

North Coast Inland Trail – Huron County

Thought I'd send you the information for our small, but growing, trail in Huron County. It is a converted rail trail across the northern part of Huron County that will link up to Lorain and Sandusky counties portions in the future. Lorain/Sandusky do not allow horses but the entire length of the Huron county portion is equine friendly. We currently have 3.3 miles open from Norwalk to Monroeville, and are working west toward Bellevue. When finished the trail will be 16 miles long. It has dirt/ballast/crushed limestone and/or grass surfaces. There is a small parking area at North West Street in Norwalk and a larger area at the K of C in Monroeville. Please stay toward the south side at the K of C parking area. The trail has some interesting bridges to cross and is multi use so expect dog walkers, bicyclists, cross country skiers and other non motorized users. It does run next to an active line so trains may come by, but it is physically separated by woods etc from the active line. This is the only public bridle trail in Huron County and is being developed and maintained by Firelands Rails To Trails, an all volunteer, non profit group. The website link is <http://www.firelandsrailstotrails.org/>.

Thanks, Joyce Dupont
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