



# MassWildlife Lands User Guide

## Mt. Tom Wildlife Management Area

**Towns:** Holyoke

**Acreage:** 80

**Wildlife Management Zone:** 4S

### Description of property:

This property is made up of two parcels that cover the rolling hills surrounding Mt. Tom and the Whiting Street Reservoir. The habitats on this WMA consist of mature upland forest of central hardwoods (oak, hickory, sugar maple, birch) mixed with white pine and hemlock. Broad Brook, a small stream, flows through the eastern half of the property.

### Location/Access/Parking:

Currently no parking areas exist for this WMA. The property can be accessed from Route 141.

### Hunting Opportunities:

This WMA provides hunting opportunities for Black Bear, White-tailed Deer, Bobcat, Eastern Coyote, Raccoon, squirrel, and fox. This area is NOT stocked with pheasant.

### Fishing Opportunities:

Broad Brook is a Coldwater Fisheries Resource and provides fishing opportunities for native Brook Trout, sunfish, and stocked trout species. Go to [Mass.gov/Trout](https://www.mass.gov/trout) for more information.

### Wildlife Viewing and Other Features:

Most of this WMA is mapped as core habitat in BioMap2, the state's comprehensive biodiversity plan. This area contains critical habitat for species of conservation concern and is a great example of a sugar maple-oak-hickory forest community that can be found on the parcel near Whiting Street Reservoir. This community contains both northern hardwood species mixed with oak and hickory. The National New England Scenic Trail (formerly the M&M trail) bisects the property.

### Special WMA Regulations:

None

### Useful Links

[WMA Regulations](#)

[Habitat Program](#)

[Hunting & Fishing](#)

### Fishing/Hunting Licenses

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

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