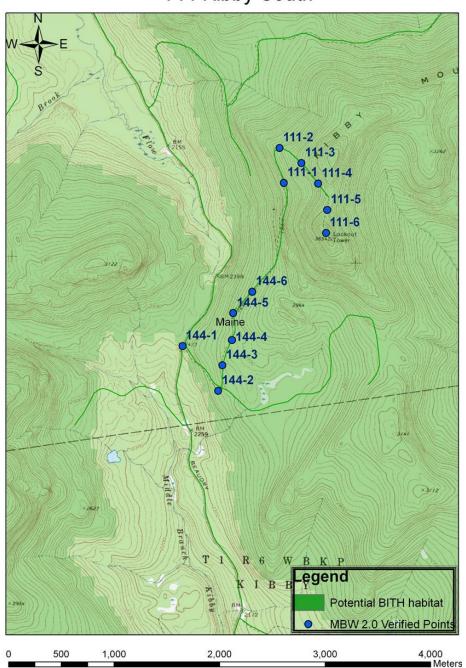
Mountain Birdwatch 2.0

Route 144: Kibby South, ME

Hike Duration/Difficulty: 0-1 hr.

Route/Trail Access: From Route 201, take Spencer Road (unpaved) about 27 miles west to Beaudry Road. (Google maps confusingly labels Spencer as Hardscrabble Road along its eastern half and Appleton Road along its western half, while Beaudry is referred to as Goldbrook Road.) A Maine Atlas and a car Garmin unit will help – road junctions are not always labeled with road names. Be careful of logging trucks – they have right of way and will take it! Take Beaudry 5 miles south to Kibby Mountain Road. Drive uphill about 250m to a small parking area and a junction with an ATV trail that leads up Kibby Mountain. This is point 2 – point 1 is at Kibby Mountain Road & Beaudry Road, but it's best to park uphill to be out of the way of fast-moving logging vehicles. Revised 11/2012

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Pt#	Picture 1	Picture 2	GPS ¹	Description
1	Facing S from pt 1.	Facing W from pt 1.	N 45.40939 W 70.56193 Elev (m) 737	Junction of Kibby Mountain Road and Beaudry Road. Be watchful for fast-moving logging vehicles here.
2	Facing E from pt 2.	Facing S from pt 2.	N 45.40564 W 70.55750 Elev (m) 780	Junction of Kibby Mountain Road and ATV trail to the N which climbs up the mountain. Westernmost part of this open parking area. Wind turbine visible to the E.
3	Facing N from pt 3.	Facing W from pt 3.	N 45.40783 W 70.55704 Elev (m) 791	To W 10m, a clear vista. Birch leans across vista N to S. 25m N, trail curves out of sight to E. 25m S, trail curves out of sight to W. Directly E of trail, a 2-3m boulder sits covered in moss with small trees growing on top. Point 3, like point 4, is directly under the only visible mountain ash in the immediate vicinity. Look up!
4	Facing S from pt 4.	Facing W from pt 4.	N 45.40998 W 70.55596 Elev (m) 813	10m to W, a clear vista to the mountains beyond. 25M S, trail curves W out of view. Many small fallen trees on W side of trail. The only visible mountain ash in the immediate vicinity is directly overhead, leaning out over the trail from W to E.
5	Facing E from pt 5.	Facing W from pt 5.	N 45.41228 W 70.55587 Elev (m) 808	1m W, 2 firs lie across the trail. 1M E, trail passes through a low, muddy patch. 5M S, a series of several-meter-diameter mossy boulders. Tallest has a 12-inch DBH (diameter at breast height) paper birch growing out of the top. 5M N, a Y-shaped paper birch – the Y-split is about 3m off ground.
6	Facing E from pt 6.	Facing W from pt 6.	N 45.41413 W 70.55362 Elev (m) 831	To S 10m, 2 boulders 2m wide covered in moss. To W 4m, trail passes through a low, muddy patch. 6M to W, a 4-inch DBH fir leans diagonally across the trail.

Please note that waypoint locations are provided in decimal degrees.

*Please survey this route in order, beginning with point 1.

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