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Andes Rail Trail New York



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From the depot, one can walk 1.8 miles out-and-back along the trail's natural and grassy surface, still spotting old railroad ties in some places. Outstanding views of mountains, woodlands, fields, a babbling stream, and the remnants of an old stone mill can be seen along the way.

At the end of the rail-trail portion, you can continue on the Bullet Hole Spur, which offers a more challenging



hike. This 2.2-mile addition climbs the ridge above the rail bed through hardwood forest high above Bullet Hole Creek and the Tremperskill Valley.

## TrailLink.com



States: New York Counties: Delaware Length: 4miles Trail end points: Andes Train Depot (266 Depot St, Andes) to Bullet Hole Creek Trail surfaces: Dirt,Grass Trail category: Rail-Trail Trail activities: Walking,Cross Country Skiing

## Parking & Trail Access

Ample parking is available by the trail entrance and next to the Train Depot (drive through the gate area next to the pergola). The trail's entrance gate is located at 266 Depot Street (aka Cabin Hill Road/County Route 2). For detailed directions, visit the <u>TrailLink map</u>.



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