

# Henderson Trails Guide

## Complete Guide to Henderson's 215+ Miles of Trails and Outdoor Adventure

### Executive Summary

Henderson's comprehensive trail system encompasses over 215 miles of diverse terrain, from family-friendly paved paths to challenging mountain trails, connecting neighborhoods, parks, and natural areas throughout the city. This trail network serves hikers, cyclists, runners, equestrians, and nature enthusiasts with well-maintained paths that showcase Henderson's natural beauty while providing safe, accessible outdoor recreation for all skill levels and interests.

### Henderson Trails System Overview

#### Comprehensive Trail Network Excellence

##### 215+ Miles Connecting Community and Nature

##### Trail System Statistics:

- **Total Trail Miles:** 215+ miles of diverse trails throughout Henderson
- **Trail Types:** Paved multi-use trails, natural surface hiking trails, mountain biking paths
- **Connectivity:** Trails connecting neighborhoods, parks, schools, and natural areas
- **Maintenance Standards:** Regular maintenance ensuring safe, accessible conditions
- **User Diversity:** Trails serving pedestrians, cyclists, equestrians, and specialized users
- **Seasonal Access:** Year-round trail access with seasonal considerations

##### Geographic Coverage:

- **Urban Trails:** Paved trails connecting residential areas and community facilities
- **Desert Trails:** Natural surface trails accessing Henderson's desert environment
- **Mountain Access:** Trails providing access to surrounding mountain areas
- **Wash Systems:** Trails following natural drainage systems through the city
- **Park Connections:** Trails linking Henderson's extensive park system
- **Regional Connectivity:** Connections to broader Las Vegas Valley trail network

##### Trail System Benefits:

- **Transportation Alternative:** Trails providing non-motorized transportation options
- **Recreation Access:** Safe outdoor recreation opportunities near residential areas

- **Health and Fitness:** Facilities supporting active lifestyles and physical fitness
- **Environmental Connection:** Access to natural areas and wildlife viewing
- **Community Building:** Trails bringing neighbors together through shared outdoor experiences
- **Economic Impact:** Trail system supporting property values and tourism

#### **User Safety and Maintenance:**

- **Regular Inspections:** Systematic trail inspection and maintenance programs
- **Safety Features:** Emergency call boxes, mile markers, and safety signage
- **Surface Maintenance:** Regular maintenance of paved and natural surfaces
- **Vegetation Management:** Landscape maintenance ensuring clear, safe passages
- **Emergency Access:** Clear access for emergency vehicles and services
- **User Education:** Safety education and trail etiquette programming

## **Pittman Wash Trail - Henderson's Signature Trail**

### **8.5 Miles of Family-Friendly Paved Excellence**

#### **Henderson's Most Popular Multi-Use Trail**

##### **Trail Overview:**

- **Length:** 8.5 miles of continuous paved trail
- **Surface:** Completely paved asphalt surface throughout
- **Route:** Arroyo Grande Sports Complex to Pebble Road and Topaz Street
- **Width:** Multi-use trail accommodating pedestrians, cyclists, and fitness activities
- **Difficulty:** Easy to moderate, suitable for all ages and fitness levels
- **Primary Users:** Families, recreational cyclists, walkers, joggers, and fitness enthusiasts

##### **Trail Route and Access Points:**

The Pittman Wash Trail follows natural drainage systems through Henderson, providing a safe, scenic route that connects multiple neighborhoods, parks, and community facilities while showcasing the city's commitment to non-motorized transportation and recreation.

