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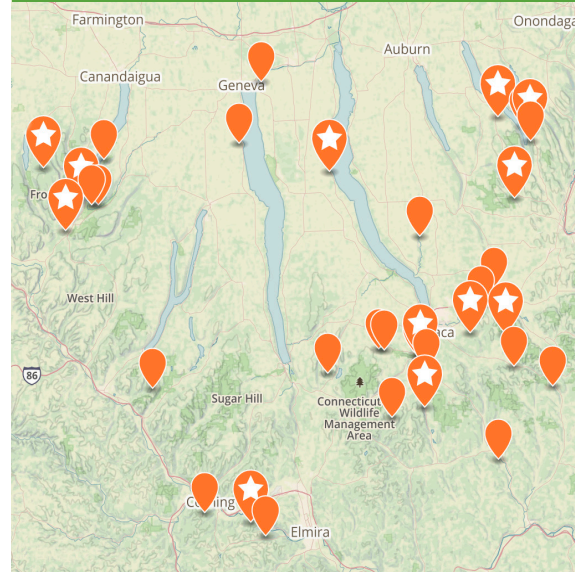
"Go Finger Lakes" is a mobile-ready web site with an interactive map showing over 600 miles of trails. It is a free public service of the Finger Lakes Land Trust promoting conservation and recreation.



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Discover over 45 free nature preserves
of the Finger Lakes Land Trust



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Help us save more land and water by
donating and volunteering



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To conserve forever the lands
and waters of the Finger Lakes
region, ensuring scenic vistas,
local foods, clean waters, and
wild places for everyone.

The Finger Lakes Land Trust is a nonprofit conservation organization working across a 12-county region in Central New York. We have worked cooperatively with landowners and partners to permanently protect over 27,000 acres of treasured natural areas and scenic farmlands. The Land Trust owns and manages more than 45 conservation areas that are open to the public for quiet recreation. We hold over 150 easements on protected lands that remain in private ownership. FLLT is supported by members, and you can help us save more land.

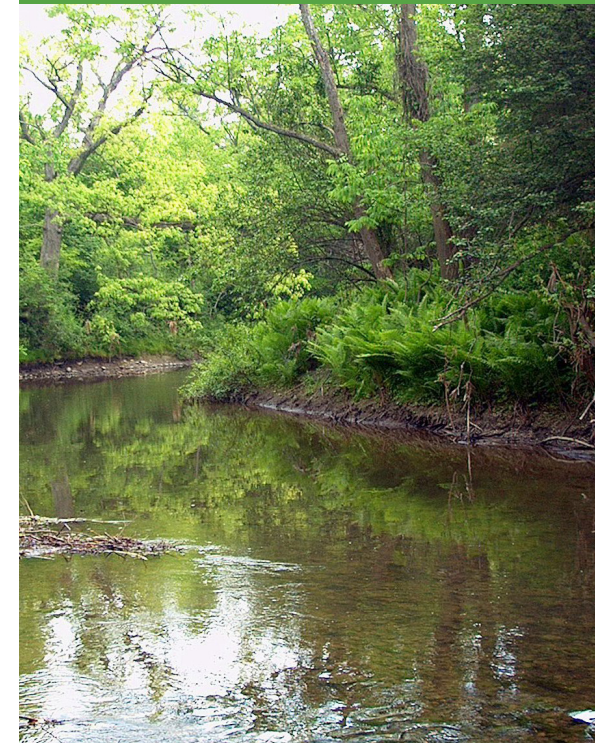
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GENUNG NATURE PRESERVE

FREEVILLE, NY

MAP & GUIDE



**CONSERVED FOREVER
OPEN TO ALL**

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 **Acreage:** 53 acres

 **County:** Tompkins

 **Trails:** 0.9 miles

Genung Nature Preserve stretches along a mile of Fall Creek as it takes a great loop on its way to Cayuga Lake. The preserve is open for people to explore an easy trail through various habitats.

NATURAL HISTORY

From a small parking lot on the southwest side of NYS Route 38, a trail wanders through shrubby areas, a grove of musclewood (or ironwood) trees along the bank of Fall Creek, and some of the wildest hawthorn trees you will ever see. Some of the larger trees you will see include: swamp white oak, red oak, sugar maple, basswood, and shagbark hickory.

HISTORY

In 2005, long-time village of Freeville resident, Mildred Sherwood, donated her 53-acre former family farm to the Finger Lakes Land Trust in memory of her parents, Albert and Mildred Genung. With her and the village’s approval, the Land Trust transferred the land to the village, subject to a conservation easement held by the Land Trust.

ACTIVITIES

Hiking
Birdwatching

MAINTAINED BY

Village of Freeville
(607) 844-8301
www.freevilleny.org

Contact the village, instead of the Finger Lakes Land Trust, for policies and hours.

LEARN MORE

See fltl.org/genung for history, photos, and an interactive map.

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