

POLICY: EBHA

## USE OF NATURAL LAND AND OPEN SPACE

The land on which the Judith Emory Nature Trail is located represents a natural classroom for the students of the Ray School and an "open space" for the citizens of Hanover. In 1976, the Hanover School Board endorsed the Nature Trail project as an appropriate memorial to its esteemed friend, Mrs. Judith Emory.

The Board encourages the broadest possible use of this memorial land and nature trail for the continuing environmental education of the children and community, as long as such use will not detract in any way from the intent of this parcel to be a natural laboratory for the children and open space resource for the Town. Construction of permanent buildings, camping facilities, or fires anywhere on this parcel, inconsistent with the character, history, and use of the land, is therefore prohibited.

Subject to the regulations and approval of the Superintendent of Schools, this land is at all times under the direct control and supervision of the Principal. Scheduling shall be done through the office of the Principal.

ADOPTED: Hanover 27 January 1988