

MassWildlife Lands User Guide Westfield Wildlife Management Area

Towns: Westfield Acreage: 233

Wildlife Management Zone: 4S

Description of property:

This property consists of the northeast side of Drake Mountain in Westfield where it rises 735 feet to an elevation of 1,050 feet. The primary habitat type of this steep mountainous parcel is mature upland forest composed of central hardwoods and white pine.

Location/Access/Parking

There is a two-vehicle gravel parking area along the west side of Honey Pot Road. Parking areas are not maintained in winter.

Habitat Management

This property is not currently in active management but is reviewed annually regarding the need for forest cutting plans.

Hunting Opportunities

This WMA provides hunting opportunities for mature forest species such as Black Bear, White-tailed Deer, Eastern Coyote, and squirrel.

Wildlife Viewing and Other Features:

Most of this WMA is mapped as Core Habitat in BioMap2, the state's comprehensive biodiversity plan, as this property provides critical habitat for species of conservation concern.

Special WMA Regulations:

None

Useful Links

WMA Regulations

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