

NorthBound km	Features/Directions	SouthBound km
0.00	<p>NB: Straight back hedgerow, enter conifer plantation.</p> <p>US Route 6. Beginning of section. Private land both sides, stay on trail. Parking in the dirt overflow parking lot of the River of Life church, mile marker 228.5, on north side of road and west side of stream, EXCEPT SUNDAYS. 12.5 km west to Wellsboro with outfitter, other shops, restaurants, hospital, and post office.</p> <p>SB: Straight across US 6 into brushy field, stream crossing ahead.</p>	23.67
0.59	<p>NB:</p> <p>Stream crossing in woods.</p> <p>SB: Stay to left.</p>	23.08
0.64	<p>NB: Right at junction of mowed paths.</p> <p>Private land, stay on trail.</p> <p>SB: Left at junction of mowed paths.</p>	23.03
0.91	<p>NB: Left on Orebed Road - EXCEPT during mud, high water, and hunting seasons Oct 15-Jan 15, turn right on Orebed, left on Bullock, left on Cobb Rd to rejoin trail at km 3.90. Adds 0.5 km distance, and much sun.</p> <p>Stream crossing in field just south of Orebed Road.</p> <p>SB:</p>	22.76
1.08	<p>NB:</p> <p>Pass intersection of Warren Lane (private), STAY on gravel Orebed Road.</p> <p>SB:</p>	22.59
1.20	<p>NB: Right off Orebed Rd along fence line - EXCEPT during high water, mud, and hunting seasons, see km 0.91 above for detour. Quickly cross stream at edge of pasture.</p> <p>SB: Left on Orebed Road.</p>	22.47
1.74	<p>NB: Follow grassy lane briefly.</p> <p>Gate. Please leave it CLOSED.</p> <p>SB: Follow widely spaced blazes on trees in muddy pasture.</p>	21.93
1.83	<p>NB: Left away from grassy lane into brush. Shortly pass beaver meadow on left.</p> <p>Stay away from drivable lane visible to north, to avoid nasty neighbors.</p>	

	SB: Right onto grassy lane.	21.84
2.19	NB: Straight onto tractor trail, leaving wet brush behind. Tee junction of muddy tractor trails. SB: Straight into brush, wet spots. DO NOT turn left, nasty neighbors that way.	21.48
2.56	NB: Right into hay field, follow right hand edge of field around. SB: Left onto tractor trail.	21.11
2.82	NB: Change sides of hedgerow to keep trees to your left, field to right. Private land, stay on trail. SB:	20.85
3.32	NB: Enter woods. Continue straight. Still private land, stay on trail. SB: Follow trail inside hedgerow, field to left.	20.35
3.72	NB: Emerge from woods, follow right hand hay field edge downhill. View to northwest down Hills Creek valley, private land, stay on trail. SB: Edge left into woods. Can be tough to see.	19.95
3.90	NB: Trail closed Nov 15-Dec 15, go left then right, or right then left, on roads to reach Hills Creek Park. Cross Cobb Road, change sides of hedgerow. Private land both sides, stay on trail. SB: During mud, high water, and hunting seasons Oct 15-Jan 15, turn left on Cobb Rd, right on Bullock, right on Orebed Rd to rejoin trail at km X.	19.77
3.99	NB: Cross branch of Hills Creek. Still private land. South end of skiable section. SB:	19.68
4.39	NB: Cross 2 pipeline cuts in brushy area. SB:	19.28
4.80	NB: Trail enters Hills Creek State Park, descend old path to left.	

	Crabapple picnic pavilion. Seasonal restroom nearby. Hills Creek State Park office is 300 m E of MST following blazes on edge of picnic grove to register for camping in season, hope for cabins out of season, and its parking lot is plowed for skiing access.	
	SB: Trail enters wooded private land for next 17 km. Closed Nov 15-Dec 15 for hunting, turn right, right, then left to follow Bullock Rd to Orebed Rd during this time.	18.87
4.90	NB: Left, down the steps. Cross lane to sewage plant, and grass. Then, right, up the steps. Junction with blue blazed Lake Side Loop trail in the middle of a flight of steps. SB: Right, away from steps, on old path inside woods.	18.77
5.04	NB: Cross road angling left. Elevation 450 m. Spillway Road crossing atop dam. Hills Creek State Park's sewage plant visible in hollow south of trail, stay away. Due to steps and steep pitch in sewage plant hollow, skiers head around on road and through picnic grove. SB: Trail descends steps on Hills Creek Lake dam.	18.63
5.08	NB: Turn right onto Lake Side Trail. Follow combined orange/blue blazes. Parking west of trail on Hills Creek Road. SB: Turn left onto dam, cross dam and road together.	18.59
5.56	NB: Pass Pines boat launch, parking, privy. Continue on Lake Side Trail. SB:	18.11
6.85	NB: Trail climbs onto wooded moraine Pass Beaverhut boat launch, parking, privy. Continue on Lake Side Trail. SB: Pass a damp area next to the lake.	16.82
7.35	NB: Follow the orange blazed footpath through mature woods.	

	At north end of Hills Creek Lake, MST leaves blue blazed Lake Side Trail at signed junction. View. Elevation 460 m. No road access. Lake Side Trail circles around to east side road for skiable return to park office parking lot.	
	SB: Turn right on combined blue/orange blazed Lake Side Trail.	16.32
7.56	NB: Glacial kettle to east, vernal pond to west.	
	SB:	16.11
7.74	NB: Continue straight onto a service road. Cross main State Park campground road, restrooms. Pet camping loop to west.	
	SB: Continue straight then edge left to enter woods.	15.93
7.81	NB: Turn right on Hills Creek Park Rd, Leave State Park, Left on Carpenter Rd.	
Subtract	Cross main State Park campground road, restrooms. Pet camping loop to west.	
0.54	SB: Turn right on Hills Creek Park Rd, left at stile to enter State Park.	15.86

to end of section.