

This vision map illustrates an interconnected open space network in LaGrange. The goals of this network are to preserve agriculture, maintain water quality, protect wildlife habitats, preserve scenic views, and create trail connections.

Purpose of the Map: This map serves as a framework for future actions by the town, landowners, and other conservation partners. This map identifies opportunities for the town to work with willing landowners, on a voluntary basis, towards a common goal. The illustrations on this map are intended for planning purposes only and are conceptual in nature.

Open Space Vision Map for the Town of LaGrange

Natural Areas (numbered on the map from 1-9)

Preserve large interconnected areas of forest, wetlands, and other natural habitats and balance with uses that protect the natural resources.

Priority Natural Areas:

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| 1. Taconic Ridge | 6. Rt. 82 Wetlands |
| 2. Freedom Plains | 7. Davis Pond |
| 3. Overlook Preserve Area | 8. Wappinger Creek Floodplain |
| 4. Sprout/Jackson Creek Confluence | 9. LaGrangeville Center |
| 5. Rt. 55 Hilltops | |

Core Farm Areas (numbered on the map from 1 - 4)

Conserve large "core areas" of working farmlands on a voluntary basis, working in cooperation with landowners.

Priority Core Farm Areas:

1. Northwest
2. Sprout Creek North
3. Sprout Creek South
4. Rt. 82 South

Trails

Provide trail connections to natural, cultural, and historical areas in LaGrange and connect them to the town's neighborhoods, centers, and other destinations.

Priority Trails:

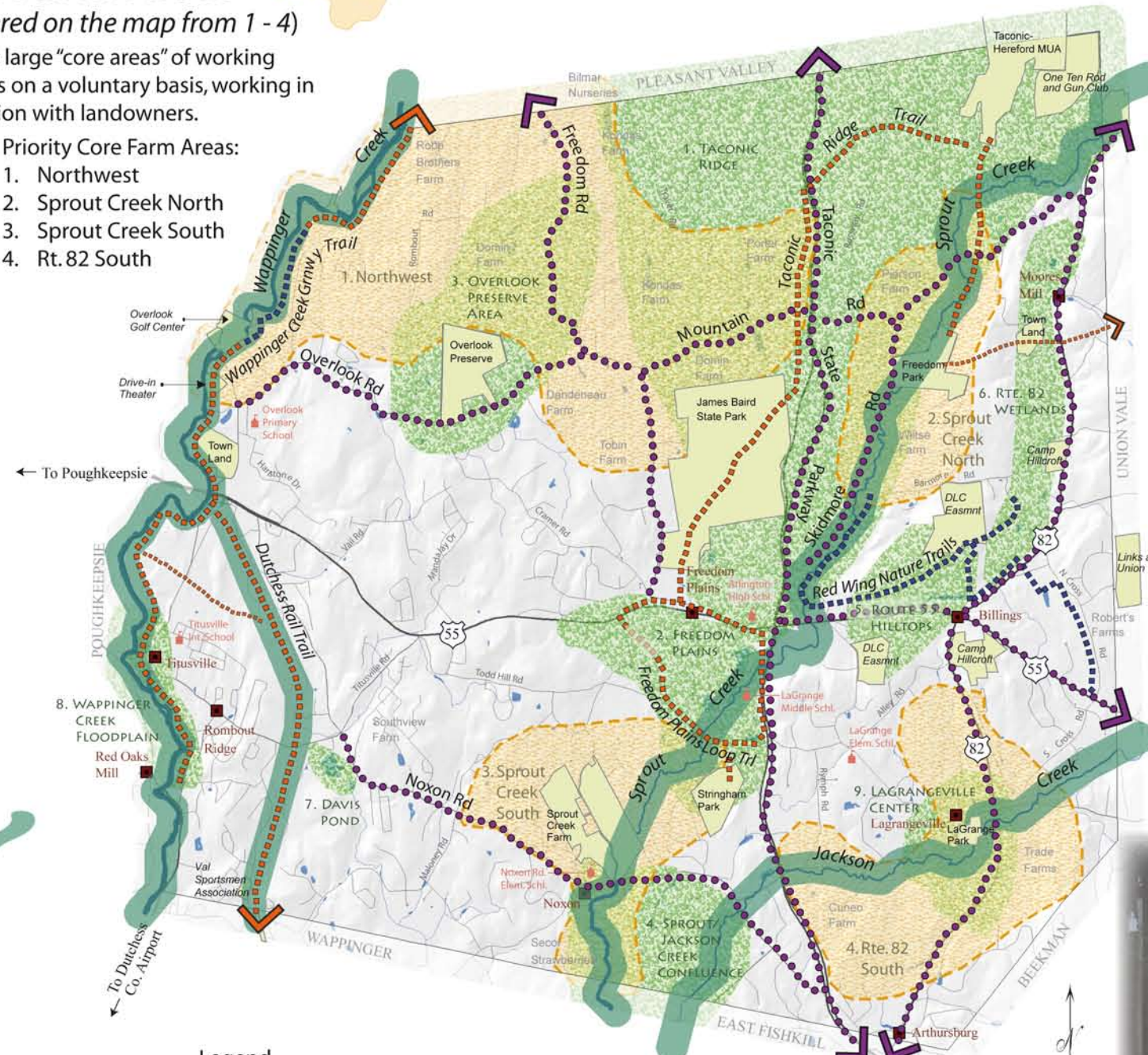
1. Wappinger Creek Greenway Trail
2. Freedom Plains Loop Trail
3. Dutchess Rail Trail
4. Taconic Ridge Trail

Greenway Corridors

Conserve linear corridors of natural resources along streams, such as wetlands, farms, and forest lands, to protect water quality and provide wildlife connections.

Priority Greenways:

1. Wappinger Creek Greenway
2. Sprout Creek Greenway
3. Rail-Trail Linear Greenway
4. Jackson Creek Greenway



Scenic Roads and Views

Preserve views along scenic roads and other areas of town such as along the Taconic Ridge and hilltops.

Priority Scenic Roads:

1. Taconic State Parkway (TSP)
2. Rt. 82
3. Mountain Road
4. Freedom Rd.
5. Skidmore Rd.
6. Overlook Rd.
7. Noxon Rd.
8. Route 55 (East of TSP)