



Franklin & Bellingham Rail Trail

Map of the (SNETT) Southern New England Trunkline Trail in the Towns of Franklin & Bellingham Massachusetts

Notes of Interest

The Franklin & Bellingham Rail Trail Committee (FBRTC) is a volunteer advocacy group dedicated to the development, maintenance, and financial support of the Southern New England Trunkline Trail as a multi-use, universally accessible recreational path. Penn Central Corp. abandoned the trail bed and the Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) purchased it in 1984. This section of the trail was built in 1849. The trail illustrated in this map runs 4.08 miles from Grove St. in Franklin to So. Main St. in Bellingham. The SNETT rail trail includes another 19 miles which passes through the towns of Blackstone, Millville, Uxbridge and Douglas into Thompson, CT. Some bridges are missing. The surface is small stone gravel and parts have been graded.

Map Legend

- Information
- Railroad Crossing
- Rail trail
- Railroad with rails
- Paved Road
- 1 Mile
- Revised Dec 2012

