

Berks Protect Lands and Trails in the Pennsylvania Highlands

Berks County protected lands include public and non-public fee and easement lands within the Pennsylvania Highlands. Trails include local and regional hiking trails and water trails.

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Introduction

The Appalachian Mountain Club has compiled the protected lands, public and non-public fee and easement lands, as well as local and regional hiking trails and water trails that are within the Pennsylvania Highlands within the county of Berks. Regional hiking and water trails are within a minimum of 3 municipalities. Local hiking trails are within one or two municipalities. Hiking trails include both on and off road trails.

This compilation is meant to be a resource for those living and working in the Pennsylvania Highlands. However, because protection of lands and trail development are constantly evolving, please understand that the information in this guide will also change. While we will do our best to keep the information current, please make sure to check other sources and the internet for the most current information.

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Total GIS Acreage	553,529
GIS Acres within the PA Highlands	316,710
% of County within the PA Highlands	57%

Adamstown Borough		13 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	0	0%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		0	0%
Lands Protected Since 2012		0	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Alsace Township		7,790 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	33	< 1%
County	Fee	60	1%
Municipality	Fee	55	< 1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	12	< 1%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	72	1%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	35	< 1%
Total		267	3%
Lands Protected Since 2012		3	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		2.2	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		2.2	

Amity Township		11,853 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	10	0%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	619	5%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	22	< 1%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	42	< 1%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	152	1%
Total		845	7%
Lands Protected Since 2012		0	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		5.1	
Regional Land Trails		0.8	
Water Trails		3.0	
Total		8.9	

Regional hiking and water trails within Amity Township include the Schuylkill River Trail – Thun Trail and the Schuylkill River Water Trail.

Bally Borough		332 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	11	3%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		11	3%
Lands Protected Since 2012		0	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Bechtelsville Borough		324 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	12	4%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		12	4%
Lands Protected Since 2012		0	

Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0.4	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0.4	

Birdsboro Borough		872 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	31	4%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	2	< 1%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	26	3%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		59	7%
Lands Protected Since 2012		3	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		1.3	
Water Trails		0.6	
Total		1.9	

Regional hiking and water trails within Birdsboro Borough include the Schuylkill River Trail – Thun Trail and the Schuylkill River Water Trail.

Boyertown Borough		495 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	2	< 1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	1	< 1%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		3	< 1%
Lands Protected Since 2012		0	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Brecknock Township		11,412 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	1,175	10%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	47	< 1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	184	2%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	304	3%
Total		1,710	15%
Lands Protected Since 2012		137	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		8.6	
Water Trails		0	
Total		8.6	

Regional hiking trail within Brecknock Township includes the Horse-Shoe Trail.

Caernarvon Township		5,713 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	144	3%
County	Fee	2	< 1%
Municipality	Fee	74	1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	65	1%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	959	17%
Total		1,244	22%
Lands Protected Since 2012		0	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0.8	
Total		0.8	

Regional water trails within Caernarvon Township includes the Conestoga River Water Trail.

Colebrookdale Township		5,406 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	5	< 1%
Municipality	Fee	50	1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	89	2%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		144	3%
Lands Protected Since 2012		16	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Cumru Township		13,515 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	692	5%
County	Fee	121	1%
Municipality	Fee	108	1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	59	< 1%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	209	2%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		1,189	9%
Lands Protected Since 2012		47	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		16.3	
Regional Land Trails		2.4	
Water Trails		3.9	
Total		22.6	

Regional hiking and water trails within Cumru Township include the Schuylkill River Trail – Thun Trail and the Schuylkill River Water Trail.

District Township		7,379 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	119	2%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	56	1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	1,280	17%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	160	2%
Total		1,615	22%
Lands Protected Since 2012		591	

Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Douglass Township		8,078 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	6	< 1%
Municipality	Fee	120	1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	6	< 1%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	89	1%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	110	1%
Total		331	4%
Lands Protected Since 2012		110	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		1.4	
Water Trails		0	
Total		1.4	

Regional hiking trail within Douglass Township includes the Schuylkill River Trail – Thun Trail.

