet

220

2 Miles to Scenic View

2.8 Miles from Route 220 to start of loop

