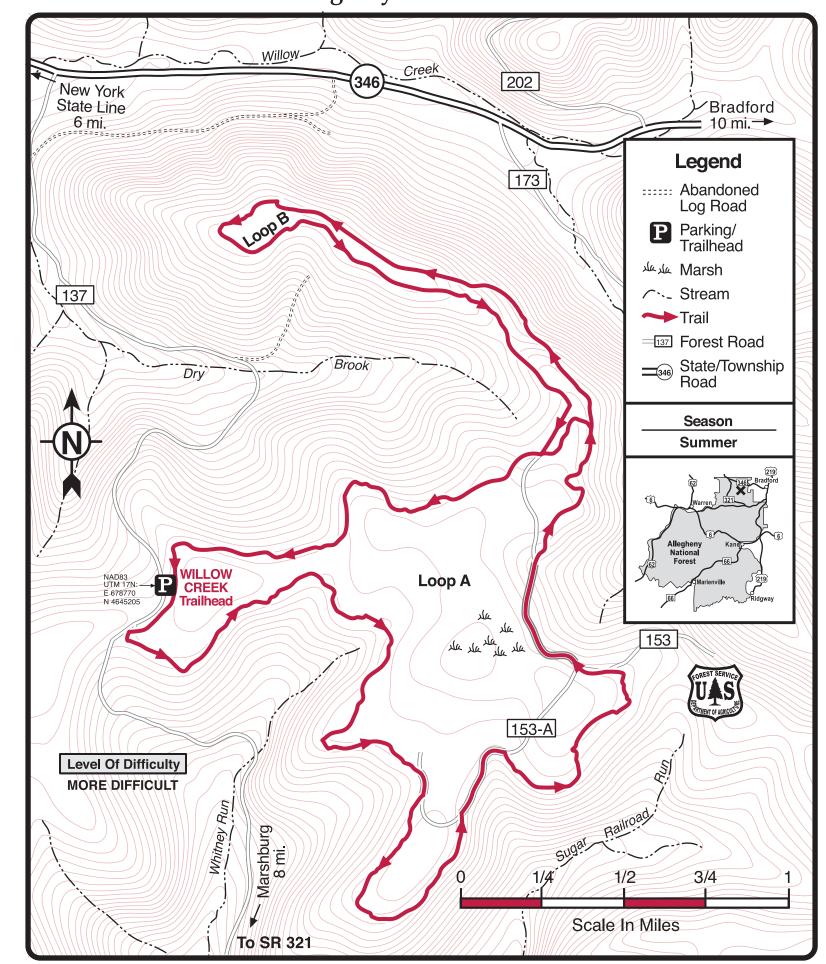
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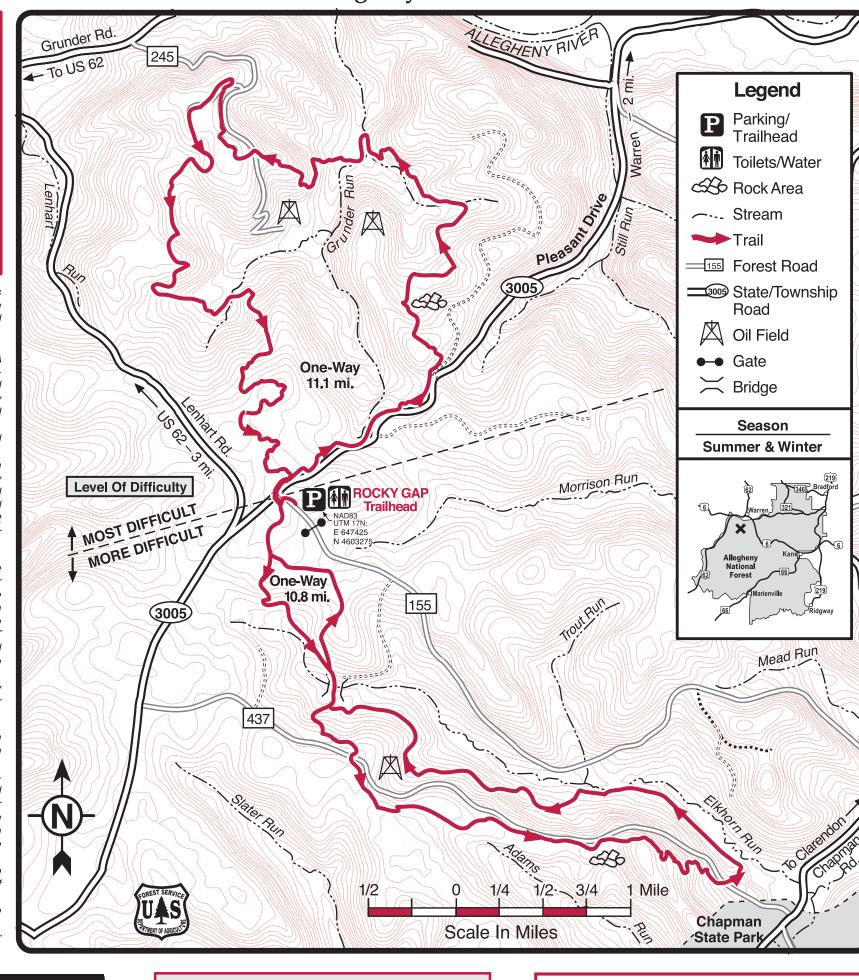
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#### INFORMATION

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## **WILLOW CREEK**

#### ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLE (ATV) and OHM TRAIL

**FINDING THE TRAIL** – Willow Creek trailhead parking is located on Forest Road 137, approximately 2 miles south of State Route 346 and 11 miles west of Bradford. The trail is located on the Stickney USGS topographic map.

