

Become a Member of the Watertown Land Trust

A non-profit 501 (C)(3) organization, Watertown Land Trust is dedicated to preserving open space land for future generations to enjoy. We maintain four hiking trails in Watertown in addition to preserving precious farmland.

If you agree with what we do, please sign up!

Name _____

Address _____

Town _____ State ____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Email _____

(We do not share this list.)

Membership Class: (choose):

Individual \$20 Contributing \$50

Family \$30 Benefactor \$100

Gift to land acquisition fund _____

Please make checks payable to
Watertown Land Trust
and mail to
P.O. Box 382, Watertown CT 06795



**UPPER
NONNEWAUG
PRESERVE**



TRAIL GUIDE



Welcome to the Upper Nonnewaug Preserve!

Protected by an agricultural conservation easement, the corn and hayfields are not open to the public. The trail, which follows the river for ½ mile, is available for hiking, picnicking, and passive recreation. It crosses the southern edge of the hayfield and comes out onto Hickory Lane where you can walk back uphill to the parking lot. Please stay on the trail. No horses or motorized vehicles are permitted on the trail, which is steep in places with fragile botanical species and a vulnerable class A river below.

As you proceed, you will come to markers describing points of historic, geologic, or natural interest. The map to your right should be helpful.

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POINTS OF INTEREST

1. Early history of this area
2. The Skilton Road bridge
3. Nonnewaug granite
4. Northern botanical species
5. Boulder at picnic area
6. Stagecoach Bridge Abutment
7. The Nonnewaug River
8. Native American presence in the area

