## Buildings of Waterloo Village

Waterloo Village is nestled between Schoolboy Mountain and Asbury Knob Mountain in the Musconetcong River Valley. It is an authentic 19th century village that developed on the banks of the Morris Canal.

### Regional Trails

These are long trails that extend beyond the boundaries of Allamuchy Mountain State Park. See descriptions below for specific trails.

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## Other Trails

### Allamuchy Mountain & Stephens State Parks

Allamuchy Mountain State Park and Stephens State Park contain 27 marked trails leading to diverse landscapes for walking, hiking, biking, birding and more. There are more than 70 miles of trails, from short loop trails to long-distance networks, and from gentle, flat rail trails to more difficult cross-country hikes. In this brochure, the trails are organized into four groups by location.

### Trails

- **Highlands Trail**: 15 miles (Allamuchy) - Advanced - Long-distance trail. This trail travels through sections of woods and rocky hillsides, and along the Musconetcong River. The trail also offers multiple scenic views on the north side of the river.
- **Sussex Branch Rail**: 6 miles (Allamuchy) - Intermediate - Easy - Flat, wide, level trail. This trail is located on north side of Deer Park Road. 3 miles in Allamuchy (20) miles-long. Sussex Branch Trail near Waterloo Road and goes northwest to Cranberry Lake. An old railroad
- **Towpath Trail/Morris Canal Greenway**: 2 miles (Allamuchy) - Easy - Flat, wide, level trail. This trail follows the Morris Canal Greenway for a short distance through the historic canal along the Musconetcong River to Waterloo Village. A shorter segment of Towpath Trail continues along the canal towpath east of Continental Drive.
- **Mountain Bicycling**: Mountain biking is permitted on all multiuse trails and paved roads. Please follow N.J. Department of Environmental Protection guidelines as listed below.

### Trail Sense and Safety

- **Share the Trail**: Yield to other non-motorized trail users, let other trail users keep pace, avoid pulling ahead, or抢先 run. Any trail should yield to a rider. Let hikers or runners pass on their side. The rider should yield to the hiker or runner. Share the trail with others.
- **Keep It Clean and Green**: Bring a bag or two and carry your trash out with you. Trash cans are not provided. Don’t forget to pick up after your pets.
- **Tick Protection**: Wear light-colored clothing, tuck pants into socks, stay on trails, check yourself thoroughly, shower and launder clothing immediately.
- **Bear Aware**: Black bears are found throughout New Jersey. Do not approach or attempt to feed wild animals. Always carry a bear spray. Be aware of the bears. The Department of Environmental Protection recommends that you contact the New Jersey State Park Office and discuss your plans with the park ranger.
- **Emergency Numbers**: 1-877-WARN-DEP (1-877-927-6337) or 911

### Fire Tower Trail

- **Purple Trail**: 10 miles - Moderate - Short hike to fire tower. This trail connects several historic trails and offers panoramic views of the Musconetcong River Valley.
- **Red Trail**: 0.8 miles - Easy to moderate - Short loop trail near railroad. This trail follows the Morris Canal Greenway before turning into the forest to hike back to the railroad.
- **Blue Trail**: 0.8 miles - Easy to moderate - Short loop trail near railroad. This trail follows the Morris Canal Greenway before turning into the forest to hike back to the railroad.
- **Yellow Trail**: 0.5 miles - Easy - Short loop trail near railroad. This trail follows a network of woods roads through the forest along the east side of the lake and ends as it reaches the spillway.
- **Green Trail**: 0.5 miles - Easy - Short loop trail near railroad. This trail follows Green Trail and connects Fire Tower Trail and White Trail.
- **Orange Trail**: 1.5 miles - Moderate - Short loop trail near railroad. This trail follows a network of woods roads through the forest along the east side of the lake and ends as it reaches the spillway.
- **Maze Trail**: 0.5 miles - Easy - Short loop trail near railroad. This trail follows a network of woods roads through the forest.
- **Regional Trails**: 27 miles - Multiuse - This trail travels through sections of woods and rocky hillsides, and along the Musconetcong River. The trail also offers multiple scenic views on the north side of the river.

### Trailhead:

- **Sussex Branch Trail along rocky single-track through the forest.**
- **Waterloo/517 Trail**: A scenic forested loop trail that travels along a ridge above the Musconetcong River. The trail runs between Ditch Road and the railroad tracks on the north side of Allamuchy Mountain. This trail is a short loop trail along a mix of single-track and double-track forest paths.
- **Red Trail**: A moderate to difficult 2-mile trail that starts at Waterloo Road and goes along the Musconetcong River to Waterloo Village. This trail also offers panoramic views of the surrounding landscape.
- **Blue Trail**: A moderate 2-mile trail that follows the Morris Canal Greenway for a short distance through the historic canal along the Musconetcong River to Waterloo Village.
- **Purple Trail**: A moderate 10-mile trail that follows the Morris Canal Greenway for a short distance through the historic canal along the Musconetcong River to Waterloo Village.
- **Red Trail**: A moderate 1-mile trail that follows the Morris Canal Greenway for a short distance through the historic canal along the Musconetcong River to Waterloo Village.
- **White Trail**: A moderate 1-mile trail that follows the Morris Canal Greenway for a short distance through the historic canal along the Musconetcong River to Waterloo Village.
- **Yellow Trail**: A moderate 0.5-mile trail that follows the Morris Canal Greenway for a short distance through the historic canal along the Musconetcong River to Waterloo Village.