

Poudre River Trail

Greeley ~ Windsor ~ Weld County

Welcome to the Poudre River Trail!

This 20-mile recreational trail that follows the Poudre River between Greeley and Windsor was built in a cooperative effort by Greeley, Windsor and Weld County through the dedication of the Poudre River Trail Board. This non-profit agency handled land acquisitions, fund-raising and construction over a period of 15 years. Today, they continue to provide oversight for maintenance, additional trail amenities and programs for this outstanding community resource.

Nearly \$8 million dollars was raised through grants from Great Outdoors Colorado, Colorado State Trails, and the North Front Range MPO, along with matching contributions from local foundations, businesses, individuals and local government. Fund-raising is a continuing effort in order to provide additional improvements such as trailheads, parking, interpretive signs, benches, picnic areas, landscaping and more.

Future plans include connecting to the Poudre Trail in Fort Collins to the northwest and to Riverside Trail in Evans to the southeast. Volunteers are always needed for special projects and the Adopt-a-Trail Program. If you'd like to lend a hand, contract the Trail office.

Trail Rules

- Park only in designated areas
- Trail hours are dawn to dusk
- No motorized vehicles except emergency and maintenance
- Pets must be leashed
- No swimming or pets in the river
- No littering (including animal waste)
- No trespassing off trail
- Do not harass, capture or kill wildlife
- Never feed wild animals
- Do not disturb nests or other animal homes
- Do not pick or remove vegetation
- No fires
- No Camping
- No alcoholic beverages
- No glass containers
- No firearms, paintball, fireworks, or similar devices or activities

Trail Etiquette

- Be predictable
- Stay on right except to pass
- Announce your approach when passing; say "On your left"
- Control your speed
- Yield to slower users
- Be courteous
- Respect private property, stay on the trail
- Keep pets well controlled around other uses, especially cyclists and skaters
- Plan ahead; there are limited facilities on the trail
- Be cautious around trail maintenance activities