##### **Northern Terminus - Arroyo Grande Sports Complex:**

- **Address:** 298 N Arroyo Grande Blvd, Henderson, NV
- **Facilities:** Parking, restrooms, water fountains, sports facilities
- **Trail Features:** Trail beginning with immediate access to sports complex amenities
- **Connectivity:** Connection to Green Valley High School and surrounding neighborhoods
- **Parking:** Extensive free parking serving trail users and sports complex visitors

- **Public Transit:** RTC bus route access for car-free trail access

#### **Major Access Points:**

- **Pecos Legacy Park:** Mid-trail access with restrooms, splash pad, and parking
- **Multiple Neighborhood Access:** Convenient access from surrounding residential areas
- **Street Crossings:** Safe, well-marked crossings at major intersections
- **School Connections:** Access points near schools and educational facilities
- **Commercial Areas:** Trail access near shopping and business districts
- **Transit Connections:** Multiple RTC bus stops providing trail access

#### **Southern Terminus - Pebble Road and Topaz Street:**

- **Location:** Residential area terminus with neighborhood access
- **Parking:** Street parking and nearby residential access
- **Trail Features:** Natural ending point integrating with residential community
- **Future Expansion:** Potential for future trail extensions southward
- **Neighborhood Integration:** Trail ending designed to minimize residential impact
- **Safety Features:** Clear trail ending with appropriate signage

### **Pittman Wash Trail Amenities and Features**

#### **Trail Amenities:**

- **Restroom Facilities:** Clean, modern restrooms available at Pecos Legacy Park
- **Water Fountains:** Multiple hydration stations throughout trail length
- **Seating Areas:** Benches and rest areas at regular intervals
- **Shade Structures:** Covered areas providing relief from Nevada sun
- **Emergency Phones:** Emergency call boxes at strategic locations
- **Mile Markers:** Distance markers helping users track progress

#### **Safety and Accessibility:**

- **Lighting:** Pathway lighting in high-use areas extending usable hours
- **Surface Quality:** Smooth asphalt surface suitable for wheelchairs and strollers
- **Grade Management:** Gentle grades throughout making trail accessible to all
- **Clear Sight Lines:** Open design providing clear visibility for safety
- **Emergency Access:** Vehicle access points for emergency services
- **Regular Maintenance:** Daily maintenance ensuring optimal conditions

#### **Recreational Programming:**

- **Group Walks:** Organized community walks and fitness events
- **Cycling Events:** Family-friendly cycling events and safety education

- **Nature Education:** Programs teaching desert ecology and wildlife observation
- **Fitness Challenges:** Community fitness challenges and goal-setting programs
- **Volunteer Programs:** Community volunteer trail maintenance and improvement
- **Special Events:** Seasonal events celebrating trail use and community health

#### **Wildlife and Natural Features:**

- **Desert Wildlife:** Opportunities for observing native desert animals and birds
- **Native Plants:** Trail showcasing Nevada's native desert plant species
- **Seasonal Changes:** Year-round interest with seasonal plant and wildlife changes
- **Photography Opportunities:** Scenic locations perfect for nature photography
- **Educational Signage:** Interpretive signs explaining desert ecology and conservation
- **Environmental Stewardship:** Trail demonstrating sustainable recreation practices

### **Pittman Wash Trail User Guide**

#### **Best Times for Trail Use:**

- **Early Morning:** 6:00-9:00 AM for cooler temperatures and wildlife viewing
- **Late Afternoon:** 4:00-7:00 PM for comfortable evening exercise
- **Fall and Spring:** Optimal weather conditions for extended trail use
- **Winter Months:** Mild temperatures perfect for midday trail activities
- **Weekday Use:** Less crowded than weekends for peaceful recreation
- **Seasonal Events:** Special events throughout year celebrating trail use

#### **Trail Etiquette and Safety:**

- **Right of Way:** Pedestrians have right of way, cyclists yield to all users
- **Speed Control:** Reasonable speeds ensuring safety of all trail users
- **Voice Signals:** Verbal warnings when passing other trail users
- **Leash Requirements:** Dogs must be leashed and waste cleaned up
- **Trail Sharing:** Respectful sharing of trail space among different users
- **Emergency Preparedness:** Carrying emergency contact information and basic supplies

#### **Recommended Equipment:**

- **Comfortable Footwear:** Supportive shoes for walking or running
- **Sun Protection:** Sunscreen, hats, and UV-protective clothing
- **Hydration:** Water bottles and electrolyte replacement for longer activities
- **Safety Equipment:** Reflective clothing, lights for early morning or evening use
- **Emergency Supplies:** Basic first aid supplies and emergency contact information
- **Navigation:** Trail maps and smartphone apps for navigation and distance tracking

