

Annual Vehicle Pass

An annual vehicle pass is available for the conservation areas in Central Lake Ontario Conservation's watershed. All pass proceeds assist with the maintenance of the conservation areas for your enjoyment.

The pass covers conservation area parking fees and general admission for a period of one year from date of issue. It does not include general admission to special events such as the Purple Woods Maple Syrup Festival.

Passes may be purchased online at www.cloca.com or by calling the Authority Office at (905) 579-0411.



Discover:

- Lynde Shores C.A.
- Heber Down C.A.
- Enniskillen C.A.
- Long Sault C.A.
- Stephen's Gulch C.A.
- Crow's Pass C.A.
- Bowmanville/Westside Marshes C.A.
- Purple Woods C.A.



Locator Map



360 Stephens Mill Road, Clarington, ON

Exit 401 at Liberty St. in Bowmanville, take Liberty St. North to Concession Rd. 4, turn right on Concession Rd. 4, turn left onto Bethesda Rd., take 1st right onto Stephens Mill Rd.

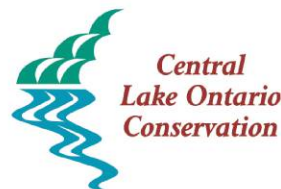
Stephen's Gulch Conservation Area

Located north of Bowmanville, Stephen's Gulch Conservation Area borders a significant portion of the Soper Creek. The Conservation Area protects 354 acres of deciduous forest and coniferous forest/swamp that help maintain both water quantity (through seeps and springs) and water temperature along this section the Soper Creek. Stephen's Gulch Conservation Area also includes a portion of the provincially significant Soper Valley Area of Natural and Scientific Interest (ANSI).

Central Lake Ontario Conservation

"What we do on land is mirrored in the water."

The Central Lake Ontario Conservation Authority was established in 1958. It was formed by the Government of Ontario at the request of the municipalities located within the areas of jurisdiction. Member Municipalities include: Cities of Oshawa and Pickering, Towns of Ajax and Whitby, Municipality of Clarington, Townships of Scugog and Uxbridge.



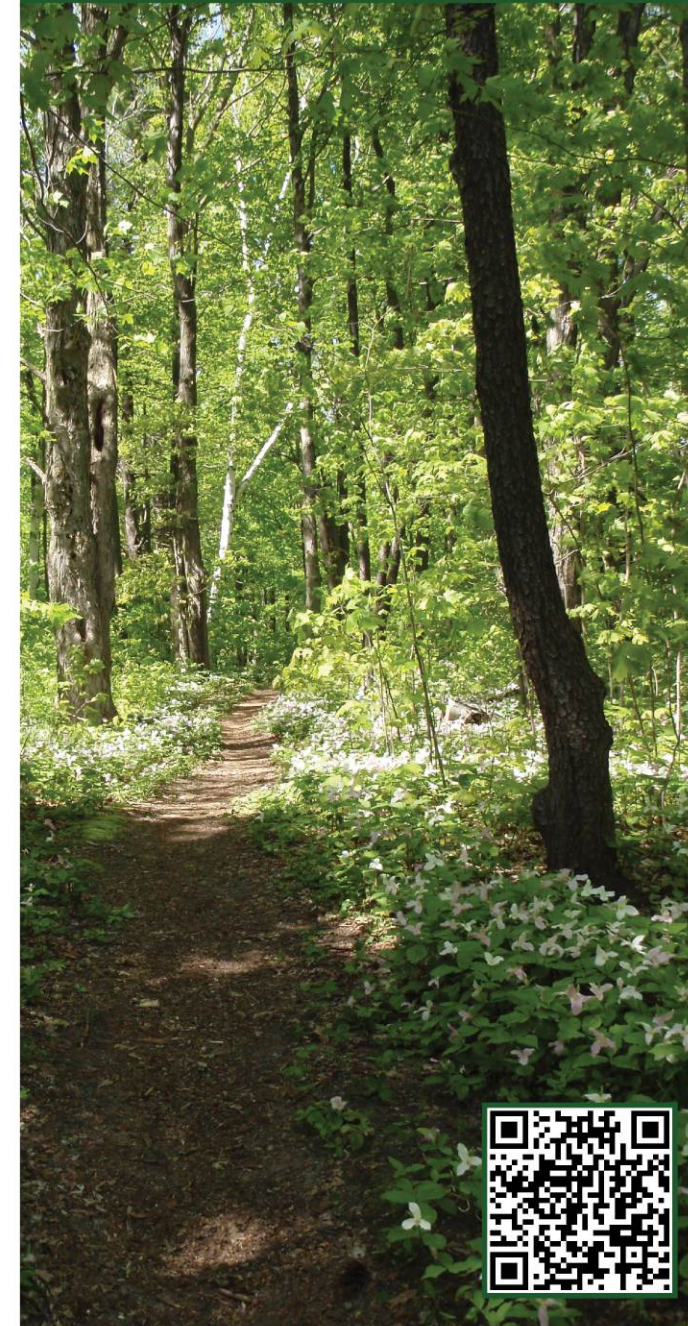
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Trail Map

Bethesda Road

Stephen's Mill Rd

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Trail Etiquette & Rules



Protect nature by staying on the trails, obeying all trail signs, and leaving flowers and plants for others to enjoy.



"Take nothing but pictures and leave nothing but footprints." Do not litter. Stephen's Gulch Conservation Area is a garbage free area. Please take any refuse home with you.



"Remember to stoop and scoop!" **All pets must be on a leash of no more than 2 meters in length**

Respect the rights of other trail users

No mountain bike speeding or "time trials"

(Open year round. Trails not maintained in winter.)

Legend



Stephen's Mill Trail (length 3km)



Parking



Direction of Travel for Bikers and Skiers



Direction of Travel for Hikers

Stephen's Gulch Property Boundary

