

## Endean and Hawes Brook

Off Washington Street in Norwood, surrounding the Norwood Middle School, is a combination of recreational and conservation lands known as the Hawes Pools and Endean Park. This park that surrounds the middle school has several facilities, including a town pool, a playground, tennis and basketball courts, baseball fields, many inter-connecting paths through woods, and community gardens and orchard.

At least part of the land once belonged to the Bird family, who were owners of a paper-making company just over the border in Walpole. Near the present pool are two circular ponds naturally fed by Hawes Brook nearby. These two ponds were the original swimming places.

Hawes Brook, along with adjoining wetlands and marshy areas, comprises much of the undeveloped land that also includes upland forest and open areas. The brook flows under nearby MBTA commuter rail tracks and winds through the park then passes under Washington Street on its way to merging with the Neponset River.



*Wear proper footwear*

*Protect yourself against mosquitoes and ticks*



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## Trail Information

**Location:** Washington St., Norwood, MA

**Parking:** Near Hawes Pool, & Little League Ball Field.

**Walking, Fishing, Off Road Biking, Picnicking.**

**Trails:** 37.23 Acres, Woods, Field, Gravel, Natural.



## Trail Rules and Etiquette

No motorized vehicles allowed on trails.

Dog owners must immediately pick up bag and properly dispose of all pet waste.

Pets are welcomed but must remain on leash.

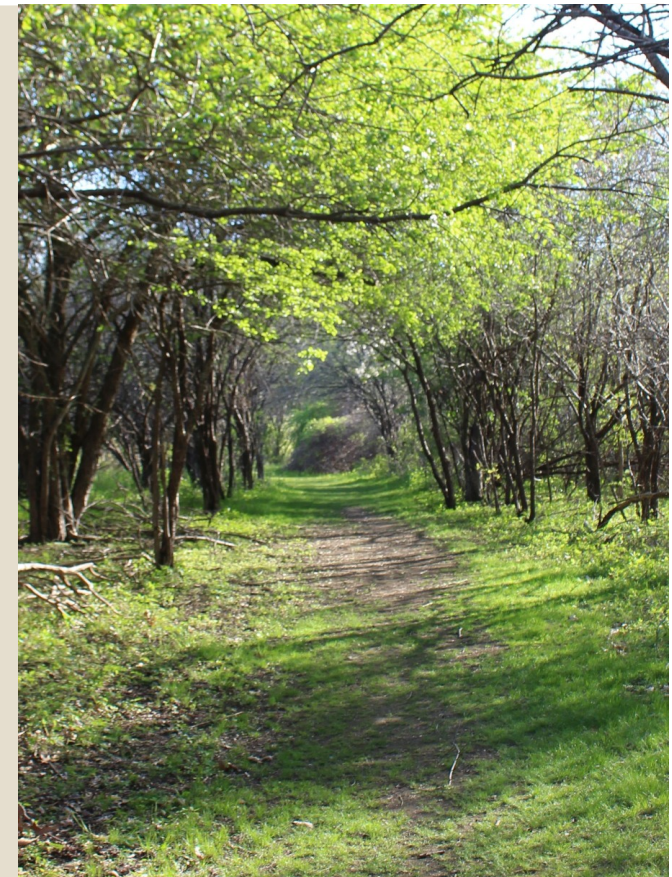
No alcoholic beverages.

Please stay on the trail and respect private property.

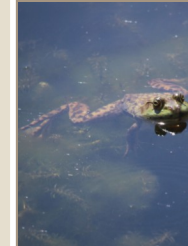
Refer to onsite signs and the Parks & Recreation website for use of athletic fields and courts.

## NORWOOD TRAILS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Trails are maintained with the help of volunteers. For information on how you can help, or for more information on Norwood Trails, contact the main office at [trails@norwoodma.gov](mailto:trails@norwoodma.gov).



