

Berkshire Bike Routes

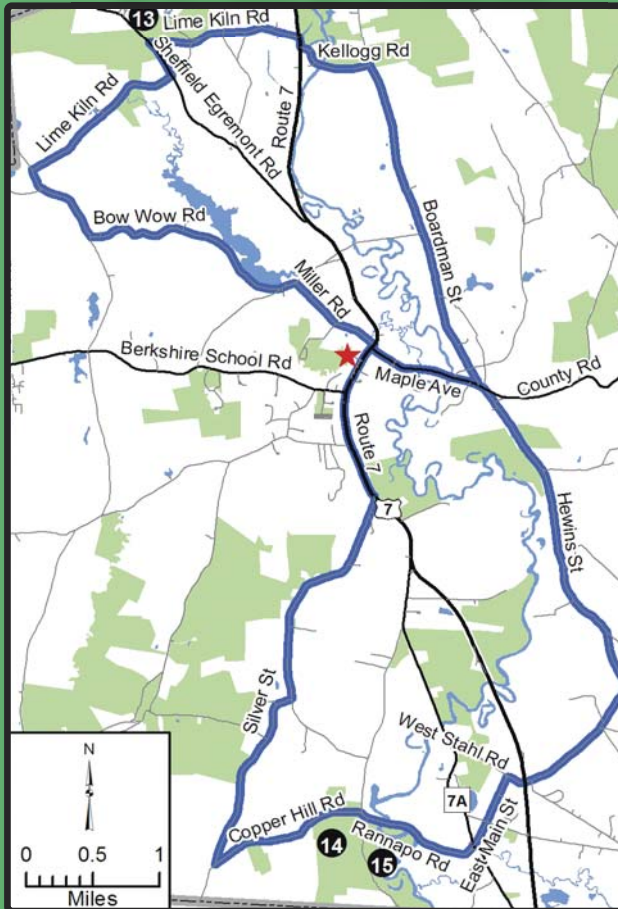
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SHEFFIELD BIKE ROUTES



Description

See the best of Sheffield on this scenic figure-8 loop. There are incredible views of protected farm land, historical sites, the Housatonic River and Mount Everett. On the first loop there is 1.5 miles of dirt road with a panoramic vista, and the second loop has a good climb up Cooper Hill where the view is worth the effort.

3 Featured Attractions

- 13 *Shay's Rebellion Monument*
(5.6mi turn right as the route goes left)
- 14 *Ashley House Historic Museum*
(16.2mi on left)
- 15 *Bartholomew's Cobble Nature Center*
(16.6mi on right)

SHEFFIELD STEP BY STEP DIRECTIONS

Start: Sheffield Town Hall

21 Depot Street, Sheffield, MA 01257

Length: 23 miles (10.6 and 12.4 mile loops)

Difficulty: First loop rolling hills. Second loop good climb at mile 12.0. Total elevation gain 440ft.

Terrain: 1.5 miles of dirt road in first loop, some sections on busier roads

- ★0.0 Turn left/north on **US-7 N/Main St**
- 0.2 Turn right on **Maple Ave**
- 1.1 Turn left on **Boardman St**
- 3.7 Turn left on **Kellogg Rd**
- 4.3 Turn right on **US-7 N/N Main St**
- 4.4 Turn left on **Lime Kiln Rd**
- 5.3 Continue Straight on **Rebellion Rd**
- 5.6 Turn left on **Sheffield/Egremont Rd**
- 5.9 Turn right on **Lime Kiln Rd**

(Dirt road for 1.5 miles)

- 7.2 Turn left on **Bow Wow Rd**
- 9.7 Turn right on **Miller Ave**
- 10.4 Turn right on **US-7 S/Main St**
- 10.6 Town Hall Parking on right

Start Second Loop

- 10.6 Continue south on **US-7 S/Main St**
- 11.9 Turn right on **Silver St**
- 15.2 Sharp left turn on **Cooper Hill Rd**
- 16.5 Turn right on **Rannapo Rd**
- 17.4 Continue Straight on **E. Main St.**
- 18.0 Slight right on **W Stahl Rd**
- 18.2 Straight across Route 7 onto **Hewins St**
- 18.9 Bear left on **Hewins St**
- 21.9 Turn left on **Maple Ave**
- 22.9 Turn left on **US-7 S/Main St**
- 23.0 End on right

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