## **Mountain Birdwatch 2.0**

Route 69: Sugarloaf, ME

Hike Duration/Difficulty: 2 hours, strenuous.

**Route/Trail Access:** Off of Highway 27, turn into main entrance to Sugarloaf Mountain. Head up to main lodge and park. There are alternatives of where to park and begin, ask at desk. Head up main slope, Spillway East and West, then up T-bar slope, then up Winter's Way to 69-1, just below the summit. Note that Spillway will be called Skyline starting in the '12-'13 ski season. Signs are currently being changed (summer 2012). **Camping**: There is a ski patrol hut close to Point 2, and a 3-sided shelter on the south side of the summit- potential camping option. See the staff at the hotel check-in desk. They know about our project and can be very helpful. Revised 9/2013

## 69 Sugarloaf 069-6 069-5 069-4 Maine 069-2 069-1 Sugarloaf Mtn \_egend Potential BITH habitat MBW 2.0 Verified Points **Appalachian Trail** 1,000 2,000 3,000 500 4,000

Meters

Pt #	Picture 1	Picture 2	GPS <sup>1</sup>	Description
1	Facing S/SE from Point 1	Facing N/NE from Point 1	N 45.03327 W 70.31503 Elev(m) 1232	Point on Winter's Way. 100 meters below a cell tower that sits on top of Sugarloaf. 60 meters below a road.
2	Facing N from Point 2	Facing W from Point 2	N 45.03467 W 70.31753 Elev(m) 1157	Intersection of Winter's Way and Spillway X-cut. Two person ski lift east of point, four person ski lift right directly below as well.
3	Facing SW from Point 3	Facing E/NE from Point 3	<b>N</b> 45.03686 <b>W</b> 70.31671 <b>Elev(m)</b> 1085	Directly below a T-bar ski lift. 50 meters below (north) is a road, Tote Road X-cut.
4	Facing W from Point 4	Facing S from Point 4	<b>N</b> 45.03879 <b>W</b> 70.31505 <b>Elev(m)</b> 996	Directly below ski lifts, Spillway East and West. 120 meters below Pick Pole Road. 9 meters up from ski lift stanchion #10.
5	Facing NE from Point 5	Facing S from Point 5	<b>N</b> 45.04094 <b>W</b> 70.31401 <b>Elev(m)</b> 877	Directly below ski lifts, Spillway East and West. 10 meters above point is ski lift stanchion #7. 30 meters above Tote Road X-cut sign, heading NW.
6	Facing S/SE from Point 6	Facing N/NE from Point 6	N 45.04311 W 70.31306 Elev(m) 780	Directly below ski lifts, Spillway East and West. 15 meters above ski lift stanchion #4. 80-100 meters above ski lifts' beginning.

\*Please survey this route in order, beginning with point 1.\* <sup>1</sup>Please note that waypoint locations are provided in decimal degrees. Visit <u>www.flickr.com</u> and search People for "Mountain Birdwatch" to view additional pictures of your route.