Welcome to DCR's Willard Brook State Forest

Both quiet wooded campgrounds, Willard Brook and Pearl Hill offer over 5,000 acres of park land primarily used for camping, fresh water swimming and hiking.

They are part of the Massachusetts state park system and are managed by the Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR), an agency of the Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs.

DCR oversees 400,000 acres of parks, forests, beaches, bike trails, waterfalls, and dams. 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.

TRAIL USE GUIDELINES AT WILLARD BROOK

- Stay on designated trails and roads.
- Observe all posted signs and regulations.
- Off-road Vehicle (ORV) use prohibited.
- Be respectful of other trail users.
- Hikers: Allow bicyclists and equestrians to pass.
- Bicyclists: Control your bike do not skid.
- Avoid startling horses and hikers- announce yourself.
- Equestrians: Control your horse.
- Be aware of hunting seasons and wear blaze orange when appropriate.

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