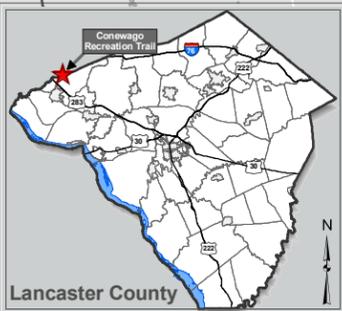
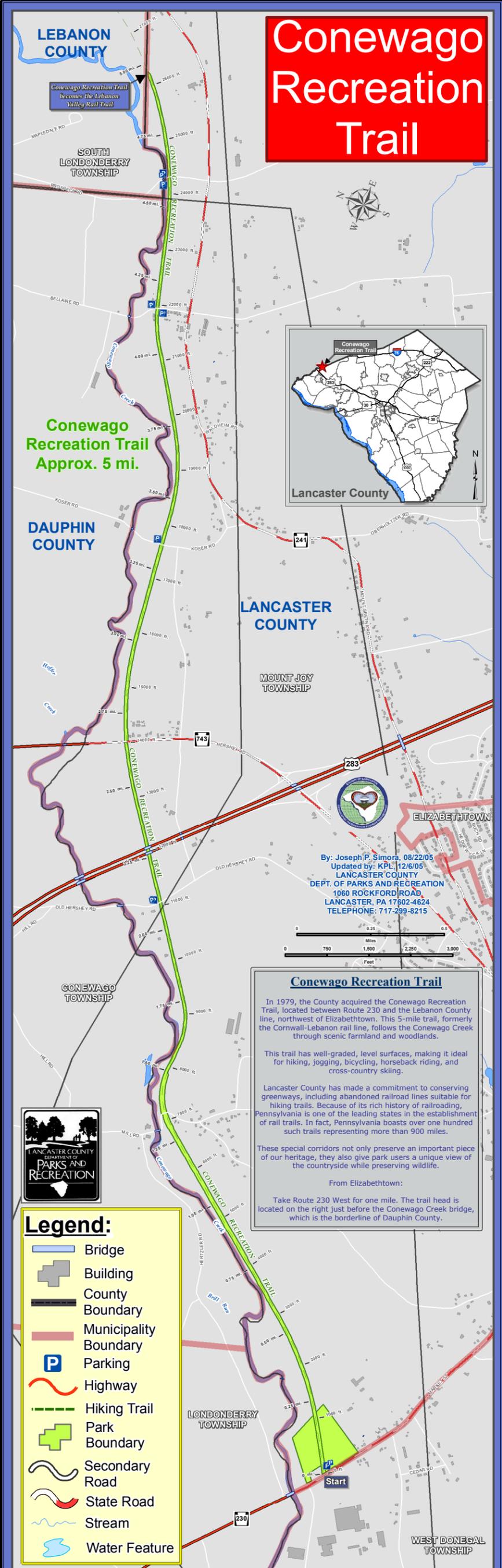


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Approx. 5 mi.

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In 1979, the County acquired the Conewago Recreation Trail, located between Route 230 and the Lebanon County line, northwest of Elizabethtown. This 5-mile trail, formerly the Cornwall-Lebanon rail line, follows the Conewago Creek through scenic farmland and woodlands.

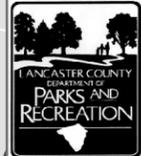
This trail has well-graded, level surfaces, making it ideal for hiking, jogging, bicycling, horseback riding, and cross-country skiing.

Lancaster County has made a commitment to conserving greenways, including abandoned railroad lines suitable for hiking trails. Because of its rich history of railroading, Pennsylvania is one of the leading states in the establishment of rail trails. In fact, Pennsylvania boasts over one hundred such trails representing more than 900 miles.

These special corridors not only preserve an important piece of our heritage, they also give park users a unique view of the countryside while preserving wildlife.

From Elizabethtown:

Take Route 230 West for one mile. The trail head is located on the right just before the Conewago Creek bridge, which is the borderline of Dauphin County.



- Legend:**
- Bridge
 - Building
 - County Boundary
 - Municipality Boundary
 - Parking
 - Highway
 - Hiking Trail
 - Park Boundary
 - Secondary Road
 - State Road
 - Stream
 - Water Feature

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