



Lake Hopatcong Trail

The Lake Hopatcong Trail highlights the natural beauty of the Lake Hopatcong region. It is a cooperative effort between the Lake Hopatcong Foundation and state and local governments and groups. The first phase of the trail begins on the Morris Canal Towpath across from Hopatcong State Park in Landing. It winds through Hopatcong Borough, providing scenic overlooks, as well as access to Lake Hopatcong near Roland-May Eves Inlet Sanctuary, before ending at the Prospect Point Preserve in Jefferson Township.

The Lake Hopatcong Trail includes some new trails, portions of established trails and some roadways. Several miles of the Lake Hopatcong Trail align with the Highlands Trail, which runs for 182 miles, connecting the Delaware River to the Hudson River and is maintained by the New York-New Jersey Trail Conference. Sections that are aligned bear both trails' blazes. The Lake Hopatcong Trail blaze is white with blue printing.

Volunteers are needed to maintain this local trail. If you would like to adopt a section of the trail to maintain, please contact the Lake Hopatcong Foundation at (973) 663-2500 or info@LakeHopatcongFoundation.org.

Trail rules and regulations

BE SAFE. BE CONSIDERATE. RESPECT NATURE.

- Stay on designated trails; sections of the trail are on private property. Trespassers may be prosecuted.
- For your own personal safety, please stay on the trail while on Hudson Farm property since it is a private sporting club.
- Be courteous; yield to other users on the trail.
- Trails are carry-in, carry-out; refuse is to be disposed of properly.
- Pets must be leashed and controlled at all times; pet waste is to be carried out.
- Do not drop matches or cigarettes.
- Protect plants and animals; don't disturb wildlife and local vegetation.
- Avoid introducing or transporting non-native species.
- Observe wildlife from a distance; do not follow or approach them.
- Camping is not permitted.
- Fires are prohibited.
- Alcohol and all illegal substances are prohibited.
- Paintball is prohibited.
- Unauthorized motorized vehicles are prohibited.

Report violations to:
Hopatcong Police Department: (973) 398-5000

Report maintenance issues to:
Lake Hopatcong Foundation: (973) 663-2500

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The Lake Hopatcong Trail stretches more than 11 miles through the Borough of Hopatcong and, when completed, will extend over 40 miles encircling New Jersey's largest lake.



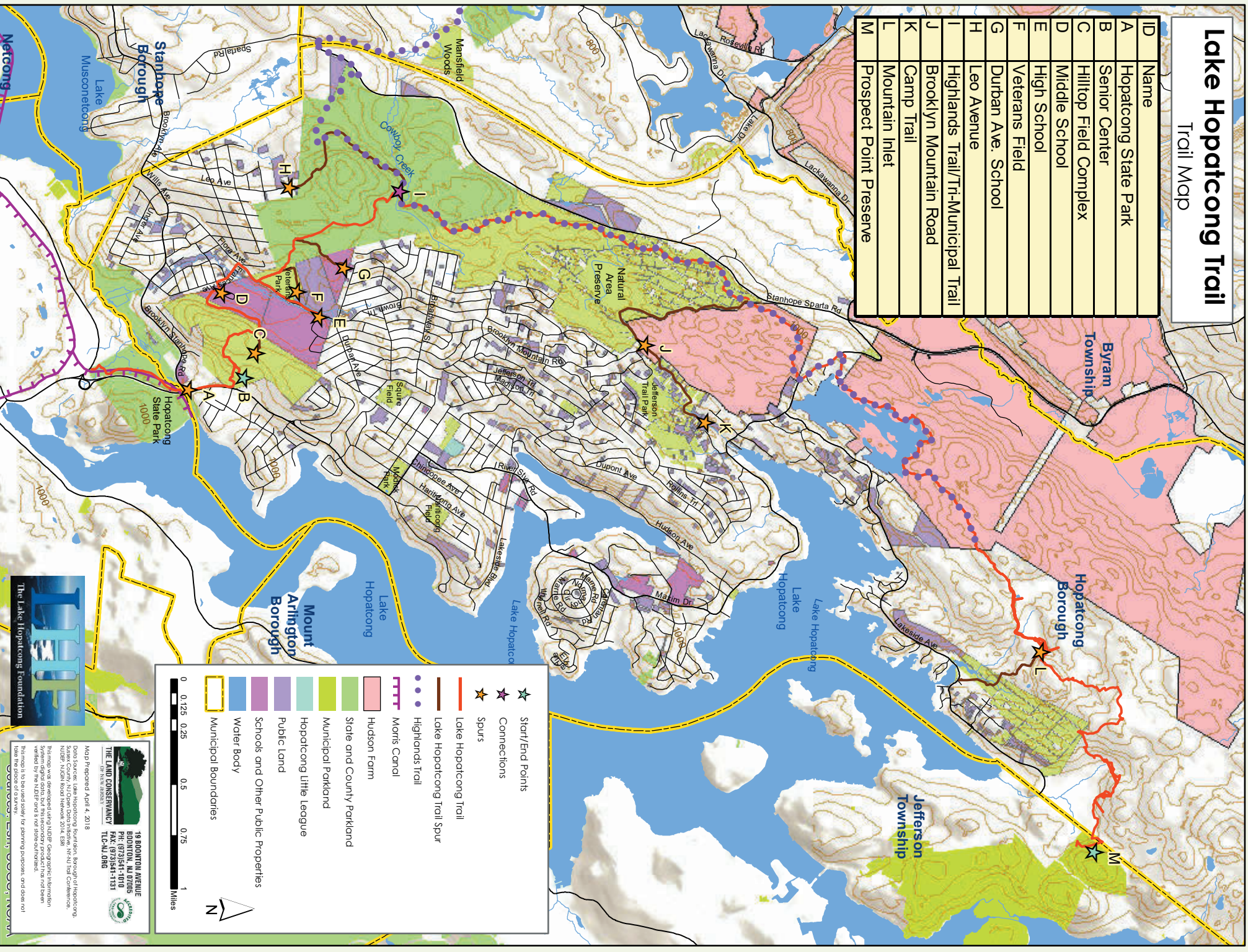
The Lake Hopatcong Foundation is dedicated to improving Lake Hopatcong for everyone, now and in the years to come. For more information, about the trail or the Foundation, please visit LakeHopatcongFoundation.org.

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Trail Map

ID	Name
A	Hopatcong State Park
B	Senior Center
C	Hilltop Field Complex
D	Middle School
E	High School
F	Veterans Field
G	Durban Ave. School
H	Leo Avenue
I	Highlands Trail/Tri-Municipal Trail
J	Brooklyn Mountain Road
K	Camp Trail
L	Mountain Inlet
M	Prospect Point Preserve



While hiking the Lake Hopatcong Trail, you can use your mobile device to determine your exact location on the trail through the free **Avenza Maps** app.

A georeferenced PDF of the trail map can be downloaded at LakeHopatcongFoundation.org, uploaded to a **Dropbox** account and then imported into **Avenza Maps**.