# River Mountains Loop Trail

## Regional Trail Connection and Scenic Adventure

### 34-Mile Loop Connecting Henderson to Regional Destinations

#### Trail Overview:

- **Total Length:** 34-mile comprehensive regional loop trail
- **Henderson Portion:** Approximately 8 miles of the regional trail system
- **Surface:** Paved sections with spectacular desert mountain views
- **Difficulty:** Moderate to challenging depending on chosen section
- **Connectivity:** Links Henderson to Lake Las Vegas, Boulder City, and Lake Mead
- **Regional Significance:** Major component of Las Vegas Valley trail network

#### Trail Route and Destinations:

The River Mountains Loop Trail represents regional cooperation in trail development, connecting multiple communities while showcasing the spectacular desert mountain landscape of southern Nevada.

#### Henderson Trail Section:

- **Starting Points:** Multiple access points throughout eastern Henderson
- **Route Features:** Trail following natural topography through desert environment
- **Elevation Changes:** Moderate elevation changes providing varied difficulty levels
- **Scenic Highlights:** Panoramic views of Colorado River, Lake Mead, and surrounding mountains
- **Wildlife Habitat:** Trail passing through diverse desert wildlife habitats
- **Geological Features:** Opportunities to observe unique desert geological formations

#### Lake Las Vegas Connection:

- **Resort Access:** Trail providing access to Lake Las Vegas resort community
- **Scenic Water Views:** Beautiful lake and resort views from trail
- **Amenities:** Access to resort dining, shopping, and recreational facilities
- **Photography:** Spectacular photography opportunities with lake and mountain backdrops
- **Event Hosting:** Trail sections used for running events and cycling competitions
- **Upscale Recreation:** Connection to premium recreational and resort amenities

#### Boulder City and Lake Mead Access:

- **Historic Boulder City:** Trail connection to historic Boulder City community
- **Lake Mead Recreation:** Access to Lake Mead National Recreation Area

- **Hoover Dam Vicinity:** Trail providing views and access near Hoover Dam
- **National Park Service:** Connection to federally managed recreational lands
- **Boating and Water Sports:** Access to Lake Mead water recreation opportunities
- **Camping and Extended Recreation:** Connections to camping and overnight recreation

## River Mountains Loop Trail Features

### Natural and Scenic Features:

- **Desert Mountain Views:** Spectacular views of River Mountains and surrounding ranges
- **Colorado River Corridor:** Views of Colorado River and associated riparian areas
- **Geological Diversity:** Trail showcasing diverse desert geological formations
- **Wildlife Viewing:** Opportunities to observe desert bighorn sheep, birds, and other wildlife
- **Native Plant Communities:** Diverse desert plant communities along trail route
- **Seasonal Color:** Desert wildflowers and seasonal changes in vegetation

### Trail Infrastructure:

- **Trailhead Facilities:** Parking, restrooms, and information at major trailheads
- **Water Stations:** Limited water availability requiring users to carry adequate supplies
- **Shade Structures:** Minimal shade requiring sun protection planning
- **Emergency Services:** Limited emergency access requiring self-sufficiency
- **Trail Markers:** Mile markers and directional signage throughout route
- **Maintenance:** Regular maintenance by multiple jurisdictions and volunteer groups

### User Considerations:

- **Physical Preparation:** Moderate to challenging trail requiring appropriate fitness level
- **Weather Awareness:** Desert environment requiring weather-appropriate planning
- **Water Requirements:** Carrying adequate water essential for desert trail use
- **Sun Protection:** Comprehensive sun protection necessary year-round
- **Emergency Preparedness:** Remote sections requiring emergency preparedness
- **Navigation:** GPS devices or trail maps recommended for longer sections

