Welcome to DCR's Tolland State Forest

The centerpiece of this state forest is the 1,063-acre Otis Reservoir. The lake provides a wide variety of recreational activities. A public boat launch ramp is available, popular with fishermen seeking out trout and bass in the lake's depths. Tolland offers over 10,000 acres and in addition to its water related sports, offers camping and hiking.

It is part of the Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR), an agency of the Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs. DCR oversees 450,000 acres of parks, forests, beaches, bike trails, waterways, and trails. Its mission is to protect, preserve, and enhance the state's natural, cultural, and recreational resources. To learn about DCR and to discover more parks and recreational opportunities within the Massachusetts state parks, visit www.mass.gov/dcr

Designated by a heart symbol, Healthy Heart Trails are pathways or trails used for walking or walking that are easily to maintain an active level and intended for routine use to help build a healthy heart.

TRAIL USE GUIDELINES AT TOLLAND
- Stay on designated trails and roads.
- Observe all posted rules and regulations.
- Motorized units limited in speed at Headquarters.
- Be respectful of other trail users
- Avoid startling horses and hikers - announce yourself.
- Equinets: Contain your horses.
- Be aware of hunting season, and wear blaze orange when appropriate.
- Off-road Vehicle (ORV)/ATV: Riding season:
  Map Island Saturday in November, weather permitting.
  NO ORV/ATV operation allowed in campground.

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