

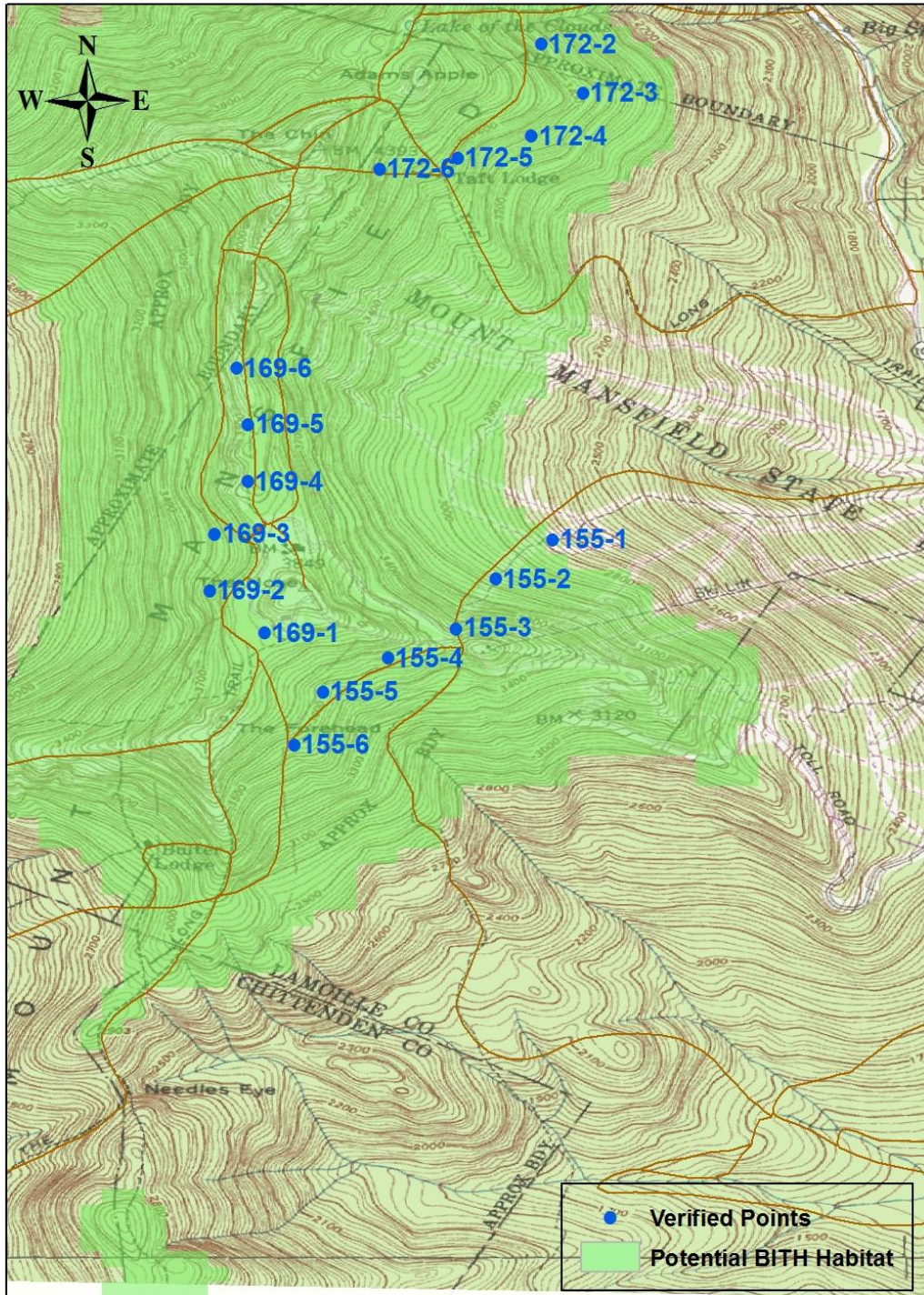
Mountain Birdwatch 2.0

Route 155: Mount Mansfield, VT













Hike Duration/Difficulty: 45 min to point 1 from Lot B off toll road, moderate hike

Route/Trail Access: Take Mansfield toll road and park at Lot B near the Octagon. Take ski trail heading North (Nosedive) to points 1-3. After point 3, return to parking lot B. Points 4-6 are along Southlink trail from Parking lot B.
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Pt #	Picture 1	Picture 2	GPS ¹	Description
1	 Facing S from Pt 1	 Facing W from Pt 1	N 44.52834 W 72.80511 Elev (m) 852	40 m N of sign for midway (sign on side of trail) point in middle of trail 10 m N of water spigot for snow making.
2	 Facing N from Pt 2	 Facing S from Pt 2	N 44.52679 W 72.80737 Elev (m) 945	Upon leaving the autoroad, descend a hill before ski trail opens up. Just as trail opens up, there are 2 water spigots for snowmaking on SE side of trail. Point is in middle of trail between the 3rd and 4th water spigot. On SW side of trail, a ski lodge is framed in the distance by a fir and dead birch (the trees are in the foreground along the side of the trail).
3	 Facing E from Pt 3	 Facing W from Pt 3	N 44.52483 W 72.80891 Elev (m) 1064	30 m from sign for Nosedive/Bypass, E down nosedive trail. Point 1 m N of water spigot.
4	 Facing N from Pt 4	 Facing E from Pt 4	N 44.52368 W 72.81161 Elev (m) 1103	On NE side of trail is rock wall ~ 7m from trail. Point is 5m SW from 10m tall snag. 2m SE of point is snag (7m tall) with broken top half leaning against the trunk left standing. Directly across the trail from this snag (SW) is a small (0.5 m tall) root ball covered with moss
5	 Facing E from Pt 5	 Facing W from Pt 5	N 44.52235 W 72.81416 Elev (m) 1106	Heading W upon trail, trail inclines S curving on rocky terrain. On either side of (N & S) trail are two stumps at point. Southern stump projects outward to the S almost parallel with ground. There is a 6m tall snag ~ 2 m ahead of N stump. 10 m E of point, trail becomes dirt and curves to the North
6	 Facing E from Pt 6	 Facing W from Pt 6	N 44.52025 W 72.81528 Elev (m) 1083	Point is 100 m S on trail from forehead/bad weather bypass route sign (trail junction). 10 m N of point is flat gravel part of trail that is open to E. This part of trail is curving to the SW and crosses a thin (0.1 m wide) water drain (of earth) on the East before trail becomes thicker with roots again. Point is 5 m ahead (S) from toll road to South link trail from parking lot B.

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

¹ Please note that waypoint locations are provided in decimal degrees.

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