

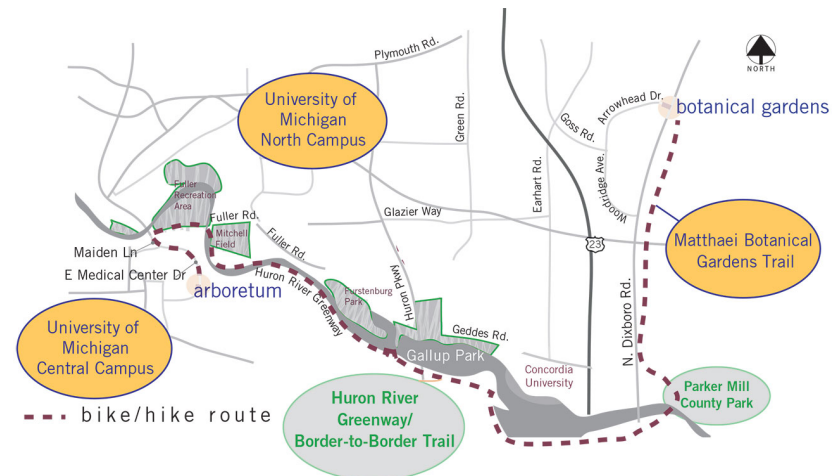
Dixboro-Matthaei Trail

From Parker Mill Park
4650 Geddes Road
Ann Arbor, MI 48105
(734) 971-6337

To Matthaei Botanical Gardens
1800 N. Dixboro Road
Ann Arbor, MI 48105
(734) 647-7600

The Matthaei Botanical Gardens Trail is a paved hiking and biking path that connects the University of Michigan Matthaei Botanical Gardens with a network of trail systems throughout the area. Although the head of the trail near the Dixboro Road/Geddes Road intersection is not

within Superior Township, a large part of Matthaei Botanical Gardens, the terminus of the trail, lies within Township borders. This trail is also an important non-motorized link from the botanical gardens to Washtenaw County's Parker Mill Park to the south, with connections to the regional Border-to-Border Trail, part of which runs through the Township. The trail provides a safer travel route that parallels but avoids Dixboro Road, a



busy Washtenaw County artery with a narrow shoulder inadequate for safe biking or walking. For access to the trail, free parking is available at the Parker Mill Park, while a nominal fee is required for parking at the Matthaei Botanical Gardens. The trail was completed in the fall of 2017.

To get to the trail head at Parker Mill Park from the Superior Township Hall (3040 N. Prospect Rd.):

- Turn LEFT (south) on Prospect Rd. (2.1 miles)
- Turn RIGHT (west) onto Geddes Rd. (1.4 miles)
- Keep RIGHT at the roundabout to continue on Geddes Rd.
- Continue west on Geddes Rd. (1.7 miles)
- The entry to the park is on the LEFT (south) side of the road

To get to Matthaei Botanical Gardens from the Superior Township Hall (3040 N. Prospect Rd.):

- Turn RIGHT (north) on Prospect Rd. (0.9 mile)
- Turn LEFT (west) on Ford Rd. (1.2 miles)
- Turn slight LEFT on Plymouth Rd. (2.2 miles)
- Turn LEFT (south) on Dixboro Rd. (0.6 mile)
- The entry to the Matthaei Botanical Gardens is on the LEFT (east) side of the road