### Recreational Activities:

- **Hiking:** Diverse hiking opportunities from short walks to extended adventures
- **Mountain Biking:** Challenging mountain biking with varied terrain
- **Trail Running:** Popular destination for trail runners and ultra-marathon training
- **Nature Photography:** Outstanding photography opportunities throughout trail
- **Wildlife Observation:** Prime location for desert wildlife viewing and bird watching
- **Astronomy:** Dark sky areas excellent for stargazing and astronomy

# McCullough Hills Trail

## Mountain Recreation and Equestrian Excellence

### 8 Miles of Multi-Use Mountain Adventure

#### Trail Overview:

- **Length:** 8 miles of mountain biking and equestrian trail
- **Surface:** Natural desert surface with varied terrain
- **Difficulty:** Moderate with desert mountain terrain and elevation changes
- **Primary Users:** Hiking, mountain biking, horseback riding
- **Terrain Type:** Desert mountain environment with natural challenges
- **Special Features:** Horse trailer parking and multi-use design

#### Equestrian Facilities:

McCullough Hills Trail represents Henderson's commitment to equestrian recreation, providing specialized facilities that accommodate horse trailers and horseback riding while maintaining multi-use access for hikers and mountain bikers.

#### Horse Trailer Parking:

- **Location:** 295 Mission Drive, Henderson, NV
- **Capacity:** Designated parking area accommodating multiple horse trailers
- **Facilities:** Loading areas and space for horse preparation
- **Access:** Easy access from major roads for vehicles with trailers
- **Safety:** Secure parking area with adequate space for maneuvering
- **Community:** Meeting place for local equestrian community

#### Trail Features for Equestrians:

- **Trail Width:** Adequate width for safe horse passage
- **Surface Conditions:** Natural surface suitable for horses
- **Water Access:** Limited water sources requiring riders to carry water for horses
- **Shade Areas:** Natural shade areas for rest stops during longer rides
- **Terrain Variety:** Diverse terrain providing interesting rides for horses and riders
- **Safety Considerations:** Trail design considering safe horse passage

# McCullough Hills Trail Recreation

## Mountain Biking Excellence:

- **Technical Challenges:** Varied terrain providing technical challenges for mountain bikers
- **Trail Difficulty:** Intermediate to advanced difficulty requiring mountain biking skills
- **Loop Options:** Multiple loop options allowing rides of different lengths
- **Elevation Changes:** Significant elevation changes providing challenging workouts
- **Scenic Rewards:** Outstanding views rewarding challenging climbs
- **Community Events:** Mountain biking events and group rides

## Hiking and Trail Running:

- **Diverse Terrain:** Varied hiking terrain from easy walks to challenging climbs
- **Trail Running:** Popular destination for trail runners seeking challenging terrain
- **Wildlife Viewing:** Excellent opportunities for desert wildlife observation
- **Photography:** Outstanding photography opportunities with mountain and valley views
- **Fitness Challenge:** Challenging terrain providing excellent cardiovascular workouts
- **Nature Education:** Opportunities to learn about desert ecology and conservation

## Desert Environment Experience:

- **Native Wildlife:** Desert bighorn sheep, coyotes, birds, and reptile viewing opportunities
- **Plant Diversity:** Diverse desert plant communities and seasonal wildflowers
- **Geological Features:** Unique geological formations and rock outcroppings
- **Seasonal Changes:** Different experiences throughout the year with weather and wildlife changes
- **Environmental Education:** Opportunities to learn about desert ecosystem conservation
- **Leave No Trace:** Emphasis on environmental stewardship and minimal impact recreation

## Safety and Preparation:

- **Desert Preparedness:** Adequate water, sun protection, and emergency supplies essential
- **Trail Conditions:** Checking current trail conditions before departure
- **Weather Awareness:** Understanding desert weather patterns and seasonal considerations
- **Emergency Planning:** Carrying communication devices and emergency contact information
- **Group Activities:** Importance of traveling with others in remote desert environment
- **Respect for Wildlife:** Maintaining safe distances from wild animals



## Urban Trail Network

### Connecting Henderson Neighborhoods

#### Paved Trails Linking Communities Throughout the City

##### Urban Trail System:

Henderson's urban trail network consists of shorter paved trails connecting neighborhoods, schools, parks, and commercial areas, providing safe non-motorized transportation and recreation options throughout the developed areas of the city.