Earl Township		8,845 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	7	< 1%
Municipality	Fee	516	6%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	142	2%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	175	2%
Total		840	9%
Lands Protected Since 2012		14	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Exeter Township		15,730 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	508	3%
County	Fee	354	2%
Municipality	Fee	430	3%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	44	< 1%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	32	< 1%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	477	3%
Total		1,845	12%
Lands Protected Since 2012			
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		3.9	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		4.0	
Total		7.9	

Regional water trail within Exeter Township includes the Schuylkill River Water Trail.

Fleetwood Borough		660 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	33	5%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	23	3%
Total		56	8%
Lands Protected Since 2012		0	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Heidelberg Township		9,181 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	32	< 1%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	0	0%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	3,440	37%
Total		3,472	38%
Lands Protected Since 2012		74	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		1.5	
Total		1.5	

Regional water trail within Heidelberg Township includes the Tulpehocken Creek Water Trail.

Hereford Township		9,873 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	25	< 1%
County	Fee	7	< 1%
Municipality	Fee	30	< 1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	220	2%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	258	3%
Total		540	5%
Lands Protected Since 2012		75	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		6.1	
Total		6.1	

Regional water trail within Hereford Township includes the Perkiomen Creek Water Trail.

Kenhorst Borough		370 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	9	2%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		9	2%
Lands Protected Since 2012		0	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0.5	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0.5	

Kutztown Borough		1,050 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	11	1%
Municipality	Fee	38	4%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	4	< 1%
Total		53	5%
Lands Protected Since 2012			
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0.7	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0.7	

Laureldale Borough		508 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	64	13%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		64	13%
Lands Protected Since 2012			
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0.6	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0.6	

Longswamp Township		14,661 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	255	2%
Municipality	Fee	48	< 1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	91	1%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	1,450	10%
Total		1,844	13%
Lands Protected Since 2012		168	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		5.0	
Total		5.0	

Regional water trail within Longswamp Township includes the Little Lehigh Creek Water Trail.

Lower Alsace Township		3,058 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	659	22%
Municipality	Fee	531	17%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	212	7%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	27	1%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		1,429	47%
Lands Protected Since 2012		0	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		31.2	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		31.2	

Lyons Borough		227 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	1	< 1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	17	7%
Total		18	8%
Lands Protected Since 2012		0	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Maidencreek Township		9,468 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	6	< 1%
Municipality	Fee	2,176	23%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	1,273	13%
Total		3,455	36%
Lands Protected Since 2012		191	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		22.5	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		22.5	

Maxatawny Township		16,601 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	220	1%
Municipality	Fee	33	< 1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	241	1%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	2,913	18%
Total		3,407	21%
Lands Protected Since 2012		619	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Mohnton Borough		492 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	5	1%
Municipality	Fee	16	3%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	1	< 1%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		22	4%
Lands Protected Since 2012		0	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Mt Penn Borough		275 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	1	< 1%
Municipality	Fee	1	< 1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		2	1%
Lands Protected Since 2012		0	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Muhlenberg Township		7,700 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	74	1%
Municipality	Fee	515	7%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		589	8%
Lands Protected Since 2012		0	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		4.7	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		2.5	
Total		7.2	

Regional water trail within Muhlenberg Township includes the Schuylkill River Water Trail.

New Morgan Borough		3,672 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	484	13%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		484	13%
Lands Protected Since 2012		0	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Oley Township		15,399 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	13	< 1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	79	1%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	7,068	46%
Total		7,160	46%
Lands Protected Since 2012		190	

Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Ontelaunee Township		5,971 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	1,063	18%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	9	< 1%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	16	< 1%
Total		1,088	18%
Lands Protected Since 2012		16	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		4.4	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0.5	
Total		4.9	

Regional water trail within Ontelaunee Township includes the Schuylkill River Water Trail.

