

Ann Arbor Parks & Recreation WALK OF THE WEEK

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Island Park/Cedar Bend Nature Area/Fuller Park

Take a hike along the bend of the Huron River and experience how flowing water can shape the landscapes. On the outside of a bend in the river, the banks are often steep from the river carving into the land, such as Cedar Bend Nature Area. On the inside of the meander, the water moves slower and adjacent land is often prone to flooding, creating the floodplain such as Fuller park. In the middle is Island Park, which provides not only a gathering place for park users, but is also great habitat for muskrats and mink.

Our suggested trail takes you in and around the three parks plus other public property and is a good way to see the connections. Feel free to modify and try other trails as there is more to see and experience within each park!











Trail length: .

1.4 mile highlighted loop

Total trails available: 3.5 mile **Topography:** Hilly at Cedar Bend; flat for Island and Fuller Parks **Trail type:** payed, uppayed and rustic

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Visit <u>Natural Area Preservation</u> to learn more about Ann Arbor's natural areas or the <u>Huron</u> <u>River Watershed Council</u> to learn more about river recreation, preservation and the <u>Huron</u> <u>River Water Trail</u>.

Check out <u>GIVE365</u> for <u>Visit Every Park</u> information or to track your walks and earn <u>park walk</u> prizes.

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