##### Neighborhood Connectivity:

- **School Routes:** Safe walking and cycling routes to Henderson schools
- **Park Access:** Trails connecting residential areas to neighborhood parks
- **Commercial Access:** Non-motorized access to shopping and business districts
- **Transit Connections:** Trails connecting to RTC bus stops and public transportation
- **Community Facilities:** Access to libraries, recreation centers, and community services
- **Inter-Neighborhood Links:** Trails connecting different residential communities

##### Green Valley Trail Network:

- **Master-Planned Community:** Trails throughout Green Valley master-planned community
- **Internal Circulation:** Trails connecting different neighborhoods within Green Valley
- **Amenity Access:** Trail access to community amenities and recreational facilities
- **School Connections:** Safe routes to Green Valley area schools
- **Commercial Access:** Trails to Green Valley shopping and business areas
- **Maintenance Standards:** High maintenance standards matching community expectations

##### Seven Hills Community Trails:

- **Exclusive Community:** Trails within Seven Hills gated community
- **Premium Standards:** Trails maintained to exclusive community standards
- **Golf Course Integration:** Trails integrated with golf course and community amenities
- **Security:** Trails within secure, gated community environment
- **Resident Access:** Trails primarily serving Seven Hills residents
- **Luxury Integration:** Trails complementing luxury community amenities

### Urban Trail Amenities and Features

##### Safety and Security:

- **Lighting:** Well-lit trails in residential and commercial areas
- **Security Patrols:** Regular security patrols in high-use urban areas

- **Emergency Access:** Clear emergency vehicle access throughout urban trail system
- **Call Boxes:** Emergency communication systems at strategic locations
- **Community Eyes:** Trails passing through areas with natural community surveillance
- **Regular Maintenance:** Daily maintenance ensuring safe, clean conditions

#### **Accessibility Features:**

- **ADA Compliance:** All urban trails meeting accessibility requirements
- **Smooth Surfaces:** Paved surfaces suitable for wheelchairs and mobility devices
- **Gentle Grades:** Trail grades designed for accessibility
- **Rest Areas:** Regular seating and rest areas throughout urban trails
- **Water Fountains:** Hydration stations at appropriate intervals
- **Restroom Access:** Access to restroom facilities at parks and community centers

#### **Community Programming:**

- **Walking Groups:** Organized community walking groups using urban trails
- **Cycling Safety:** Bicycle safety education and community cycling events
- **School Programs:** Educational programs using trails for outdoor learning
- **Health Initiatives:** Community health programs utilizing trail system
- **Environmental Education:** Programs teaching urban environmental stewardship
- **Community Events:** Trails used for community celebrations and festivals

### **Specialized Trail Systems**

#### **Desert Preserve and Natural Area Access**

##### **Trails Accessing Henderson's Natural Environment**

##### **Desert Preserve Trails:**

Henderson maintains trails providing access to natural desert areas, allowing residents and visitors to experience the Mojave Desert environment while protecting sensitive ecosystems through managed access and education.

##### **Black Mountain Wilderness Access:**

- **Trail Access:** Trails providing access to Black Mountain wilderness areas
- **Difficulty Levels:** Range from easy nature walks to challenging mountain hikes
- **Scenic Views:** Outstanding views of Las Vegas Valley and surrounding mountains
- **Wildlife Habitat:** Access to pristine desert wildlife habitat
- **Environmental Protection:** Trails designed to minimize environmental impact
- **Educational Opportunities:** Interpretive trails teaching desert ecology

## **Wash System Trails:**

- **Natural Drainage:** Trails following natural wash systems through Henderson
- **Flash Flood Awareness:** Important safety considerations during monsoon season
- **Riparian Areas:** Access to desert riparian areas with unique plant and animal life
- **Water Features:** Seasonal water features and year-round springs
- **Archaeology:** Access to areas with cultural and archaeological significance
- **Conservation Education:** Learning opportunities about water conservation and desert ecology