RIDING THE TRAIL – (50" max. width). The Willow Creek ATV Trail is approximately 10 miles of old roads traversing scenic and forested hills of the Allegheny National Forest. This trail is rated MORE DIFFICULT. The trail is ONE-WAY travel except where posted otherwise. There are NO restrooms at the trailhead.

**CUSTOMER SERVICE** – The Bradford area offers food, lodging, gas, and medical facilities. The Bradford Ranger Station, located at the junction of State Route 59 and State Route 321, has additional books and materials to help you enjoy the Allegheny National Forest. The trail is open, dependent on weather and trail conditions, from the Friday before Memorial Day through the last Sunday in September.

Call ahead. Trails may be closed during adverse conditions.

#### INVASIVE PLANTS

Invasive plants are plants which grow quickly and aggressively, spreading and displacing other plants. Invasive plants may take over areas limiting the use of the area by wildlife and recreationists.

ANF trail users can help prevent the spread of noxious weeds by:

- Cleaning/washing equipment before arriving at the trail and after trail use.
- Staying on designated trails.
- Learning how to identify and remove invasive plants such as multiflora rose, garlic mustard, and Japanese knotweed.

#### **REGULATIONS FOR ATV TRAILS**

- Mufflers and spark arresters are required on all ATV/OHM machines. Noise cannot be more than 99 decibels.
- ATV/OHM front and back lights must be used between sunset and sunrise.
- All operators and passengers must wear a DOT or Snell-approved helmet regardless of age.
- Passengers under 8 years of age can only ride in a "Side by Side ATV" with an approved child safety seat. Any passengers less than 4 years of age, or weighing less than 40 lbs., or under the height of 4'9" must use a child restraint device. Any passenger between ages 4 and 7 and weighing less than 80lbs. and/or any passenger under the height of 4'9" must be fastened in a factory-installed ATV seat belt system with the use of an approved booster seat.
- Passengers 8 years of age and older may only ride on an ATV capable of carrying passengers.
- Speeds over 25 mph are prohibited.
- All operators must be at least 8 years of age.
- All operators between 8 and 15 must have an ATV safety training certificate in their possession.
- All operators ages 8 and 9 are restricted to an ATV/OHM with an engine size of 70cc or less.
- All operators between 8 and 15 must be accompanied and supervised by an adult.

#### **Forest Service Mission:**

"To sustain the health, diversity, and productivity of the Nation's forests and grasslands to meet the needs of present and future generations."

## **ROCKY GAP**

#### ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLE (ATV) and OHM TRAIL

FINDING THE TRAIL – The Rocky Gap trailhead parking is located on Forest Road 155, off State Road 3005 (Pleasant Drive), 6 miles south of Warren, PA. The trail is located on the Warren USGS topographic map. You can also access the trail anywhere it crosses a public road.

RIDING THE TRAIL – (50" max. width and snowmobiles). This 23.1 mile trail is divided into two loops by State Road 3005 (Pleasant Drive). Due to steep side slopes, the ATV rider may experience difficulty in some sections. Please exercise extra caution in these areas. The southern loop is 10.8 miles and rated MORE DIFFICULT. The northern loop is 11.1 miles and is rated MOST DIFFICULT. Both trails are ONE-WAY travel except where otherwise posted.

During the winter season, this dual-use trail provides snowmobile access from the northwest to the Allegheny Snowmobile Loop system. This trail is not groomed.

**CUSTOMER SERVICE** – The Warren area offers food, lodging, gas, and medical facilities. The Allegheny National Forest Supervisor's Office, located on State Route 62 north of Warren, has additional books and materials to help you enjoy the Allegheny National Forest. The trail is open from the Friday before Memorial Day through the last Sunday in September; and may be open in the winter (weather dependent).

Call ahead. Trails may be closed during adverse conditions.

#### **EMERGENCY**

CALL 911 FIRST. The nearest hospital is located in Warren, PA, 6 miles away. Take Pleasant Drive north to Main St. Turn left on Main and go straight to the hospital at the intersection with St. Clair Street.

GATE PASS-THROUGHS ON THE FOREST ARE NARROW AND MAY NOT ACCOMMODATE ALL ATVS.

### SAFETY MESSAGES

- Become familiar with Pennsylvania's Snowmobile and All-Terrain Vehicle laws.
- Always wear a DOT or Snell approved helmet.
- Drive within your level of skill and ability.
- Be aware of other users of various ages and skill levels on the trail.
- Riders in two-way travel areas should keep to the right and be alert for oncoming traffic.
- Be alert for signs on the trail: STOP, BRIDGE AHEAD, and LOGGING AREA.
- Trail conditions are subject to change without notice. Hazards may exist which are unmarked. Please obey all posted signage, stay on designated trails, and yield to other vehicles. Ride safe, ride with respect, and enjoy your visit to the Allegheny National Forest.