

Riding in The Woodlands Area

July 2020



Types of Riding in this area

- Pathway rides, on our more than 200 miles of pathways and on on the Spring Creek Trail.
- Road rides, on road shoulders in and outside The Woodlands
- Mountain bike riding in the George Mitchell Nature preserve, the Spring Creek Nature Trail, and Jones Forest.
- BMX riding



Riding Safety

- Please wear a helmet!
- Wear bright clothing and consider having a headlight and tail light
- Stop at stop signs and stop lights
- To reduce COVID-19 risk, maintain your distance from others. Some riders may want to take additional precautions due to COVID-19.



Etiquette for Pathway riding

- Equip your bike with a bell if you can.
- When approaching someone from behind, ring your bell, or shout out “On your left” to pass on the left.
- Yield to pedestrians and runners.



Etiquette for Pathway riding

- Keep speeds to under 12 mph. If you need to go faster, use the road shoulders.
- Slow down as you approach blind curves.
- Use a headlight for riding when trail is dark or low visibility.



Group Rides

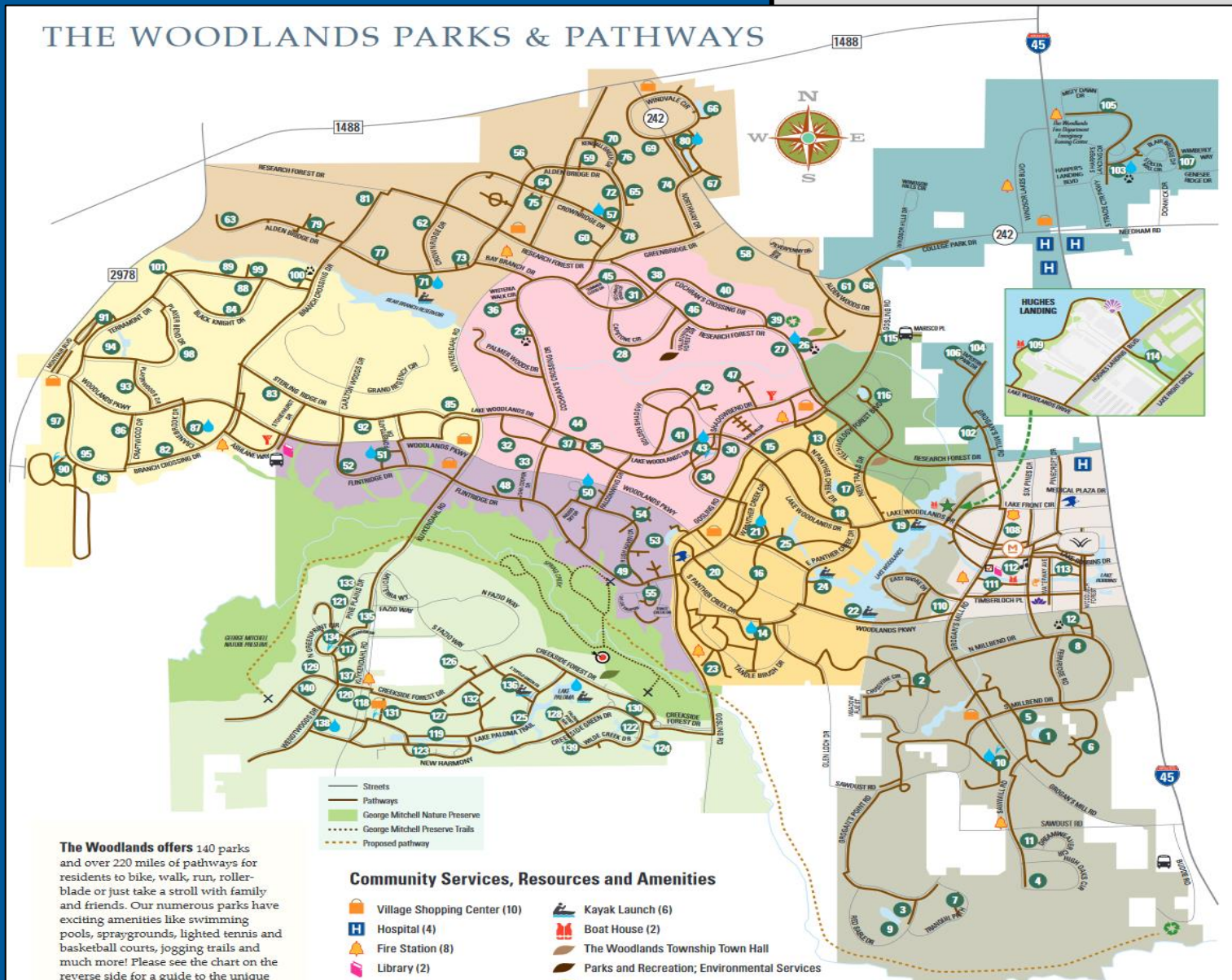
- Prior to COVID, there were many group rides in The Woodlands Area.
- As of July 2020, most riding groups are meeting informally or not at all
- Two road ride groups that we are aware of
 - Bike Land riders meeting informally, 7:30 Sat. and Sun. at Whole Foods
 - Sun and Ski has a Sunday ride leaving at 7:00 from Sun and Ski.



