

# **Ducktrap River**

Route 52, Lincolnville #ducktrapriverpreserve

TRAIL: 5.6 miles round-trip, moderate

#### **SIZE:** 1140 acres

## SALMON HABITAT, WOODEN FOOTBRIDGE

Our largest and most wild preserve, this land protects the river's shoreline for wild Atlantic salmon habitat. The first 1.4 miles of the trail are shared with a snowmobile trail. An impressive 32-foot wooden bridge crosses the river 0.25 miles after leaving the snowmobile trail.

### **DIRECTIONS**

From Lincolnville Center, drive north on Route 52 for 3.5 miles. You will descend into a valley before a steep hill. The trailhead is located on the left, about 100 yards after Route 52 crosses the Ducktrap River. Park along the road.

#### LOOK FOR

- Mature hemlock groves, home to painted trillium and Blackburnian warblers
- Tracks in the winter, including moose, deer, bobcat, and coyote
- Geotextile fabric used to eradicate invasive Japanese knotweed

#### **HISTORY**

This land was conserved in numerous stages from 1996 to the present, led by the multi-stakeholder group Ducktrap Coalition.

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