



## MassWildlife Lands User Guide

# Leadmine Wildlife Management Area

**Towns:** Holland, Sturbridge

**Acreage:** 826

**Wildlife Management Zone:** 8

### Description of Property

Leadmine WMA features mixed hardwood forest with scattered eastern hemlock and white pine stands.

### Location/Access/Parking

A dirt parking lot for this WMA is located off of Leadmine Road in Sturbridge and can accommodate about 5 vehicles.

### Hunting Opportunities

The habitat at this location supports many game animals including white-tailed deer, eastern coyote, ruffed grouse, black bear, and grey squirrel.

### Fishing Opportunities

The WMA contains numerous small headwater streams but flows can be intermittent depending upon rainfall which largely precludes fishing. However, this property is adjacent to Leadmine Pond which offers fishing opportunities from Leadmine Pond Access.

### Wildlife Viewing and Other Features

In 2011, a tornado touched down on this property. There is ongoing research being conducted at the site of the tornado damage to evaluate change in wildlife populations after severe forest disturbance.

### Special WMA Regulations

None.

### Useful Links

[WMA Regulations](#)

[Habitat Program](#)

[Hunting & Fishing](#)

### Fishing/Hunting Licenses

[Mass.gov/MassFishHunt](https://mass.gov/massfishhunt)

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