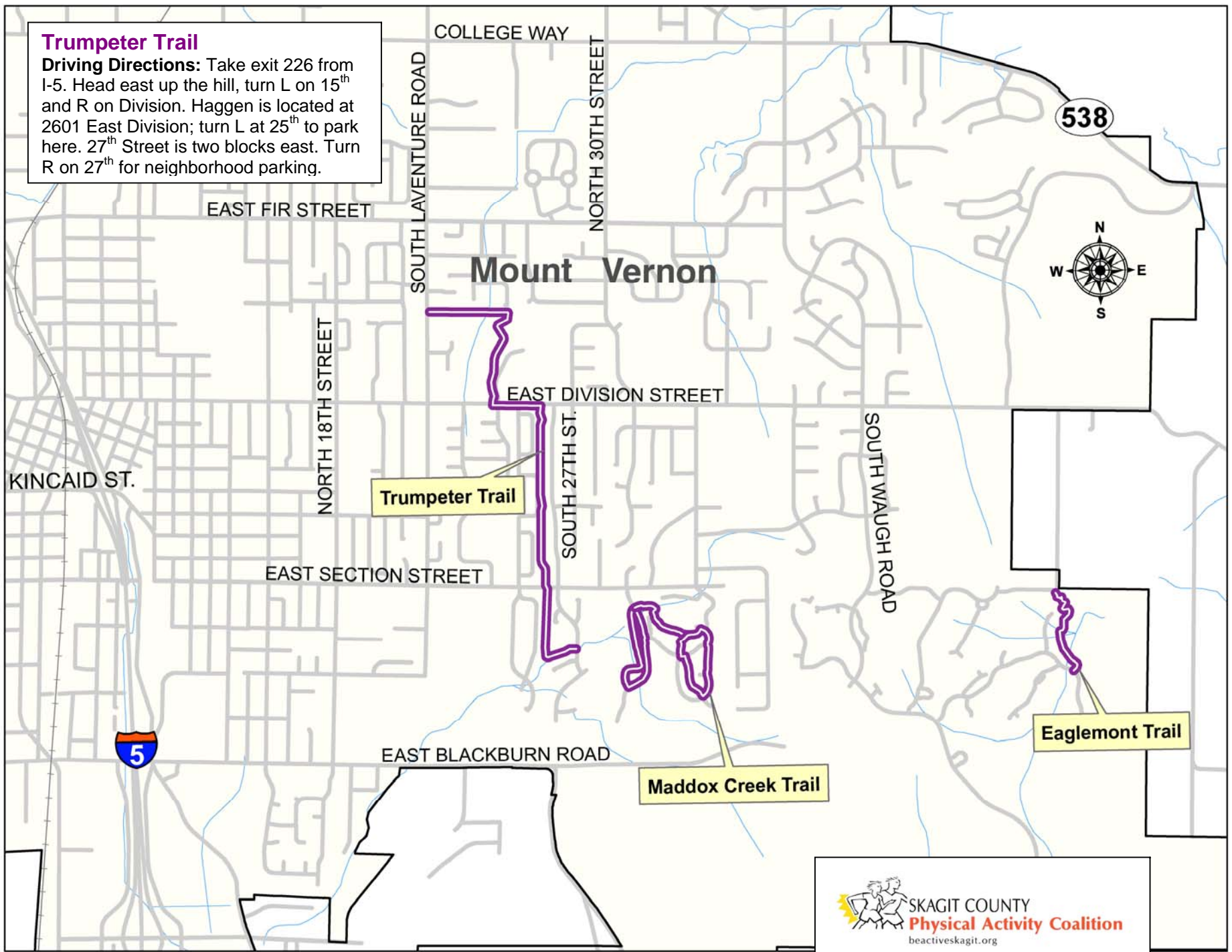


Trumpeter Trail

Driving Directions: Take exit 226 from I-5. Head east up the hill, turn L on 15th and R on Division. Haggen is located at 2601 East Division; turn L at 25th to park here. 27th Street is two blocks east. Turn R on 27th for neighborhood parking.



Trumpeter Trail and Neighborhood Walk

Legend:	1-1 Degree of difficulty: One shoe-easy.	3 Restrooms
	1-2 Degree of difficulty: Two shoes-moderate to difficult.	4 Playground
	2 Wheelchair accessible	5 Picnic



TRUMPETER TRAIL corridor consists of three trail segments connected by sidewalks; they can be done separately or combined.

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SOUTH TRUMPETER

Length: About .7 miles traveling either out and back on the trail or out on the trail and back on 27th.

Location: Between 27th and 26th Streets on the south side of Section Street you'll see trail bollards marking the paved trail. Park off of Section Street in the neighborhoods on 27th.

Description: From Section Street follow the paved trail south and around a retention pond to 27th Street. Once you get to 27th you can decide to turn around and return the way you came or you can walk back through the neighborhood to Section.

CENTRAL TRUMPETER

Length: About .5 one-way.

Location: Located between 26th and 27th Streets. You can park in the 27th street neighborhood or at Haggen grocery store, 2601 East Division.

Description: This section runs north and south between Section and Division Streets. Depending on the time of year the wetlands along the paved trail can be teeming with a variety of birdlife including Great Blue Heron, ducks and geese.

NORTH TRUMPETER

Length: About .5 miles one-way.

Location: At the northwest corner of North 25th and Division Streets. Park in the Haggen grocery store parking lot, 2601 East Division.

Description: Bollards mark the trailhead on Division. The paved trail runs parallel to the Haggen parking lots and gently slopes down to the north. At the retention pond turn left and soon you have the choice of leaving the trail on Shady Lane and walking through the Stonebridge neighborhood to Allison Avenue or staying on the trail until it ends on LaVenture Road. You can continue on sidewalks north to Kulshan Trail and create a big loop or return the way you came for a round trip.

TRUMPETER-MADDOX CREEK NEIGHBORHOOD LOOP

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Length: About 2.2 plus the Maddox Creek Trail distance

Location: Park at Haggen grocery store, 2601 East Division Street. Walk out of Haggen parking lot and cross the street to the south side of Division and proceed east to the trail entrance (paved trail between 26th and 27th Streets marked by bollards). Follow the trail to Section Street, turn left and walk on the sidewalk to Maddox Creek Road. Follow the directions below to include one or both of the Maddox Creek walking options.

Maddox Creek Neighborhood Walk

Length: About .9 mile

Description: From the Maddox Creek Road trailhead walk up the hill on the paved trail, you'll come to a flat area where you veer to the right and continue following the paved pathway. Shortly you'll be heading up a second, much longer hill, which is all unpaved: grass and gravel. At the top of the hill turn right on Lindsay Loop Drive and proceed south on the asphalt walkway and sidewalks. Cross Shelley Hill Road and continuing on Lindsay Loop until you see the trail on your right. Follow the trail north, cross Shelley Hill Road and walk into the Lindsay Loop cul-de-sac. You'll see the trail again on the right. Where the pavement ends, turn left and retrace your way back to the start.

Maddox Creek Wetlands Loop

Length: About .5 mile

Description: From the trailhead you'll travel on a primitive grass pathway. After about .2 miles turn right and follow the utility right-of-way as it loops around a retention pond and wetlands. You'll come out where Maddox Creek Road dead-ends. Continue on sidewalk to the starting point.

Trail Contact information: Mount Vernon Parks & Recreation Department, 336-6215.

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