## **Specialized Use Trails:**

- **Equestrian Trails:** Designated trails specifically designed for horseback riding
- **Mountain Biking:** Technical trails designed for mountain biking challenges
- **Nature Photography:** Trails accessing prime photography locations
- **Birdwatching:** Trails providing access to prime bird watching locations
- **Rock Climbing Access:** Trails providing access to rock climbing areas
- **Astronomy Sites:** Trails accessing dark sky areas for stargazing

## **Trail Volunteer and Stewardship Programs**

### **Volunteer Opportunities:**

- **Trail Maintenance:** Community volunteers assisting with trail maintenance
- **Habitat Restoration:** Volunteer programs restoring native plant communities
- **Invasive Species Control:** Volunteer efforts controlling invasive plant species
- **Trail Construction:** Community assistance with new trail development
- **Education Programs:** Volunteers leading interpretive programs and nature walks
- **Special Events:** Volunteer support for trail-related community events

### **Stewardship Education:**

- **Leave No Trace:** Education about minimum impact outdoor recreation
- **Wildlife Respect:** Teaching appropriate interaction with desert wildlife
- **Plant Protection:** Education about protecting native plant communities
- **Water Conservation:** Teaching about desert water resources and conservation
- **Fire Prevention:** Education about wildfire prevention in desert environment
- **Cultural Respect:** Teaching about respecting archaeological and cultural sites

### **Community Partnerships:**

- **Scout Programs:** Partnerships with Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts for trail projects
- **School Programs:** Educational partnerships with Henderson schools

- **Environmental Groups:** Collaborations with local environmental organizations
- **User Groups:** Partnerships with hiking, biking, and equestrian organizations
- **Corporate Volunteers:** Corporate volunteer programs supporting trail maintenance
- **Retirement Groups:** Active senior groups contributing to trail stewardship

## Trail Safety and Preparation

### Desert Trail Safety Guidelines

#### Essential Information for Safe Trail Use

##### General Trail Safety:

- **Plan Your Route:** Research trail difficulty, length, and current conditions
- **Inform Others:** Tell someone your planned route and expected return time
- **Check Weather:** Monitor weather conditions and forecasts before departure
- **Start Early:** Begin activities early to avoid extreme heat
- **Know Your Limits:** Choose trails appropriate for your fitness level and experience
- **Emergency Preparedness:** Carry emergency supplies and communication devices

##### Desert-Specific Safety:

- **Water Requirements:** Carry at least one gallon of water per person per day
- **Sun Protection:** Comprehensive sun protection including sunscreen, hats, and clothing
- **Heat Awareness:** Understanding signs of heat exhaustion and heat stroke
- **Flash Flood Awareness:** Avoiding washes during monsoon season and storm threats
- **Wildlife Precautions:** Appropriate behavior around desert wildlife including rattlesnakes
- **Navigation:** GPS devices and maps for navigation in unmarked desert areas

##### Equipment Recommendations:

- **Footwear:** Sturdy, comfortable hiking boots or shoes with good traction
- **Clothing:** Light-colored, breathable clothing providing sun protection
- **Hydration System:** Water bottles or hydration packs with electrolyte replacement
- **Navigation:** GPS device, smartphone with offline maps, paper maps as backup
- **Safety Items:** Whistle, flashlight, basic first aid supplies
- **Communication:** Cell phone, satellite communicator for remote areas

## Seasonal Trail Considerations

### Spring Trail Use (March-May):

- **Optimal Conditions:** Ideal weather for most trail activities
- **Wildflower Season:** Desert wildflowers at peak during good rainfall years
- **Moderate Temperatures:** Comfortable temperatures for extended outdoor activities
- **Wildlife Activity:** Increased wildlife activity during breeding seasons
- **Trail Conditions:** Best trail conditions after winter maintenance
- **Popular Season:** Busiest trail use season requiring early start times

