

Permit required on both the Gateway and Brown's Creek trails for cross-country skiing and horseback riding. Call 1-888-MINNDNR or visit mndnr.gov to learn more.

CONNECTING URBAN PLACES TO COUNTRY SPACES

Beginning in St. Paul, north of the capitol, the Gateway Trail traverses 18 miles of urban prairie and tree-covered passages along the old Soo Line Railroad track. From downtown, it passes through Phalen-Keller Regional Park before winding northeast through Maplewood and North St. Paul. And while passing through the city of Grant, trail users enjoy numerous ponds and protected wetlands.

A nine mile stretch of the paved trail is joined by a separate limestone trail for horseback riding, carriage driving and walking.

The 5.9 mile Brown's Creek Trail joins the Gateway at Duluth Junction, near the Hwy 96/Lake Masterman parking area. Linking the Gateway to the city of Stillwater, it passes a historic stone bridge from the mid-1800s before traversing through a spectacular section of bluffs on its way to the St. Croix River. Horses are allowed from the junction with the Gateway Trail to Lofton Ave.

GATEWAY TRAIL

PARKING

- · Phalen-Keller Regional Park (R,W)
- Robinhood Park, Maplewood on street
- · Flicek Park, Maplewood
- Maplewood Community Center (R)
- . No. St. Paul Rotary Park (wind turbine) (R,W)
- Immediately south of Hadley Ave at its intersection with Hwy 36, on 55th St, Oakdale (R)
- Mahtomedi High School, Green Lot
- Jamaca Ave at Jeffry Ave, Grant limited (R*)
- Hwy 96/Lake Masterman, Grant limited (R*)
- Pine Point Park (county fee; horse parking) (R,W)

ADDITIONAL RESTROOMS:

Lansing Ave*

(R=Restrooms, W=Water; *=seasonal)

BROWN'S CREEK TRAIL

PARKING

- Hwy 96/Lake Masterman, Grant (R*)
- Laurel Street E, downtown Stillwater
- . Brown's Creek Park (R*)

ADDITIONAL RESTROOMS:

· Stillwater (2 blocks south of trailhead)

EVENTS

- Annual Trail Ski & Member Lunch
- · DNR naturalist & candlelight hikes
- · National Trails Day
- · Birding hikes
 - ...and more.

Visit www.gatewaybrownscreektrail.org for the latest event postings.

TRAIL ETIQUETTE

- · Always announce approach & pass on left
- · Keep speeds family friendly
- Stop at all marked crossings
- Pack out litter/ Scoop animal droppings
- · Respect the rights of other trail users
- · Stay on the trail
- · Do not trespass on adjacent property
- · Drug and alcohol use is prohibited
- Camping and fires are not allowed
- Pets must be leashed and under control
- Per State Statute, use of non-wheelchair, electric or gas assisted vehicles is restricted (see State Statute 85.015 subd. 14)

Depart trail iccuse to: 651-206-6157

GATEWAY-BROWN'S CREEK HISTORY

In 1988 members of the Trail Association won a multi-year legal battle to designate the old Soo Line as a trail for public use. Today, it is one of the most used multi-purpose trails in Minnesota. Original members of the Association are still very active, attesting to the dedication of this group to keep the trail as a gift for all. We continue to work, in collaboration with the Department of Natural Resources, to extend the Gateway Trail northward to Taylors Falls.

The Gateway-Brown's Creek Trail Association is 100% volunteer led. Our work to enhance, extend, clean, and beautify the trail is reliant on member support.

Please consider joining. Your annual membership gift will...

- Promote further trail extension
- Make trail improvements
- · Guide safe use and trail etiquette
- Appeal for State funding and trail maintenance
- · Share trail news and information
- Sponsor the "Adopt-a-Trail" volunteer trail clean-up program
- Advocate at the capitol on behalf of the trail

Learn more about the trails & events at: gatewaybrownscreektrail.org

