

The GREENBELT

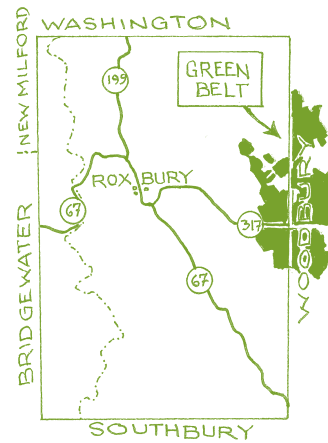
Trail system of 3-6+ miles

Good Hill Farm Preserve Trailhead, Woodbury
Arthur Miller & Inge Morath Miller Preserve
Widmark Preserve, Good Hill Schoolhouse
Rebecca Miller Addition, on behalf of the Family
Levine Donation
Painter Hill Loop

No trails

Good Hill Farm Preserve (*active farmland*), Roxbury
Baldwin Connector
Widmark Preserve
Styron Preserve
Matthau Preserve

Map is an artistic rendering by Billy Steers.



Access: Greenbelt TRAILHEAD at the Good Hill Farm Preserve off Good Hill Road/Route 317, Woodbury, just east of the farm buildings. Parking and kiosk. Red farm loop and blue trail.

The **GREENBELT** Project resulted from a challenge by Rebecca Miller. If Roxbury Land Trust would purchase a 20-acre parcel, she would donate 100 contiguous acres, resulting in a greenbelt from Good Hill Farm Preserve to Painter Hill Road. RLT implemented a mini-campaign in 2014 with resounding support from the Neighborhood.

The 476-acre Good Hill Farm Preserve was part of RLT's *Campaign to Save Our Farms* and was purchased from the Pond Family in 2003/Roxbury portion and in 2004/Woodbury portion. It was purchased with two grants from Connecticut's Open Space and Watershed Acquisition Fund, a grant from the Town of Woodbury's Open Space Fund and many private donations. In 2014 Good Hill Farm was designated by the State Register of Historic Places as one of 200 important state agricultural properties.

Good Hill Farm Preserve is actively farmed. The reclamation of the old orchard is funded by USDA Natural Resource Conservation Service.

Trail system enhanced by many volunteers and the Shepaug Senior Project of Cory McGuinn, 2015.



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Good Hill Farm Preserve
to Painter Hill Road

Trail Map



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The **GREENBELT** stretches along the eastern ridge of Roxbury from the Good Hill Farm Preserve to Painter Hill Road in Woodbury, 720 connected, *permanently protected*, acres.

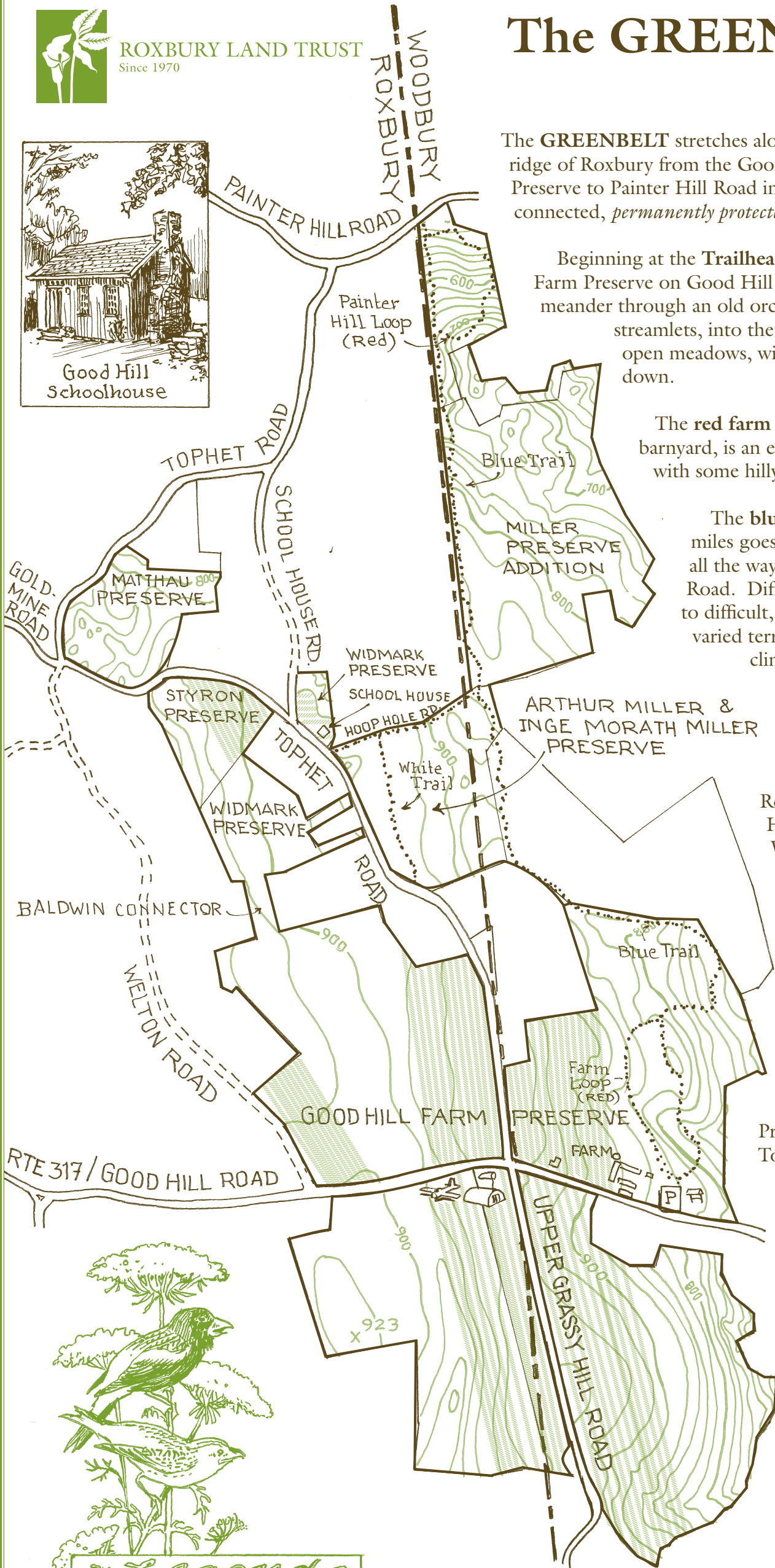
Beginning at the **Trailhead** at Good Hill Farm Preserve on Good Hill Road, the trails meander through an old orchard, across streamlets, into the woodlands, across open meadows, with much up and down.

The **red farm loop**, east of the barnyard, is an easy 1 mile loop with some hilly terrain.

The **blue trail** of 3.31 miles goes from the Trailhead all the way to Painter Hill Road. Difficulty: Moderate to difficult, due to length and varied terrain. Some steep climbs.

Hikers can exit the **blue trail** on the old wood road onto Tophet Road near the Good Hill Schoolhouse, Widmark Preserve, and walk back to the Trailhead along Tophet Road, which provides sweeping views across active farm fields. Or follow the 0.81 mile **white trail** on the Miller Preserve back to Tophet Road.

The **red Painter Hill Loop** of 0.88 miles covers uphill terrain with western views. Difficulty: Moderate



Legend

PARKING	INFO KIOSK
PAVED ROAD	TOWN LINE
DIRT ROAD	BUILDING
TRAIL	FIELD

