

# OUR FAVORITE HIKES No 34: THE CONAWAGO RECREATIONAL TRAIL

Trail data is approximate:

Trail Head	0.00 m
First road crossing at Aberdeen	1.36 m
2nd road crossing at Beverly	2.10 m
Power line I-283	2.26 m
3rd road crossing	2.38 m
4th road crossing	2.55 m
5th road crossing at Bellaire	3.19 m
Last road crossing County line	3.93 m
	4.38 m
	4.67 m

This delightful little trail is part of the County Parks and Recreation Department of Lancaster County. It also represents a RAILS TO TRAILS trail.

It is only five miles long and being an abandoned railroad, it is relatively flat, thus it represents an excellent trail for beginners.

Trail head can be reached via US Route 230 south of Middletown, just south of the Dauphin--Lancaster County line.

Hike is out and return by the same route, unless cars are spotted. There is ample parking at the trail head, and limited parking at the 2nd road crossing and probably at the last road crossing for spotting cars only. Access roads, as indicated on the map are tortuous.

