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and outdoor  
adventures in the  
Finger Lakes?



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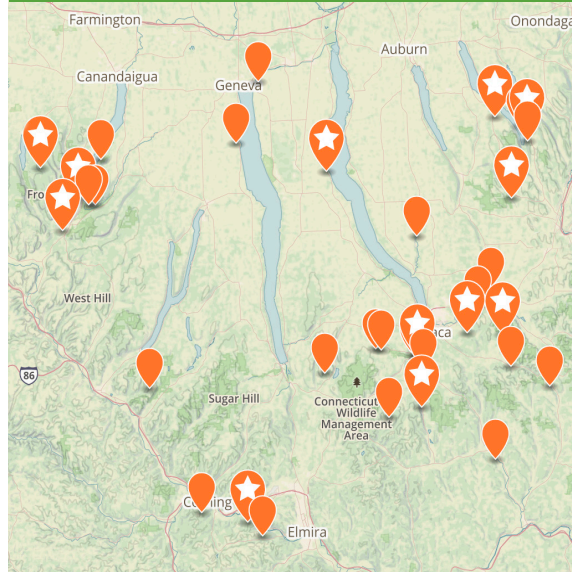
"Go Finger Lakes" is a mobile-ready web site with an interactive map showing over 650 miles of trails. It is a free public service of the Finger Lakes Land Trust promoting conservation and recreation.



**GOFINGERLAKES™**  
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**FLLT.ORG/MAP**

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



**WE NEED YOU!**

Help us save more land and water by  
donating and volunteering



**GIVE & JOIN**

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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.

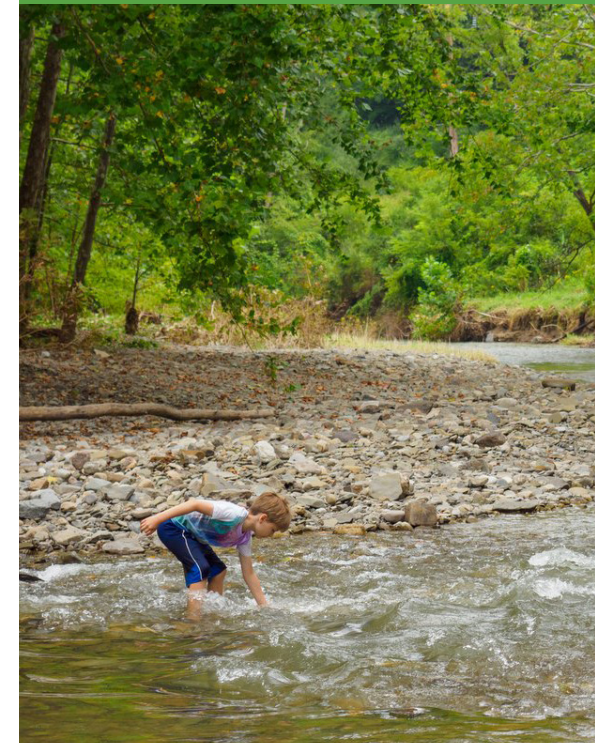
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## TAPAN MITRA PRESERVE

ITHACA & NEWFIELD, NY

### MAP & GUIDE



**CONSERVED FOREVER  
OPEN TO ALL**

**FLLT.ORG/TAPANMITRA**





**Acreage:** 123 acres



**County:** Tompkins



**Trails:** 0.1 Miles

Bordering more than 2,000 acres of previously protected open space, the Tapan Mitra Preserve connects to miles of hiking trails.

## NATURAL HISTORY

Its wild, wooded hillside and streamside meadows can be seen from Robert Treman State Park as well as nearby State Route 13. Public fishing rights extend along both banks of the Cayuga Inlet through this preserve. The property also protects a short, but key, segment of the popular Finger Lakes Trail, allowing hikers to pass through woods and fields rather than having to negotiate roads in this area.

## HISTORY

In 2006, the Land Trust purchased these 123 acres located within the towns of Ithaca and Newfield, just south of the Sweedler Preserve at Lick Brook, and bordering Robert Treman State Park and a Cornell Botanic Gardens natural area. Formerly known as the Cayuga Inlet Conservation Area, the preserve was renamed in 2019 in honor of the late Tapan Mitra, a leading economic theorist at Cornell University.

### ACTIVITIES

Hiking  
Fishing  
Snowshoeing  
Birdwatching

### DOGS

Keep your dog on a leash and under control at all times

### HOURS

Open dawn to dusk all year

### POLICIES

See [fllt.org/policies](https://fllt.org/policies)

### LEARN MORE

See [fllt.org/tapanmitra](https://fllt.org/tapanmitra) for more history, natural history, photos, and an interactive map.

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