

Kendall Brook Forest Emergency Access Information

Cemetery Road, Greenwood Pine Ridge Road, Greenwood Vernon Street, Bethel

Multi-use dirt & gravel roads and open space for mountain biking, hiking and snowshoeing

Open year round, winter use allowed.

Interior Road Access: Yes

Property Overview: The Kendall Brook Forest property extends from Mount Abrams to Bethel and to Greenwood. The Community Access Trail System (CATS) uses old woods roads and gravel roads to cross through the forest.

Main Access: There are three parking lots that serve as the main access points. There is a grass parking lot and map kiosk at the top of Cemetary Road in Greenwood. There is a dirt parking lot and map kiosk at the end of Pine Ridge Road in Greenwood. There is no parking on Vernon Street in Bethel but there is a trail sign at the start of the off road section diagonally across the street from the Legion Hall.

Schedule: There are no gates for the main access points in this network. It is accessible from dawn to dusk. The roads may be closed due to conditions on certain sections.

Additional Information:

The Cross New Hampshire Trail (XHNAT) terminates in Bethel. There is an extension of that route into Maine that presently uses the CATS corridor, finishing at the Pine Ridge Road in Greenwood. Logging operations may be present in winter 2023 near Vernon Street. In winter, the Greenstock Snowmobile Club maintains a trail network including Rabbit Road and Brown Road connecting Albany TWP, Greenwood, and Bethel through this property.

Interior Road Access: Authorized vehicles can access the woods roads and gravel roads via Rabbit Road near Telstar, Pine Ridge Road, Eddies Road, Verrill Lane. The Cemetery Road entrance is narrow and features a large bermed section and can not accommodate vehicles. From the Vernon Street side there is a significant washout and ford on Rabbit Road, and access here is not recommended.

In addition, there is road access from Rt 26 across from #326 that connects to Platinum Road and Brown Road and intersects part way along the CATS trail- see the map. There is a gate on this road and Inland Woods + Trails holds the key.

Coordinates of significant landmarks:

Vernon Street Access: 44.40555, -70.78053 Cemetery Road parking lot: 44.38795, -70.71580 Pine Ridge Road parking Lot: 44.40004, -70.70719

Brown Road/Platinum Road junction: 44.41104, -70.75608

Map

