

**Mt Wachusett Partial Redline Hikes (3 of 4)**, 5.27 miles, 1261' of elevation gain - Sam Feinsilver, V1.0, 7/1/18

Name of hiker: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of hike: \_\_\_\_\_

Step	From	To	Via	Turn	Compass	Mileage Run/Bal	Mileage Increment	Elevation Increment
10	Intersection of Westminster and Administration roads at Machias Pond, Westminster, MA (Coordinates: 42.474352, -71.894497)					0.00		
20	Stage Coach Trail	Wind Farm abandoned concrete pad (high point of the wind farm)	Northwest on <b>Wind Farm Road/Stage Coach Trail</b> . (You'll see a social path on the left through the trees. The concrete pad is just past its end in the open field)	Left	West	0.38	0.38	190
30	Concrete Pad	Windmill Trail (There's no sign at the wind farm end of the trail)	From the concrete pad, head down the short drive to the main windfarm road, turn left and head towards the south tower, the trail will be on the right, <u>just after the view opens up</u> .	Straight	West	0.49	0.11	-44
40	Windfarm	Harrington Trail (2 of 2)	Windmill Trail	Left	South	0.59	0.10	-63
50	Windmill Trail	Westminster Road	Follow <b>Harrington</b> to the public road. (watch for traffic, then cross to Dickens)	Straight	Southwest	0.76	0.17	-102
60	Westminster Road	Park Border	<b>Dickens</b> Trail then turn around and head back	180	Northeast	1.16	0.40	-34
70	Park Border	Westminster Road	Follow <b>Dickens</b> back to the road (cross road)	Straight	Northeast	1.56	0.40	34
80	Westminster Road	Stagecoach Trail	Follow <b>Harrington</b> past Windmill Trail	right	South	2.03	0.47	151
90	Harrington Trail (2 of 2)	Social trail (leading to pad)	<b>Stage Coach</b> (out to prev point, #20, turnaround)	180	North	2.18	0.15	60
100	Social trail	Harrington Trail (2 of 2)	<b>Stage Coach Trail</b> (back to Harrington)	Right	Northeast	2.33	0.15	-60
110	Stage Coach Trail	West Road (dirt)	Continue on <b>Harrington</b> to dirt road (West Rd)	Right	Southeast	2.54	0.21	6
120	Harrington Trail (2 of 2)	Administration Rd (unpaved)	Follow <b>West Road</b> up hill to Administration Rd	Right	South	2.74	0.20	7
130	West Road (dirt)	Jack Frost Trailhead	Follow <b>Administration Rd</b> downhill a short distance. Jack Frost trailhead will be on your left	Left	Northeast	2.76	0.02	-8
140	Jack Frost Trailhead	Mountain House Trail	Follow <b>Jack Frost</b> past Lower Link, past High Meadow to Mountain House	Left	North	3.47	0.71	339
150	Jack Frost (terminus)	Summit	Follow <b>Mountain House</b> past paved summit road (watch for traffic). Follow trail arriving at lower parking lot; follow paved sidewalk; footpath along North side of pond; up embankment near the stone lookout and then to the summit fire tower.	---	---	3.78	0.31	221
160	Summit	Jack Frost (Trailhead)	Follow <b>Mountain House</b> back down to Jack Frost reversing previous steps.	Right	South	4.09	0.31	-221
170	Jack Frost (Trailhead)	High Meadow (Trailhead)	Jack Frost Trail	Left	East	4.40	0.31	-138

Step	From	To	Via	Turn	Compass	Mileage Run/Bal	Mileage Increment	Elevation Increment
180	High Meadow (Trailhead)	Echo Lake Road (dirt)	Follow <b>High Meadow Trail</b> , East then South, past Bicentennial and the bench. <i>(Bear right around the pond when reaching the dirt road at the end.)</i>	Right	Southwest	4.80	0.40	-349
190	High Meadow (Terminus)	Echo Lake (Trailhead)	Follow <b>Echo Lake Road (dirt)</b> around Echo Lake to the trailhead on your left	Left	Southwest	4.91	0.11	13
200	Echo Lake (Trailhead)	Parking Area (Machias Pond)	<b>Echo Lake Trail</b>	End	End	5.27	0.36	1

On this hike you have completed 6 new trails, partially completed 1 and finished 1 previously started trail

Complete: **Stagecoach**

**Windmill**

**Dickens**

**Jack Frost**

**High Meadow**

**Echo Lake**

Partial: **Harrington (part 2 of 2)**

**Mountain House (1 of 2)**

## Headings:

The "**From**" column is the trail you just left. The "**To**" column is where you're headed. The "**Via**" is how you're going to get to the "**To**" location.

The "**Turn**" column tells you which way to turn while facing the "travel" forward direction *(performed after you get to the "**To**" location)*.

The "**Compass**" column tells you, generally, which direction you'll be travelling after you make the turn. It's a way of confirming your turn.

The "**Mileage Run/Bal**" tell you how far you've traveled cumulatively along the Redline when at the "To" location for the step.

The "**Mileage Increment**" column gives you the incremental distance between the start and end of the step.

The "**Elevation Increment**" column tells you whether you're going up or down and by how much. (It's not an elevation gain.)

\*The elevation data is generally crude and inaccurate. It's interpolated from map data by the GPS program as are distances.