Popular Winter Routes

1. Winter parking to Little Lyford Lodge via Hedgehog Gate Trail: 7.7 km (4.8 mi)
2. Little Lyford Lodge to Gorman Chairback Lodge via Lodge to Lodge Trail: 10.3 km (6.4 mi)
3. Winter parking to Gorman Chairback Lodge via Long Pond Trail: 10.4 km (6.5 mi)

Suggested Beginner Routes

- Winter parking to Little Lyford Lodge via KI and Indian Trail: 4.9 km (3.0 mi)
- Winter parking to Gorman Chairback Lodge via Gorman Lodge Trail: 7.7 km (4.8 mi)

Winter parking to Little Lyford Lodge:
- via Long Pond Trail: 10.4 km (6.5 mi)
- via Lodge to Lodge Trail: 10.5 km (6.5 mi)
- via Hedgehog Gate Trail: 6.6 km (4.1 mi)

Winter parking to Gorman Chairback Lodge:
- via Long Pond Trail: 10.4 km (6.5 mi)
- via Lodge to Lodge Trail: 10.5 km (6.5 mi)
- via Hedgehog Gate Trail: 6.9 km (4.3 mi)

Backcountry Trail (ungroomed):
- Appalachian Trail
- Snowmobile Route
- Plowed Road
- Unplowed Road
- Potential Ice Hazard
- AMC Maine Woods Initiative
- National Park Service
- State of Maine

Self-service Cabin
- AMC Recreation and Conservation Area

Parking
- AMC Trailhead
- AMC Campground
- AMC Backcountry Campsite

Lodge
- AMC Lodge
- AMC Backcountry Lodge

Checkpoint
- AMC Checkpoint
- AMC Backcountry Checkpoint

Shelter
- AMC Shelter
- AMC Backcountry Shelter

Winter parking to Little Lyford Lodge:
- via Long Pond Trail: 7.7 km (4.8 mi)
- via Lodge to Lodge Trail: 10.5 km (6.5 mi)
- via Hedgehog Gate Trail: 6.6 km (4.1 mi)

Winter parking to Gorman Chairback Lodge:
- via Long Pond Trail: 10.4 km (6.5 mi)
- via Lodge to Lodge Trail: 10.5 km (6.5 mi)
- via Hedgehog Gate Trail: 6.9 km (4.3 mi)

Backcountry Trail (ungroomed):
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Winter Trails Map Area
- Little Lyford Ponds Area
- Gorman Chairback Area

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Maine Woods Initiative
Lyford & Gorman Winter Trails

Groomed Trail - Easy
- Groomed Trail - Intermediate
- Groomed Trail - Difficult
- Groomed Trail over Ic e
- Route subject to cold conditions
- Backcountry Trail (ungroomed)

Appalachian Trail

Winter parking to Little Lyford Lodge via KI and Indian Trail: 4.9 km (3.0 mi)
Winter parking to Gorman Chairback Lodge via Gorman Lodge Trail: 7.7 km (4.8 mi)
Suggested Beginner Routes
Loop from Medawisla on Lodge Trail to Shaw Mountain Camp and return via Forest Brook Trail, 5.4 km (3.4 mi)
Loop from Medawisla on Hinckley Cove Trail, cross ice, and return via Dr. Wiggles and Lodge Trails, 2.0 km (1.2 mi)

Appalachian Mountain Club Maine Woods Initiative
Medawisla Winter Trails

- Groomed Trail - Easy
- Groomed Trail - Intermediate
- Groomed Trail - Difficult
- Groomed Trail over Ice
- Backcountry Trail (ungroomed)
- Snowmobile Route
- Plowed Road
- Unplowed Road
- Potential Ice Hazard
- AMC Maine Woods Initiative
- State of Maine
- Lodge/Camp
- Gate
- Parking
- Other Closures
- Campsite
- Trail distance between markers is shown in kilometers (in miles).

Contour Interval: 20 ft. (150 ft on street map) October 2018

Popular Winter Routes
1. Clockwise from Medawisla around Second Roach Pond, 16.5 km (10.3 mi)
2. Medawisla to Skyline Trail loop, 16.0 km (10.0 mi)
3. Medawisla to West Branch Pond Camps to Little Lyford, ski Lodge to Lodge Trail and Pleasant River Trail, 27.7 km (17.2 mi)

Medawisla Area
Medawisla to West Branch Pond Camps