Parks and Pathways map

Link at bikethewoodlands.org/maps

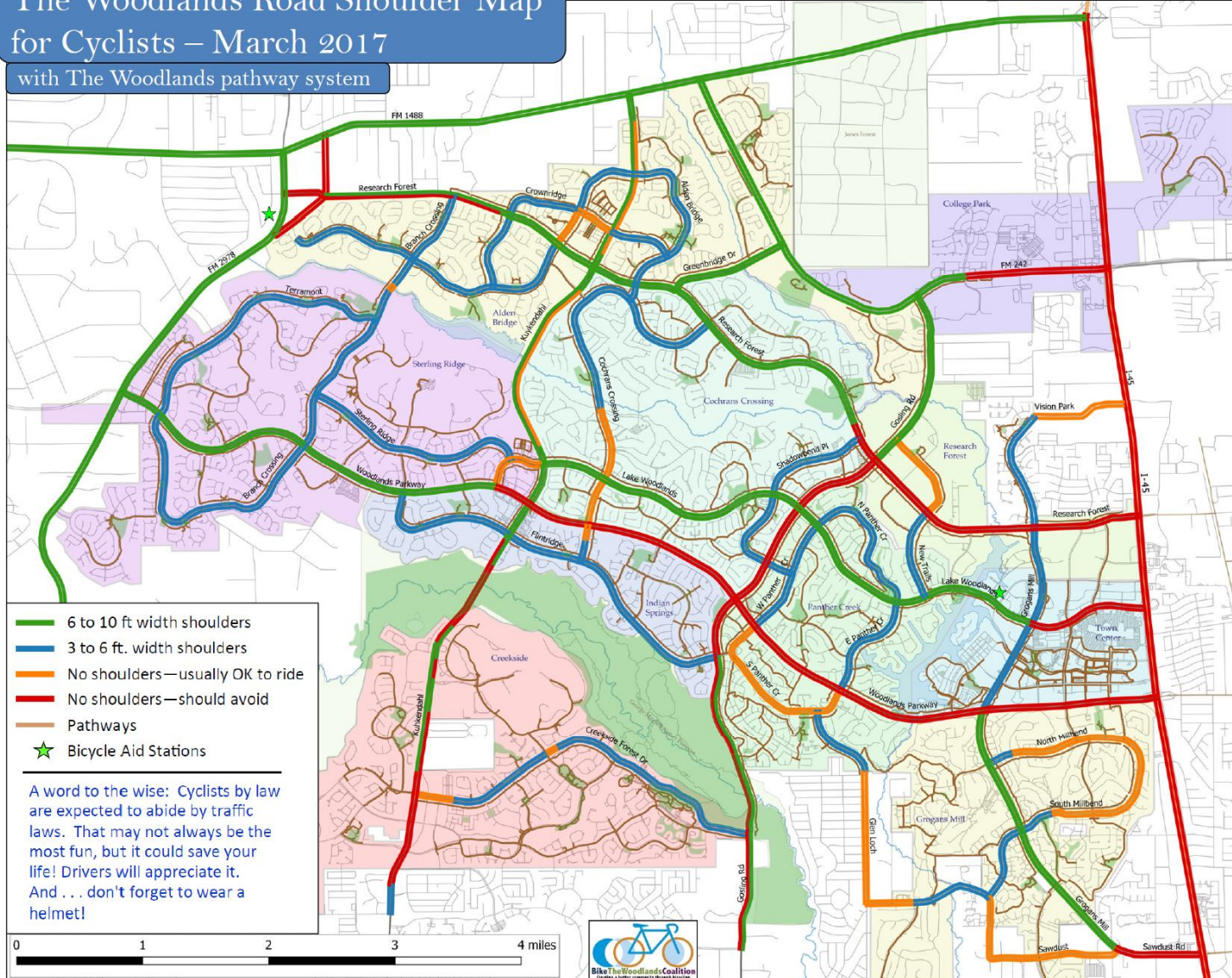
200+ miles of pathways in
The Woodlands.



