

Farmington Canal Heritage Trail



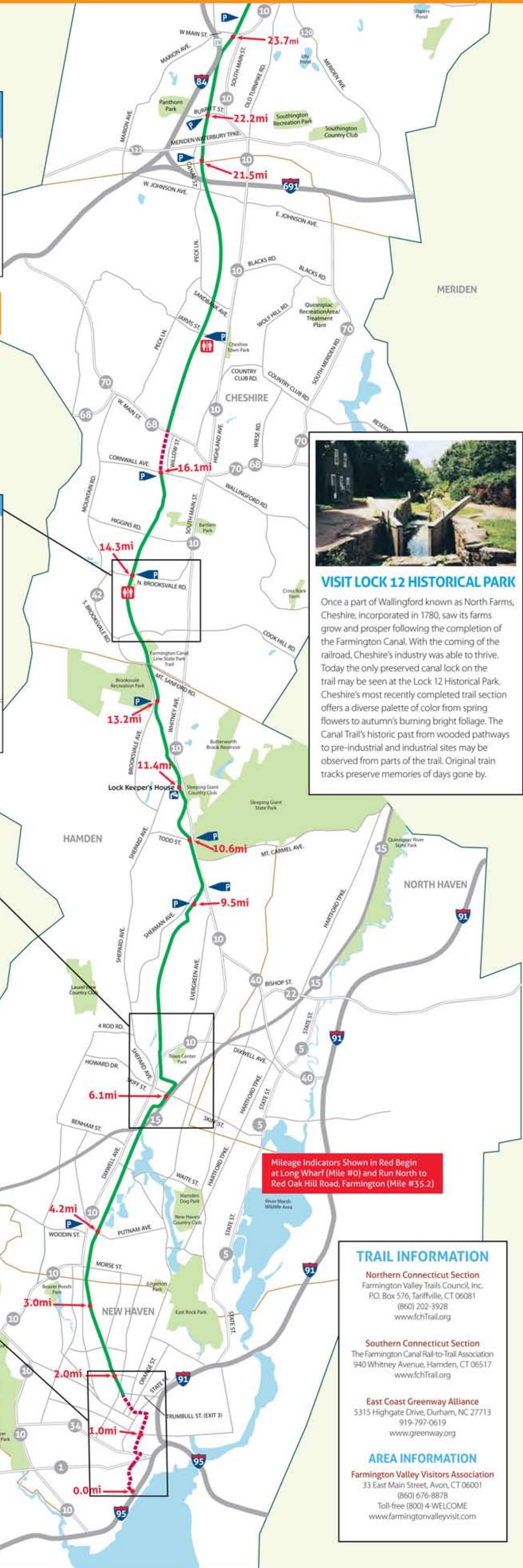
- Farmington Canal Heritage Trail
- Farmington River Trail
- Proposed Route
- - - Under Construction
- P Parking
- P with Wheelchair Access
- P Mile Marker*
- ♿ Porta Potty (some may be seasonal)
- ♿ Water Fountain (seasonal)
- Paved Trail Surface
- Stonedust Trail Surface
- Bike Route (on roadway)

Scale in Miles



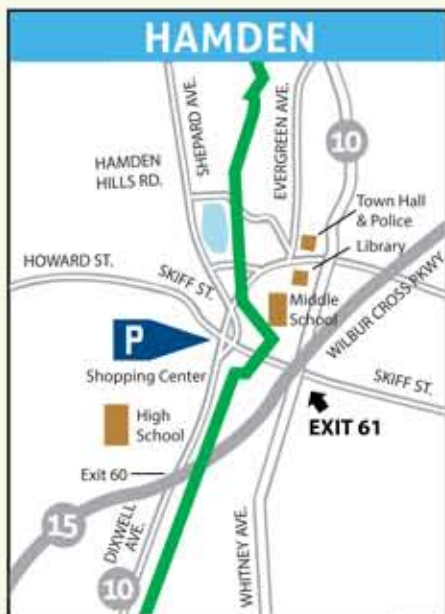
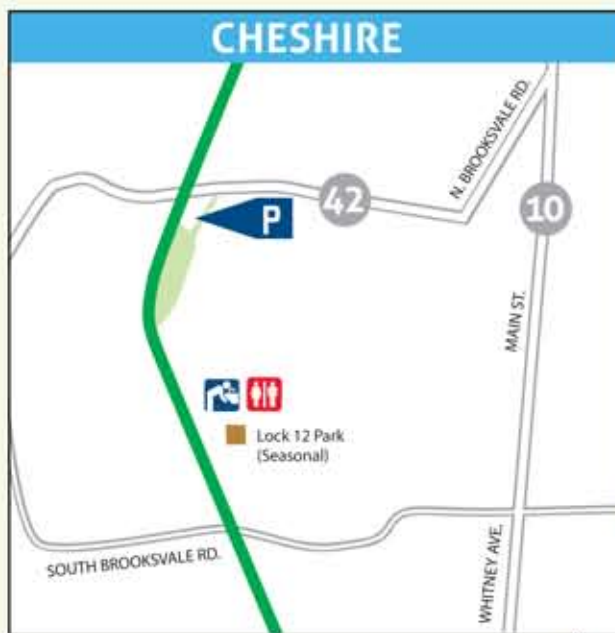
*Mileages are based on the actual and proposed route of the trail. Actual mileage may vary slightly.

For interim on-road portions see East Coast Greenway Maps at greenway.org/maps



VISIT LOCK 12 HISTORICAL PARK

Once a part of Wallingford known as North Farms, Cheshire, incorporated in 1780, saw its farms grow and prosper following the completion of the Farmington Canal. With the coming of the railroad, Cheshire's industry was able to thrive. Today the only preserved canal lock on the trail may be seen at the Lock 12 Historical Park. Cheshire's most recently completed trail section offers a diverse palette of color from spring flowers to autumn's burning bright foliage. The Canal Trail's historic past from wooded pathways to pre-industrial and industrial sites may be observed from parts of the trail. Original train tracks preserve memories of days gone by.



Mileage Indicators Shown in Red Begin at Long Wharf (Mile #0) and Run North to Red Oak Hill Road, Farmington (Mile #35.2)

TRAIL INFORMATION

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