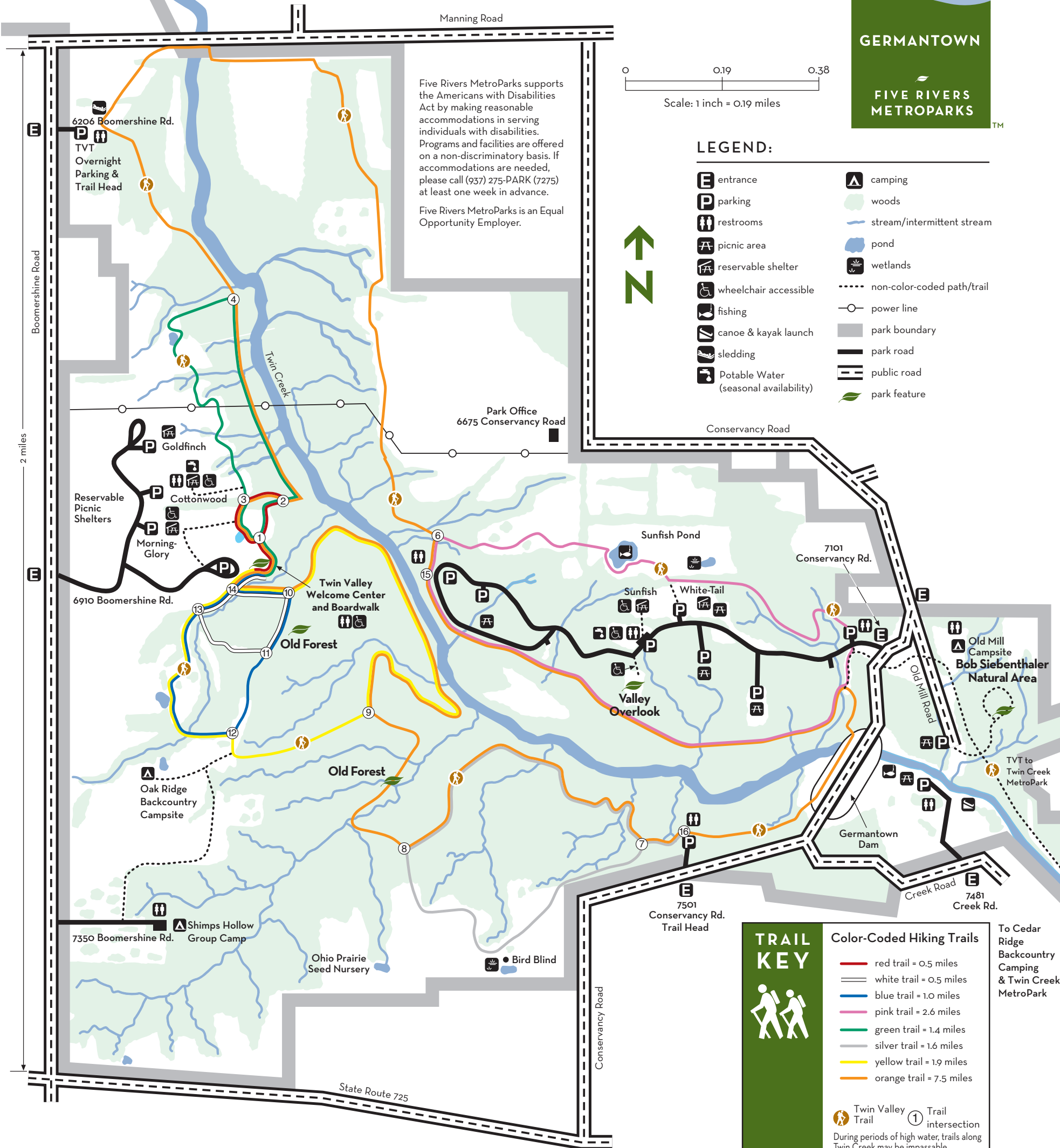


# GERMANTOWN METROPARK



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## LEGEND:

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| <b>E</b> entrance                              | <b>A</b> camping           |
| <b>P</b> parking                               | woods                      |
| <b>♿</b> restrooms                             | stream/intermittent stream |
| <b>♻️</b> picnic area                          | pond                       |
| <b>🏠</b> reservable shelter                    | wetlands                   |
| <b>♿</b> wheelchair accessible                 | non-color-coded path/trail |
| <b>🎣</b> fishing                               | power line                 |
| <b>🚣</b> canoe & kayak launch                  | park boundary              |
| <b>🛷</b> sledding                              | park road                  |
| <b>🚰</b> Potable Water (seasonal availability) | public road                |
|  | park feature               |

## PARK FEATURES

**BOB SIEBENTHALER NATURAL AREA**  
This beautiful woodland offers a rich display of spring wildflowers and scenic hiking year-round. The area honors the many contributions former MetroParks Commissioner Bob Siebenthaler made to land stewardship and conservation in the Miami Valley.

**OLD FOREST**  
One of the most exciting features of this park is the mature and old-growth woodland preserved here. It is the largest tract of old woods in Montgomery County. This magnificent forested area is filled with large, old trees hinting at what Ohio's forests were like before European settlement.

Due to its size, it provides crucial habitat for species not found in other areas. A variety of small orchids have been found, and wildflowers carpet the Old Forest in the spring. Wild turkeys have also been spotted. Breeding bird surveys indicate brown creepers and summer tanagers nest here, both rare occurrences for Montgomery County.

**VALLEY OVERLOOK**  
For a spectacular view, especially during the peak of fall color, stop at the Valley Overlook. Year-round, this site provides a scenic view into and across Twin Creek Valley. Park at the restroom parking lot and follow the path to the wooden overlook platform.

**TWIN VALLEY WELCOME CENTER**  
This center, a renovation of the former Germantown MetroPark Nature Center, is scheduled to open in late spring 2016. After it's completed, hikers will be able to get water, use restrooms and take shelter from inclement weather 24/7.

Visit [metroparks.org/twwelcomecenter](http://metroparks.org/twwelcomecenter) for more info.

To Cedar Ridge Backcountry Camping & Twin Creek MetroPark