



Satellite map and approximate boundaries courtesy Wells National Estuarine Research Reserve

## Trail Use

- Properties are open from dawn to dusk.
- Dogs are not permitted at The Savage Wildlife Preserve or at Beach Plum Farm.
- Prohibited uses: motorized vehicles, overnight camping or fires. Our neighbors and the Trust do not want to put these fragile areas at risk!
- Carry out what you bring in.
- Respect the properties. Stay on the marked trails and stay off the trails that have been closed.
- Respect the boundaries of our neighbors' properties.
- Take lots of pictures, but don't pick the plants or handle the animals.
- Enjoy the views and the sounds of nature. If we treat the land well, we will be able to enjoy it for generations.
- Ticks are present. Wear sensible clothing, repellent, and check yourself carefully when exiting the land.

*Founded in 1986,  
Great Works Regional Land Trust  
is a 501(c)3 non-profit land trust  
committed to the conservation of  
the natural, historic, agricultural, forestry, scenic  
and recreational resources primarily within  
the towns of North Berwick, South Berwick,  
Berwick, Eliot, Wells and Ogunquit.  
To that end we hold conservation easements  
and property on which these resources are present  
and we promote the need for conservation  
through education and related activities.*

How YOU can help us  
conserve land in southern Maine:

1. Become a member and annually maintain your membership at whatever level you can afford.
2. Charitable donations to GWRLT will enable us to continue our conservation efforts.
3. Donate land or a conservation easement on your land.
4. Volunteer. We email a monthly list of volunteer needs to members who sign up to receive it.

## Visit all five of our 'Public Places':

Bauneg Beg Mountain Conservation Area  
Fox Farm Hill Road, North Berwick

Orris Falls Conservation Area  
Thurrell Road, South Berwick (Tatnic)

The Raymond & Simone Savage Wildlife Preserve  
South Berwick/Eliot, on the Salmon Falls River

Douglas Memorial Woods  
State Road, Eliot

Beach Plum Farm  
Rte. 1, Ogunquit, home of GWRLT office

[www.gwrlt.org](http://www.gwrlt.org)

You may call us at (207) 646-3604  
or write to us at

P.O. Box 151, South Berwick, Maine 03908.



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*Your local land trust in  
the Berwicks, Eliot, Ogunquit and Wells*

## SAVAGE PRESERVE



The Raymond & Simone Savage Wildlife Preserve, 26 acres on the Salmon Falls River in South Berwick, was bequeathed to GWRLT by Simone Savage. Bordering Shorey's Brook, with a mix of woods and fields, tidal and fresh water frontage, it provides some of the best and most diverse habitat in our area. One may see bald eagles flying overhead, sea and bay ducks, shorebirds and upland bird species. The woods and fields are inviting to deer and small mammals.

In 1945 Raymond & Simone Savage purchased the property, known at one time as Porter Pines. There was a lodge and dining hall on the property; a dam on Shorey's Brook created a pond for swimming; the fields were sometimes populated by tents when the area later served as a retreat center for groups. Still later it became a country western music and dance hall called Radio Ranch. The Savages had no desire to continue the commercial enterprise and it was shut down, much to the relief of the neighbors. They summered on the property, moving there after Raymond's retirement. After his death, Simone continued to live in the small house but would drive her motor home to Florida for the winter. Simone loved the land and the birds and wildlife that abounded here and made provisions in her will so that the property would be preserved, which led to her designating Great Works Regional Land Trust as the beneficiary upon her death. In 2005, at the age of 92, Simone passed away.

**Directions: Located on Rte. 101 west of Rte. 236,  
just west of the South Berwick - Eliot town line at 15  
Dover-Eliot Road.**