Road shoulder map from bikethewoodlands.org/maps

For road riding in
The Woodlands.

The Woodlands Road Shoulder Map for Cyclists – March 2017 with The Woodlands pathway system



Spring Creek Nature Trail

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Note: this is a natural surface mountain bike trail.



A blue blaze marks the trail.



Don't forget your binoculars! Birdwatching is a fun activity that everyone can enjoy.

Know Before You Go!

- It takes about 8 hours to walk the entire Spring Creek Nature Trail.
- This is a wilderness experience—so be sure to bring plenty of water and food while on the trail.
- Don't forget bug-spray and sunscreen—and be sure to carefully plan vehicle pick-up and drop-off in advance.

All photos courtesy of Bill Bass Photography

Trail Lengths

- 6 miles - Creekside Park West Trailhead to Rob Fleming Recreation Center Trailhead
- 8 miles - Rob Fleming Recreation Center Trailhead to Montgomery County Preserve Trailhead

GPS Coordinates

- Creekside Park West Trailhead: 30.14895, -95.56334
- Rob Fleming Recreation Center Trailhead: 30.14843, -95.51951
- Flintridge Trailhead: 30.16286, -95.51785
- Montgomery County Preserve Trailhead: 30.11191, -95.45201



You can bike for miles through the woods along Spring Creek.

Bridge Closed

The Spring Creek Nature Trail is a 14-mile, natural-surface trail built largely by community volunteers. Following along Spring Creek, the trail is open to hikers, bikers and other nature lovers, but motorized vehicles are prohibited.

Take time to explore and enjoy your time outdoors today! Experience the meandering creek, tranquil wetlands and abundant wildlife along Spring Creek—you'll be amazed at what you might see along the trail.

Spring Creek Hike and Bike Trail Harris County Precinct 4

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Wide, paved
multi-use trail.



PRECINCT 4 PARKS

1. Burroughs Park
9738 Hufsmith Rd., Tomball



3. Cypresswood Golf Club
21602 Cypresswood Dr., Spring
36 Hole Regulation Golf Course



5. Jesse H. Jones Park & Nature Center
20634 Kenswick Dr., Humble



7. Spring Creek Park
15012 Brown Rd., Tomball



2. Carter Park
1800 Treaschwig Rd., Spring



4. Dennis Johnston Park
708 Riley Fuzzel Rd., Spring



6. Pundt Park
4129 Spring Creek Dr., Spring



8. Stahl Preserve
Access via Spring Creek Greenway Trail



LEGEND

Amenities

- Ball Field
- Basketball Court
- Camping
- Community Center or Building
- Dog Park
- Fishing
- Limited Access Fishing
- Pavilion
- Picnic Area
- Trail/Trail Access
- Playground
- Restrooms
- Tennis Court (Lighted)
- Trail/Trail Access
- Archery Range
- Butterfly Garden
- Canoe Launch
- Covered Playground
- Cricket Field
- Equestrian Trail
- Football Field
- Group Camping
- Interpretive Center
- Off-Road Biking
- Skate Park
- Soccer Field
- Volleyball Court

