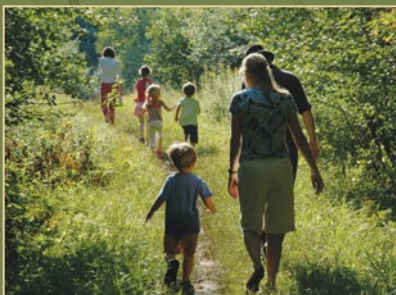


Hanover Conservation Council

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A private, non-profit membership organization protecting the natural environment of Hanover, New Hampshire



See inside for detailed maps of 5 Hanover walks you can enjoy with friends and family!

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With Thanks

The generosity of our members, friends, volunteers and foundations allows the Council to work toward fulfilling its mission. Thank you.

- 402 Members
- Many volunteers
- Gifts in memory of Richard H. Crowell
- Natural Resources Conservation Service Wildlife Habitat Incentives Program
- The Alice Jackson Fund for Children's Environmental Education
- The Barrette Family Fund of the New Hampshire Charitable Foundation – Upper Valley Region
- The Elizabeth Parkhill Charitable Trust



Letter from the President

Dear Friends:

The past year has been a significant one, not only for conservation in Hanover, but also in the growth and maturation of the Council. Our success in land protection over the years has presented us with increasing stewardship responsibilities. Protected lands need careful management and monitoring. The Council continues its commitment to making land accessible to the public by providing trails, signage, and parking. To address our expanding demands, we have focused this year on growing our stewardship capacity and putting that new capacity to work.



We would like to thank the many volunteers who have monitored trails, cleared downed trees, taken water samples, and recorded animal sightings. Look for an expanded volunteer program in the coming year as we look to you to help us care for these special places.

Next year we will be working on strategic land protection, as well as building more stewardship capability with a wider volunteer base. Stewardship strengthens and deepens our contacts with the wider community, which should help us be even more successful in land protection.

We hope you will use the maps in this report to explore the trails, with their great variety of landscapes and plant and animal life, and enjoy the beauty that conserved land in Hanover has to offer.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "David Peart". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

David Peart, *President*



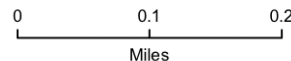
Balch Hill Natural Area Trails

Hanover, New Hampshire

Legend

- Balch Hill Natural Area Trails
- Other Trails
- Property Boundary
- Forest
- Open
- Wetland
- Parking

Contour interval: 20 ft

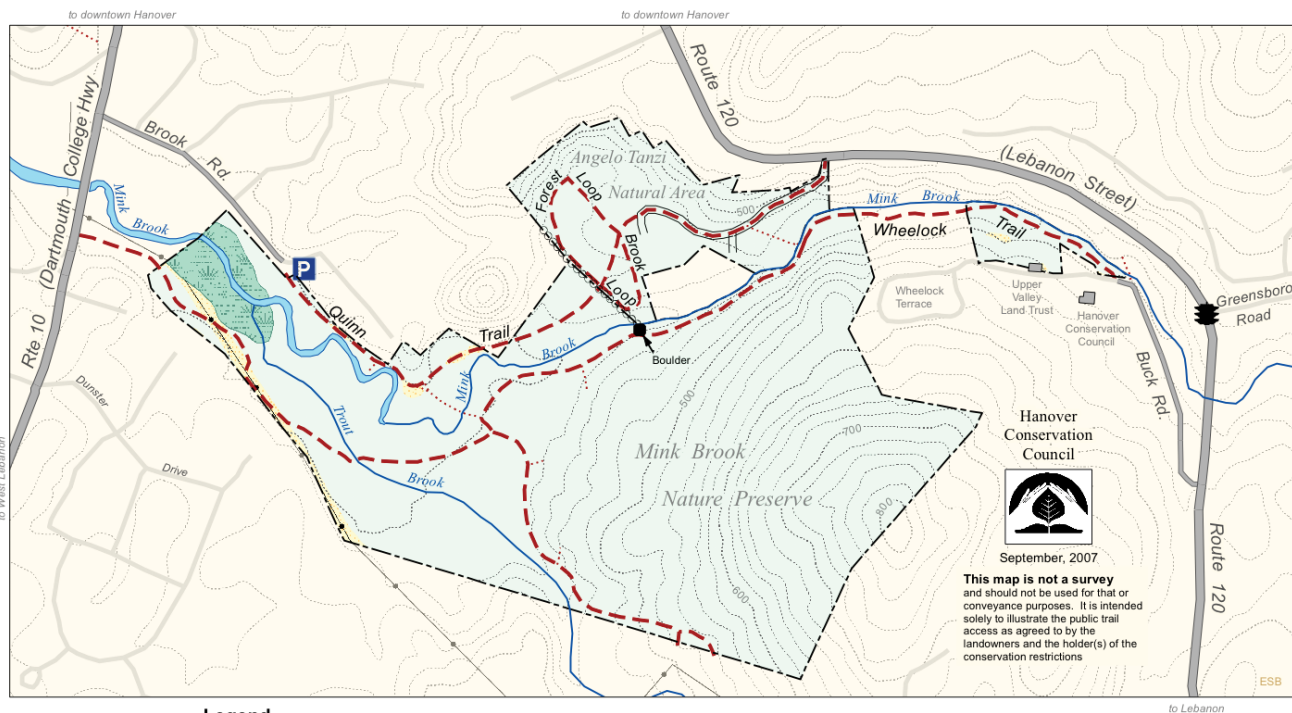


Directions and Parking

From the Dartmouth College Green follow Route 10 north. Turn right on Reservoir Road, then right on Hemlock Road and park near the end (2.5 miles from the Green).
Or from the Dartmouth College Green proceed 1.6 miles on East Wheelock Street to the Tresscott Road parking area.

