

Eagle Rock Trail

Big Moose TWP. -69.74149, 45.48653



Location/driving directions: Located at the end of the East Moore Bog Rd. (off North Rd.), within the Little Moose Public Lands, Moosehead Junction TWP & Big Moose TWP.

Drive approximately 5 miles west from downtown Greenville and leave ME Rte. 6/15 turning onto the North Rd. (gravel). Drive 3.6 miles in from Rt. 6/15, turning onto the East Moore Bog Rd. and traveling another 1.4 miles.

Trail uses: Day-hiking

Trail length: 3.7 miles (one-way, moderate difficulty)

Prohibited uses: Snowmobiles, ATVs, camping (on trail easement)

Forest Management: working forest up to boundary of no-cut forest reserve area

Trail construction: Maine Conservation Corps

Status: Trail constructed with only minor improvements remaining. Trailhead parking area established but signage and restroom facilities not yet completed.

Overview: The trail is a primitive footpath originating on the Little Moose Public Lands managed by the Maine Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry's Bureau of Parks and Lands. It soon enters into property owned by Plum Creek. Eagle Rock, the trail namesake and destination, is a remarkable rock outcropping on the far western tip of Big Moose Mt. A somewhat less dramatic but very scenic west-facing ledge lies approximately a mile closer to the trailhead than Eagle Rock and can serve as a destination in itself. Settings encountered include a variety ranging from working forest to areas with little evidence of harvesting and mature forest stands.