Pike Township		8,970 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	2	< 1%
Municipality	Fee	16	< 1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	1,228	14%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	62	1%
Total		1,308	15%

Lands Protected Since 2012		771	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Reading City		6,527 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	7	< 1%
County	Fee	53	1%
Municipality	Fee	805	12%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	56	1%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	21	< 1%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		942	14%
Lands Protected Since 2012		70	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		28.9	
Regional Land Trails		2.3	
Water Trails		5.9	
Total		37.1	

Regional hiking and water trails within Reading City include the Schuylkill River Trail – Thun Trail and Schuylkill River and Tulpehocken Creek Water Trail.

Richmond Township		15,070 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	19	< 1%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	75	< 1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	12	< 1%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	4,190	28%
Total		4,296	29%
Lands Protected Since 2012		199	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0.8	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0.8	

Robeson Township		21,868 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	586	3%
County	Fee	35	< 1%
Municipality	Fee	39	< 1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	178	1%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	1,550	7%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	201	1%
Total		2,589	12%
Lands Protected Since 2012		1,672	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		16.8	
Regional Land Trails		11.6	
Water Trails		1.7	
Total		30.1	

Regional hiking and water trails Robeson Township within include the Horse-Shoe Trail, the Schuylkill River Trail – Thun Trail, and the Schuylkill River Water Trail.

Robesonia Borough		572 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	14	2%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	7	1%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		21	4%
Lands Protected Since 2012			
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Rockland Township		10,885 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	21	< 1%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	0	0%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	721	7%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	350	3%
Total		1,092	10%
Lands Protected Since 2012		179	

Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Ruscombmanor Township		8,787 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	278	3%
Municipality	Fee	20	< 1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	30	< 1%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	53	1%
Total		381	4%
Lands Protected Since 2012		0	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Shillington Borough		617 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	45	7%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		45	7%
Lands Protected Since 2012		0	

Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Sinking Spring Borough		804 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	4	< 1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		4	< 1%
Lands Protected Since 2012			
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

South Heidelberg Township		8,805 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	388	4%
County	Fee	0	0%
Municipality	Fee	295	3%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	280	3%
Total		963	11%
Lands Protected Since 2012		388	

Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Spring Township		11,882 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	46	< 1%
State	Fee	398	3%
County	Fee	78	1%
Municipality	Fee	310	3%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	5	< 1%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		837	7%
Lands Protected Since 2012		5	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		5.2	
Regional Land Trails		1.7	
Water Trails		1.3	
Total		8.2	

Regional hiking and water trails within Spring Township include the Horse-Shoe Trail and the Tulpehocken Creek Water Trail.

St Lawrence Borough		564 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	28	5%
Municipality	Fee	8	1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	14	2%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	0	0%
Total		50	9%

Lands Protected Since 2012		0	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0.4	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0.4	

Topton Borough		442 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	0	0%
County	Fee	1	< 1%
Municipality	Fee	10	2%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	0	0%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	2	< 1%
Total		13	3%
Lands Protected Since 2012		0	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	

Union Township		14,959 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	515	3%
State	Fee	6,136	41%
County	Fee	1	< 1%
Municipality	Fee	191	1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	46	< 1%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	757	5%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	142	1%
Total		7,788	52%

Lands Protected Since 2012		850	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		35.6	
Regional Land Trails		13.5	
Water Trails		3.1	
Total		52.2	

Regional hiking and water trails within Union Township include the Horse-Shoe Trail, the Schuylkill River Trail – Thun Trail, and the Schuylkill River Water Trail.

Washington Township		9,036 GIS Acres	
Public Landowner	Type	GIS Acres	% of Municipality
Federal	Fee	0	0%
State	Fee	167	2%
County	Fee	22	< 1%
Municipality	Fee	46	< 1%
Non-Public Landowner			
NGO/Non-Profit Organization	Fee	0	0%
Private Landowner	Conservation Easement	113	1%
Private Farm Owner	Agricultural Easement	198	2%
Total		546	6%
Lands Protected Since 2012		94	
Trails		GIS Miles	
Local Land Trails		0	
Regional Land Trails		0	
Water Trails		0	
Total		0	