Mink Brook Nature Preserve Trails

Hanover, New Hampshire

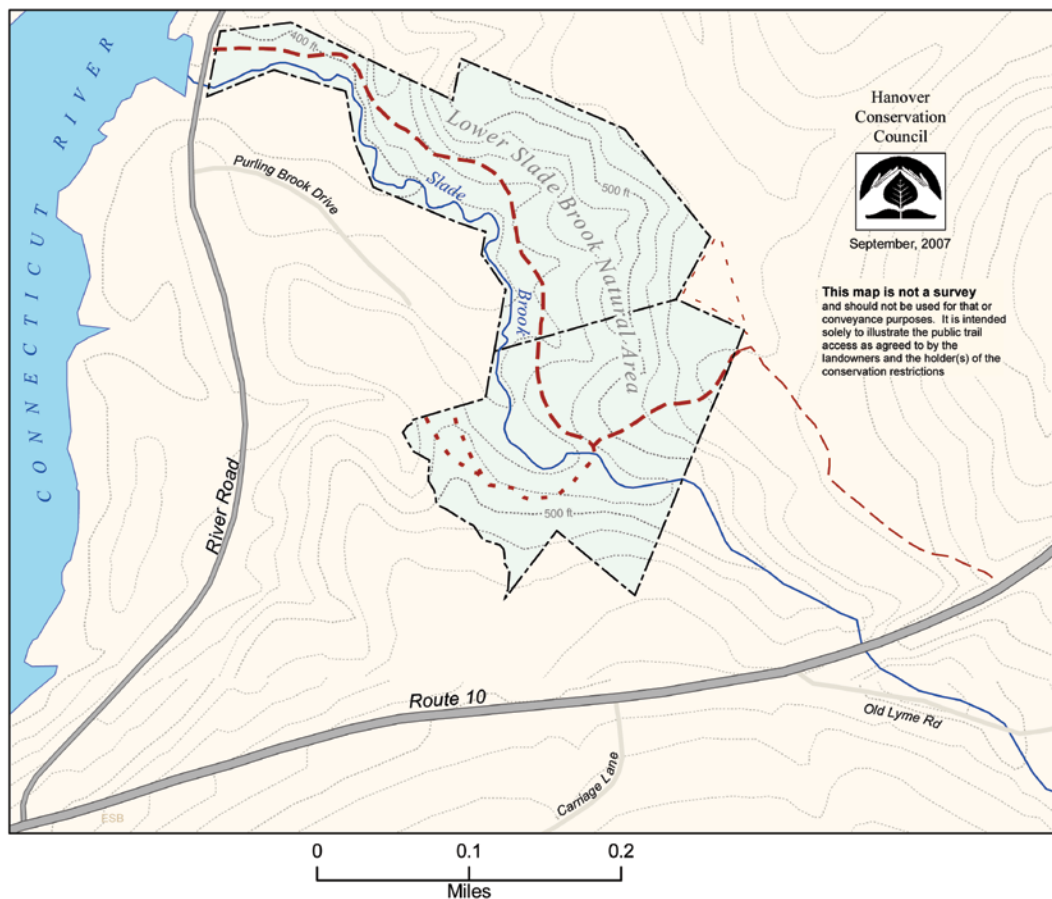


Directions and Parking

From the Dartmouth College Green follow Route 10 south for 0.5 miles to Brook Road. Turn left onto Brook Road and proceed for 0.1 miles. Parking is available on the right.

Lower Slade Brook Natural Area Trails

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September, 2007

This map is not a survey and should not be used for that or conveyance purposes. It is intended solely to illustrate the public trail access as agreed to by the landowners and the holder(s) of the conservation restrictions



Statement of Financial Position

June 30, 2006 and 2007

ASSETS	2007	2006
Cash and Cash equivalents	\$ 471,321	\$ 314,233
Pledges receivable, less allowance	7,400	13,150
Prepaid rent	433	433
Cash held for permanent endowment	25,000	25,000
Land held for conservation purposes	364,720	448,140
Total	868,874	800,956
NET ASSETS		
Unrestricted	\$ 28,275	\$ 14,804
Temporarily Restricted Net Assets	452,416	313,012
Permanently Restricted Net Assets	389,720	473,140
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	870,411	800,956
SUPPORT AND REVENUE		
Contributions	\$ 170,556	\$ 209,164
Membership Income	29,479	29,056
Investment Income	19,021	11,125
Total Support and Revenue	219,056	249,354
EXPENSES		
Programs	\$ 46,739	\$ 45,311
Management and General	18,141	27,422
Fundraising	631	613
Total Expenses	65,511	73,346
INCREASE IN NET ASSETS	\$ 69,455	\$ 176,008
Net assets, beginning of year	800,956	642,948
Net assets, end of year	870,411	800,956

*Copies of 2007 financial review
are available at our office.*





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