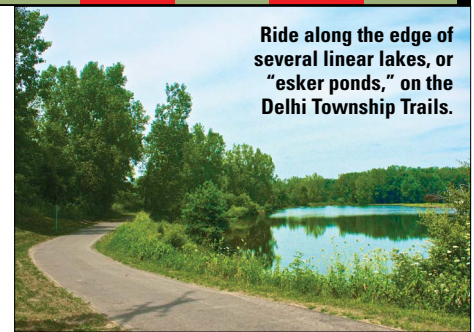


DelhiTownship Trails • South Lansing Pathway

Delhi Township Trails

The Delhi Township Trails are a growing network of paved interurban pathways connecting the community of Holt with the Lansing River Trail. This network includes three trail segments. The Ram Trail runs 4 miles along Holt Road from Holt High School to downtown Holt. The Valhalla Trail travels 2.25 miles from Esker Landing Park to Willoughby Road. The Sycamore Trail continues north for 2.1 miles to the Lansing River Trail and South Lansing Pathway near Maguire Park. The east trails pass along a series of linear lakes; remnants of the ancient

“hogsback,” as it was called by early settlers. The hogsback, an “esker” in geologic terms, was a ridge of nearly pure gravel formed by glaciers that once ran south from Lansing to Mason. Nearly all traces of the hogsback were mined out years ago. Valhalla Park, built on one of these lakes, features a swimming beach and picnic area. Esker Landing Park, at the southern end, offers good trail access, fishing and a universally accessible kayak launch on Cedar Lake. Construction will begin next summer on the Hayhoe Trail, south from Esker Landing Park, which will connect with the Hayhoe Riverwalk in Mason.



Ride along the edge of several linear lakes, or “esker ponds,” on the Delhi Township Trails.

South Lansing Pathway

The 5.8-mile South Lansing Pathway is a paved nonmotorized trail stretching from Waverly Road through Benjamin Davis Park along a Consumers Energy utility corridor to Maguire Park, where it connects with the Lansing River Trail and the Sycamore Trail. From Maguire Park, a northeastern segment of the trail passes through Biggie Munn Park to the new Bear Lake Trail, where it will eventually be extended to Spartan Village on the MSU campus. This east/west interurban trail travels through a mostly residential area, giving local residents easy access to the entire Lansing area trail network. The trail was thoughtfully designed with signalized crossings, or HAWK signals, providing safe passage across busy streets.

The Delhi Township Trails connect the Holt community with the Lansing River Trail, South Lansing Pathway and new Bear Lake Trail.

