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“New Norfolk Trails Map Available”



Avid runner, Sara Kumm of Norfolk, looks over the City's new trail map.

Sara Kumm loves to run on the Skyview Park trail and the new Ta-Ha-Zouka Loop trail. Looking at the new Norfolk Area Trail Map, she's finding a few more trails to explore.

The map came about after Traci Jeffrey of the Norfolk Area Visitors' Bureau saw a fold out trail map that the City of Sioux Falls distributed. She and City of Norfolk officials worked together to collect pictures and information, bicycle laws and an existing City trail map so that a fold out pocket size map for Norfolk could be produced.

“People are always asking where the City trails are at whether they are visitors or long time residents. This will be a good resource for them,” Jeffrey said.

On one side of the fold out paper are the City's bicycle laws and safety tips. On the other side is a map of the City that includes trails, crushed limestone surfaces, on-street trails, parks, trail heads, public restrooms, kayak/canoe landings and handicapped accessible park features.

There are also measurements of many trail sections. One trail marking shows that the distance from the on-street trail at Third Street behind the YMCA north to the Levee Trail is one mile. From the north end of the Levee Trail to the Trail Head on Norfolk Avenue is approximately 1.8 miles.

The new trails maps are available at the Norfolk Area Visitor's Bureau at 609 West Norfolk Avenue, at the City of Norfolk Administration Building at 309 North 5th Street or by calling the City Communications Office at 402-844-2034. The map can also be downloaded at norfolkne.gov/parks/trailmap.pdf.