### Summer Trail Use (June-August):

- **Extreme Heat:** Temperatures exceeding 110°F requiring early morning use
- **Limited Hours:** Safe outdoor activity only during early morning hours
- **Increased Water Needs:** Significantly increased hydration requirements
- **Heat Emergency Risk:** High risk of heat-related illness
- **Reduced Wildlife:** Many animals inactive during extreme heat
- **Early Start Essential:** Activities must begin before sunrise

### Fall Trail Use (September-November):

- **Excellent Conditions:** Return of excellent trail conditions
- **Comfortable Temperatures:** Ideal temperatures for extended activities
- **Clear Skies:** Excellent visibility and photography conditions
- **Wildlife Return:** Increased wildlife activity as temperatures moderate
- **Extended Hours:** Longer periods suitable for outdoor activities
- **Popular Season:** Second busiest season for trail use

### Winter Trail Use (December-February):

- **Mild Temperatures:** Generally mild temperatures perfect for outdoor activities
- **Variable Weather:** Occasional cold snaps and precipitation
- **Excellent Visibility:** Clear air providing outstanding views
- **Wildlife Viewing:** Good wildlife viewing with less human activity
- **Flexible Hours:** All-day outdoor activity possible during mild periods
- **Weather Variability:** Need for weather-appropriate clothing

## Trail Planning and Resources

### Trail Maps and Navigation Resources

#### Essential Tools for Henderson Trail Exploration

##### Official Trail Resources:

- **Henderson Parks Department:** Official trail maps and current condition information
- **City Website:** Digital trail maps and downloadable resources
- **Trail Kiosks:** Information kiosks at major trailheads with maps and safety information
- **Visitor Centers:** Henderson visitor centers with trail information and maps
- **Recreation Centers:** Trail maps and information available at recreation centers
- **Library Resources:** Henderson libraries with trail guides and outdoor recreation information

##### Digital Resources:

- **Smartphone Apps:** Trail navigation apps with Henderson trail information
- **GPS Downloads:** Downloadable GPS routes for major Henderson trails
- **Online Communities:** Online forums and communities sharing trail information
- **Social Media:** Henderson Parks social media with current trail conditions
- **Weather Resources:** Local weather information specific to outdoor recreation
- **Emergency Information:** Digital access to emergency contact information

##### Commercial Resources:

- **Local Outdoor Retailers:** Trail maps and equipment from Henderson outdoor stores
- **Guide Services:** Professional guide services for Henderson area trails
- **Equipment Rental:** Outdoor equipment rental for trail activities
- **Photography Services:** Professional photography services for trail experiences
- **Fitness Services:** Personal training and group fitness using Henderson trails
- **Educational Services:** Naturalist guides and educational trail experiences

### Trail Etiquette and Environmental Stewardship

#### Trail Etiquette Guidelines:

- **Right of Way:** Hikers yield to horses, bikers yield to hikers and horses
- **Trail Sharing:** Courteous sharing of trails among different user groups
- **Noise Levels:** Keeping noise levels appropriate for natural environment
- **Group Size:** Limiting group sizes to minimize environmental and social impact
- **Camping Restrictions:** Understanding and respecting camping regulations
- **Pet Guidelines:** Keeping pets leashed and cleaning up waste

## **Environmental Stewardship:**

- **Leave No Trace Principles:** Following seven Leave No Trace principles
- **Wildlife Protection:** Maintaining appropriate distances from wildlife
- **Plant Protection:** Staying on designated trails to protect vegetation
- **Water Source Protection:** Protecting natural water sources from contamination
- **Fire Prevention:** Understanding and following fire restrictions
- **Cultural Site Respect:** Respecting archaeological and cultural sites

## **Community Responsibility:**

- **Trail Maintenance:** Participating in volunteer trail maintenance activities
- **Safety Reporting:** Reporting safety hazards and trail damage
- **Education:** Sharing knowledge about responsible trail use
- **Advocacy:** Supporting trail development and conservation efforts
- **Community Events:** Participating in trail-related community events
- **Stewardship Programs:** Engaging in formal stewardship and conservation programs

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