



# Westchester County

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## Briarcliff-Peekskill Trailway

No passport required to marvel at the second-largest hand-hewn stone structure in the world, second only to the Giza Pyramids in Egypt—just hike this trailway to enjoy the magnificent Croton Dam spillway and its cascading waterfall at Croton Gorge Park. Or delight in panoramic views, complete with a birds-eye view of the Hudson River, from the perch of the 560-foot high Spitzenberg Mountain at the Blue Mountain Reservation in Peekskill. In the mood for a more leisurely stroll? Then amble along the unpaved pathways of the 12-mile linear park, built on lands that were originally intended to become a parkway. No bicycles on this trail.

### SITES OF INTEREST ALONG THE **BRIARCLIFF-PEEKSKILL TRAILWAY**

- Blue Mountain Reservation, Sportsman Center
- Croton Gorge Park
- John E. Hand Memorial Park
- Teatown Lake Reservation

#### **PARKING & MAJOR POINTS OF ACCESS**

- Peekskill: Blue Mountain Reservation, Washington
- Cortlandt: Sportsman Center, Watch Hill Rd.
- Cortlandt: Charles Cook Park, Colabaugh Pond Rd.
- Cortlandt: Croton Gorge Park, Route 129
- Ossining/Yorktown: Teatown Lake Reservation, Spring Valley Rd.

### **MAP KEY**

Trail or Bike Path • • • • Planned Trail **Trail on Road or Sidewalk Briarcliff-Peekskill Trailway Bronx River Pathway Colonial Greenway North-South County Trail Old Croton Aqueduct State Historic Trail** Westchester RiverWalk

Railroad/Stations

**County Parks State Parks** 

**Trail Parking**