UNDER DEVELOPMENT

9. Edgewater Park
To Be Determined
Closed Pending Development

HIKE & BIKE TRAIL

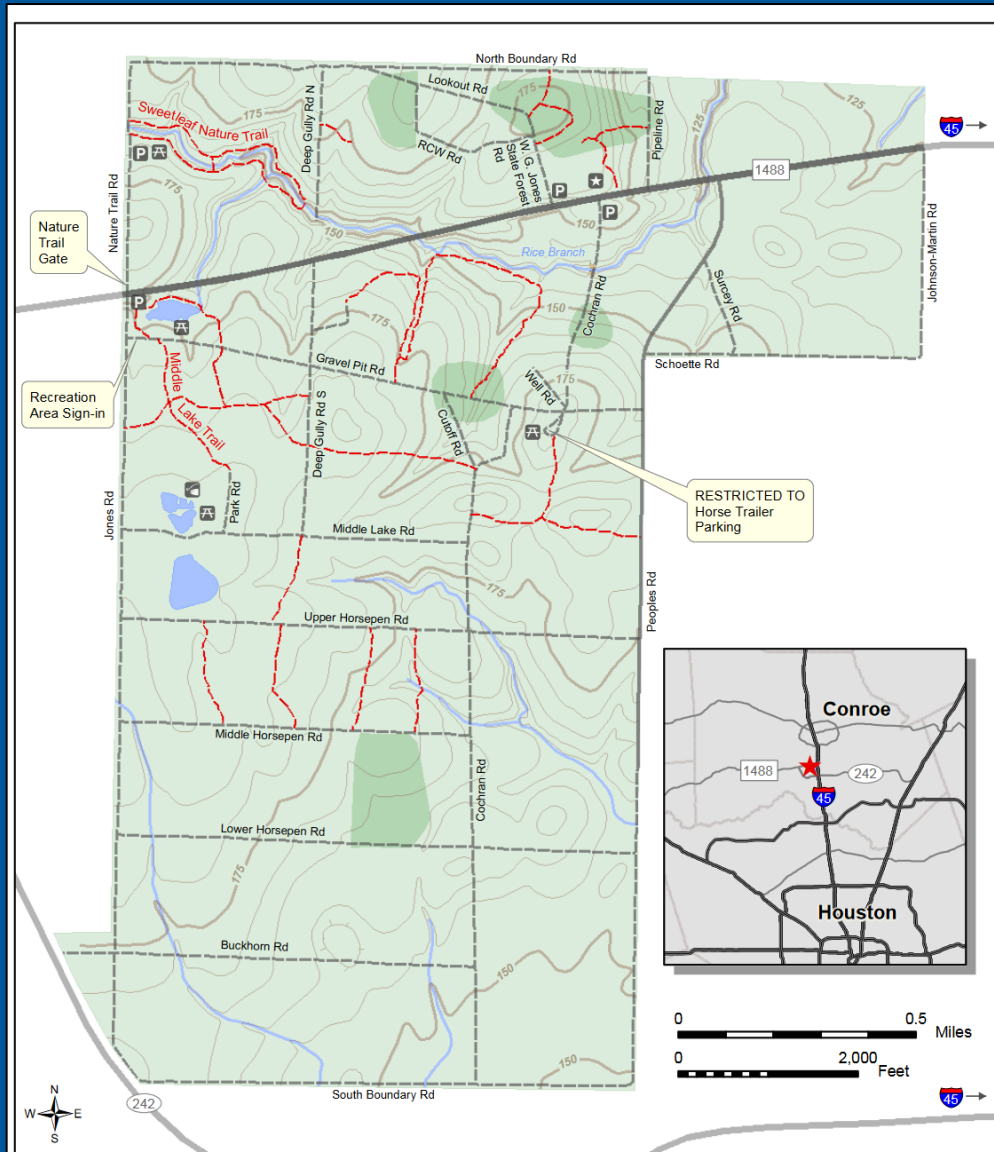
Spring Creek Greenway Trail (16.7 mi.)
Trail access points noted on map.

Images courtesy of The Texas Parks & Wildlife Department and the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service.

Jones Forest

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Miles of unpaved trails north of The Woodlands



William Goodrich Jones State Forest

a managed urban forest

- State Forest
- Red-cockaded woodpecker (RCW) cluster
- Pond
- Stream
- Paved road
- State Forest road
- Trail
- * District office headquarters
- P Parking
- A Recreation area (no camp fires)
- F Fishing

- Nature classroom, outdoor gardens, and picnic area located at District Office headquarters
- Forest and recreation areas are open daily during daylight hours
- Recreation area requires sign-in
- Sign in at district office to obtain lock combination to Nature Trail Gate
- Follow all posted federal and state regulations
- Hiking and biking allowed on all state forest roads and trails. Horseback riding allowed on all state forest roads and trails south of FM 1488.

For emergency
CALL 911

The Conroe District office is surrounded by Jones State Forest and is located 1.4 miles west of IH 45 and 1.7 miles east of SH 242

District Office hours
Monday - Friday
8 am - 5 pm

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BMX riding

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Nine BMX parks
in The Woodlands

The Woodlands Bike Pa... 🔍 ⋮

These wheel friendly areas feature many fun ramps, banks, pipes, walls and jumps. ☆
10 views
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Bike Parks

- Ridgewood Park
- Cranebrook Park
- Bear Branch Skate Park
- Creekwood Park & Pool
- Forestgate Park
- Harpers Landing Park
- Lakeside Park
- Tamarac Park
- Terramont Park

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and more info
about bicycling
in the area.



Building a
better
community
through
bicycling.