

# HATHAWAY ACRES

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**Area:** 22 Acres

**Activities:** Fishing, Nature Observation, Cross-Country Skiing

**Significance:** Natural Area

**Trail Mileage:** 0.7 mile

## ABOUT THE PROPERTY

After acquiring Hathaway Acres with state Self-Help grant funding in 1969, the Town undertook several construction initiatives to mitigate damage caused by sand and gravel operations, including grading and planting hundreds of trees. Trails from both Salem St. and Draper Dr. lead toward Martins Brook and the “Black Lagoon,” once a popular ice skating spot. Additional trail connections exist across Salem Street behind the Medical Center which connect to the old rail bed, extending to Andover Street.

## ACCESS & PARKING

Trail entrances on Draper Drive, the end of Charlotte Road, and Salem Street.  
Street parking on Draper Drive.