

Cutler City Wetlands



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Trailheads and Parking

This 26-acre Open Space is located in the Cutler City community in the southernmost part of Lincoln City. Gentle for the legs and magical for the eyes, this trail is a favorite with the locals and a wonderful place to visit. It has a series of developed trails allowing several routes of discovery through the wetlands. Up to 1.25 miles of trail can be explored, depending on your route. The path is mostly flat and very well maintained.

Getting There:

There are four different points of entry. The trail can be accessed from Hwy 101. Turn west onto SW 63rd St and drive one block to the trailhead. Parking is available on the right at a small pull-out.

Additional entrances are located along SW Inlet Ave at either of the two well-marked entrances.

Trail Information

Length: 1.25 miles of wandering trails.

Route Type: Loop

Dogs: Welcome on a leash

Difficulty: Easy



Rhododendron

The wetlands of Cutler City are especially noted for the glorious Pacific rhododendron bloom that happens in the late spring. Cutler City is distinguished as the rhododendron capital of Lincoln County.



Downy Woodpecker

This cute, little woodpecker is fairly common around Lincoln City and can be spotted throughout the year. The Pacific downy has a darker underside than does its Eastern counterpart. Their small size (barely bigger than a chickadee) allows them to join with mixed-species flocks of birds, especially in winter. The male has the bright red patch on the back of its head.



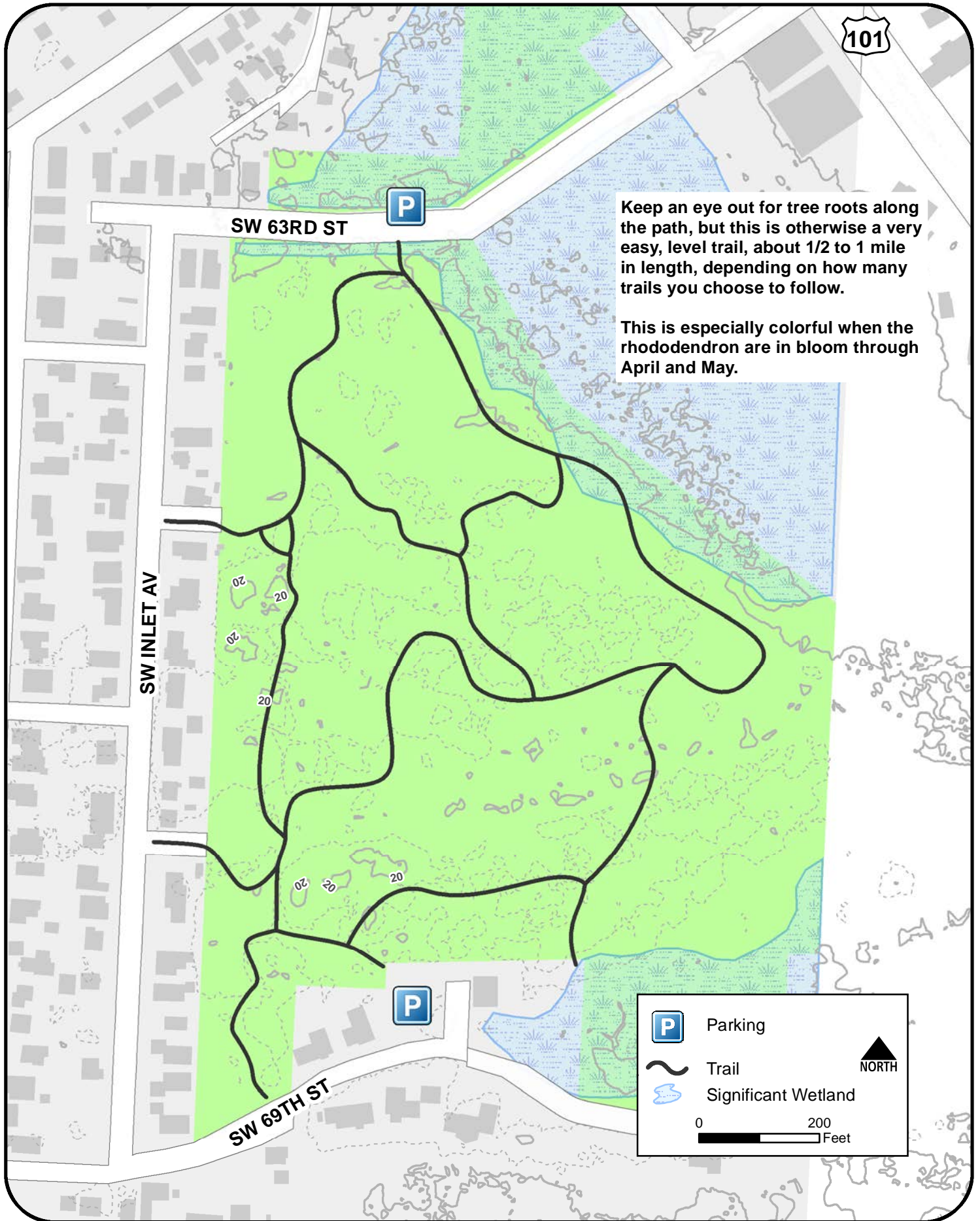
Rough-Skinned Newt

These newts tromp around the forest in slow motion, from stream to higher ground, flashing their orange undersides in a threat display, which includes pointing their chins at the sky, and curling up their tails. They exude a neurotoxin (tetrodotoxin) from their skin. The only predator that can eat them are appropriately adapted garter snakes.







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Keep an eye out for tree roots along the path, but this is otherwise a very easy, level trail, about 1/2 to 1 mile in length, depending on how many trails you choose to follow.

This is especially colorful when the rhododendron are in bloom through April and May.

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