*Enjoy the Outdoors*



## Endean Park Trail Map

Washington St., Norwood, MA



**Norwood Trails**

*Open to the Public  
7 Days a Week  
Dawn to Dusk*



# Endean Cons. Area and Hawes Pools Trails



## Landmarks

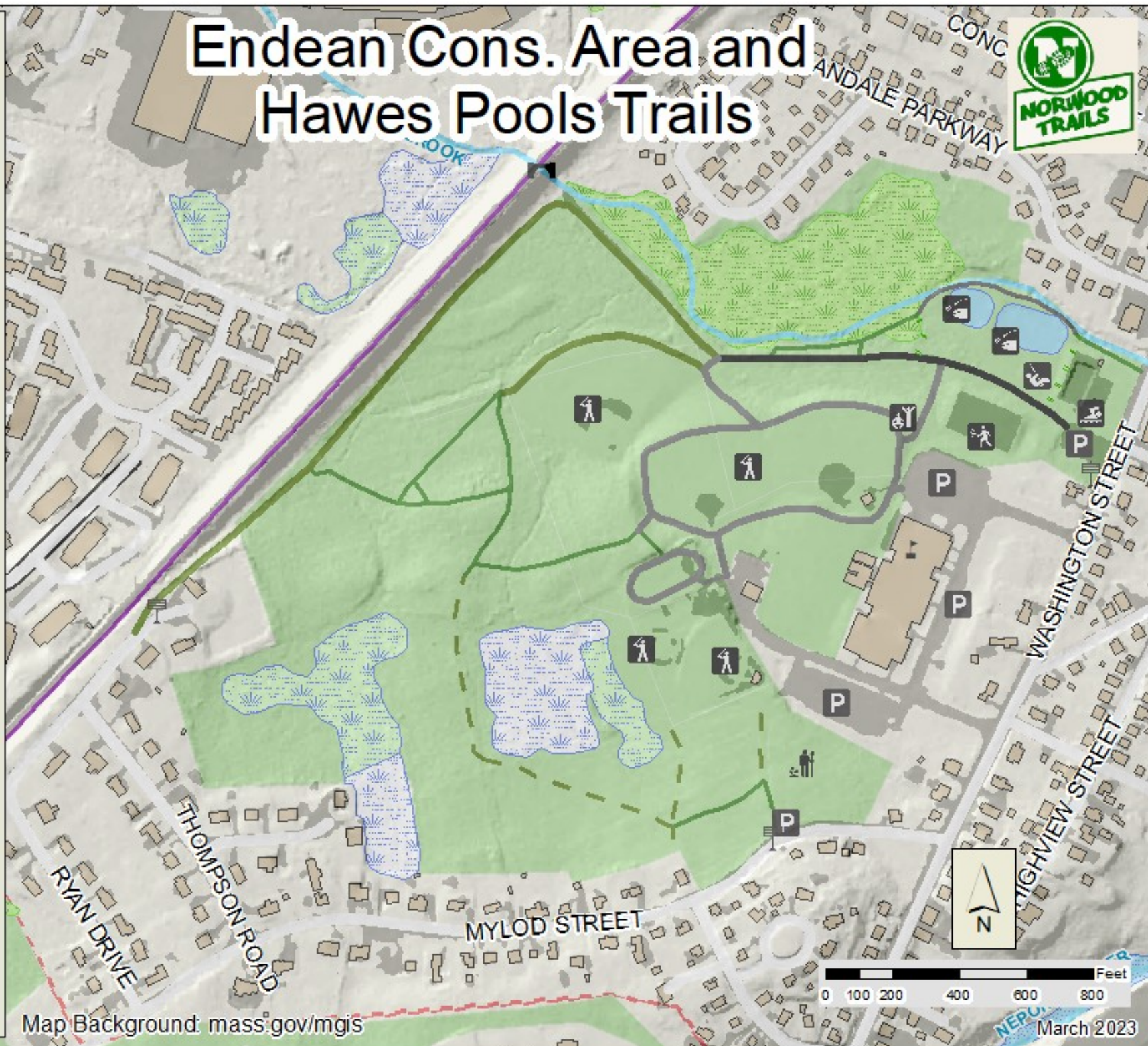
- Athletic Field
- Fishing
- Fitness Trail
- Garden
- Parking
- Playground
- Pool
- School
- Sign
- Tennis Court
- Tunnel

## Trail Types

- Virtual, Asphalt
- Seasonal, Natural
- Primary, Asphalt
- Primary, Gravel
- Primary, Natural
- Secondary, Gravel
- Secondary, Natural
- Trail Connector

## Wetlands

- Deep Marsh
- Open Water
- Shallow Marsh Meadow
- Shrub Swamp
- Wooded Swamp, Deciduous
- Waterway
- Streets
- Buildings
- Open Space Properties



Map Background: mass.gov/mgis

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