



## Lansing Bennett Forest

This property is named for Dr. Lansing H. Bennett, Chair of the Duxbury Conservation Commission in the 1960s. He was instrumental in creating the Duxbury Greenbelt Land Protection Plan, which serves as a guide for Duxbury's conservation land acquisitions today. Once supporting a trout farm, young trout can still be spotted in the spring-fed cold water Phillips Brook. The Bay Circuit Trail runs through the property.

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2.8 miles of trails: Blue Loop: 1.1 miles, White (Bay Circuit Trail): 0.5 miles

**Vegetation:** Eastern white pine, red and white oak, eastern hemlock, yellow birch, high bush blueberry, red maple

**Features:** Boardwalk along Phillips Brook; Granite remains of Howland's Mill, considered to be the last mill built in Duxbury; There was once a post-Revolutionary War charcoal pit for smelting bog iron ore for shipbuilding purposes on the property

**Terrain:** Moderate - Hilly terrain

**Parking:** Roadside parking with information kiosk along Union Bridge Road