



## TRAILS

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# Recreational Experiences Close to Home!

### Fin & Feather Lake (Mike Zack WL Area)

16638 320th St

A one mile trail encircles Fin & Feather Lake on the west side of Mike Zack Wildlife Area. This trail is also an excellent area to walk dogs due to its status as a designated dog-training area.



### Lime Creek Conservation Area

3501 Lime Creek Rd., Mason City, IA 50401

A nine-mile network of trails. Hiking, horseback riding, and biking are allowed on all designated trails except the concrete *Easy Access Trail* located near the Lime Creek Nature Center. **Bikers and horseback riders must remain on designated trails.**



### Prairie Land Trail

13773 240th St

The Prairie Land Trail is a Rails to Trails program trail that spans 21 miles. The trail runs from 240th St in SW Mason City to 100th St SW of Meservey. The trail surface is in various stages of development. The northern most portion of the trail is crushed limestone and the remaining is old rail bed with the ties &



### Trolley Trail

Mason City to Clear Lake

This is a five-mile asphalt trail from Mason City to Clear Lake for biking and hiking. The Trolley Trail connects to public trails in both Mason



### Shellrock River Greenbelt & Preserve

Rock Falls to Nora Springs

A 6.5 mile roadway trail along the limestone bluffs of the Shellrock River that is an outstanding scenic corridor for hiking, biking, and horseback riding. **ATV traffic is prohibited on all county property. Horses and bicycles must remain on the roadway.** A primitive camping, equestrian camping and picnic area are available in the preserve section of the greenbelt, located on Yucca Ave. between 290th & 280th Streets.



### Wilkinson Pioneer Park

21425 Vine Ave

The road through the park provides an excellent trail for hiking, biking, and horseback riding along the Shellrock River and includes a unique covered bridge and rare native prairie. Additional mowed trails along prairie edges in the park are signed.



### White Wildlife Area

22038 Vine Ave

A ¾ mile boardwalk trail loops through 34 acres of open marsh, wooded swamp, restored prairie and timber.



### Willow Creek Preserve

west of the Eisenhower Ave. and 12th St. intersection in Mason City  
A 3/4 mile hiking trail along Willow Creek bisects this 25-acre site.

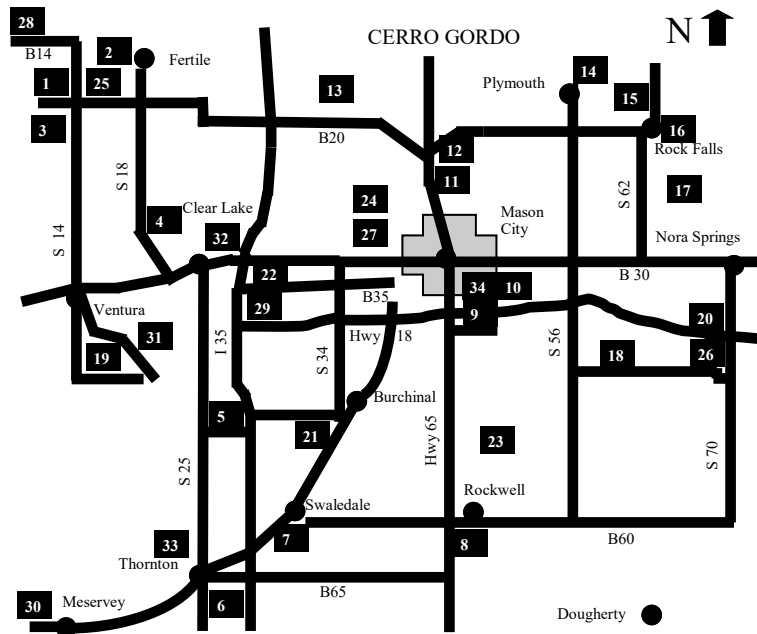




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1. Haugen Wildlife Area-22151 Apple Ave
2. Mallard Marsh-2500 - 325th St
3. Kuhn Wildlife Area-1873 - 310th St
4. Winter Garden Park-1220 N 16th St NW
5. Zirbel Slough-8447 - 200th St
6. Ingebretson Park-203 Ash St E
7. Stille Wildlife Area-4821 Jonquil Ave
8. Linn Grove Park-518 Madison St W
9. Mike Zack Wildlife Area-16638 - 230th St
10. Averydale Access-South of US Hwy 18 on Birch Drive
11. Lime Creek Conservation Area and Nature Center-3501 Lime Creek Rd
12. Spring Creek Preserve-15829 - 300th St
13. King Fisher Hollow-10250 Wheelerwood Dr
14. Strand Park-20057 - 340th St
15. White Wildlife Area-22038 Vine Ave
16. Wilkinson Pioneer Park-21425 Vine Ave
17. Shellrock River Greenbelt & Preserve
18. Claybanks Forest-22924 - 225th St
19. Blue Wing Marsh-3748 - 220th St
20. Grover's Meadow-15580 Zinnia Ave
21. Walch Wildlife Area-10811 - 190th St
22. Trolley Trail-B-35 from Mason City to Clear Lake
23. Blazing Star Prairie-16747 - 180th St

24. Blair Meadows Preserve-1/4 mile west of intersection of Eisenhower Ave & 12th St NW (north side of road)
25. Winnebago Oxbow-3100 - 320th St
26. Limestone Prairie Preserve-24928 - 225th St
27. Willow Creek Preserve-1/4 mile west of intersection of Eisenhower Ave & 12th St NW (south side of road)
28. Prairie Pothole Wildlife Area-24493 Apple Ave
29. Bluebill Wildlife Area-14369 Indigo Ave
30. **Prairie Land Trail-13773 240th St (trailhead)**
31. Sister's Prairie Trail-2854 235th St (trailhead)
32. **Donna Walker Nature Area-8103 - 315th St**
33. Ring-Neck Wildlife Area-5891 - 125th St
34. Goranson Access-3139 Birch Dr

**Partial List of Rules and Regulations**

1. It is illegal to remove, injure, destroy or deface any natural or man-made materials, including trees, flowers, plants or wildlife except with permission (mushrooms, fruits and nuts can be harvested for personal use).
2. Biking and horseback riding is allowed on designated trails only.
3. All parks are closed to use from 10:30 p.m. until 6 a.m.
4. All wastes and trash will be placed only in receptacles provided and carried out by the user.
5. Camping is allowed in designated areas only.
6. All pets in park areas must be on a 6 foot leash.

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