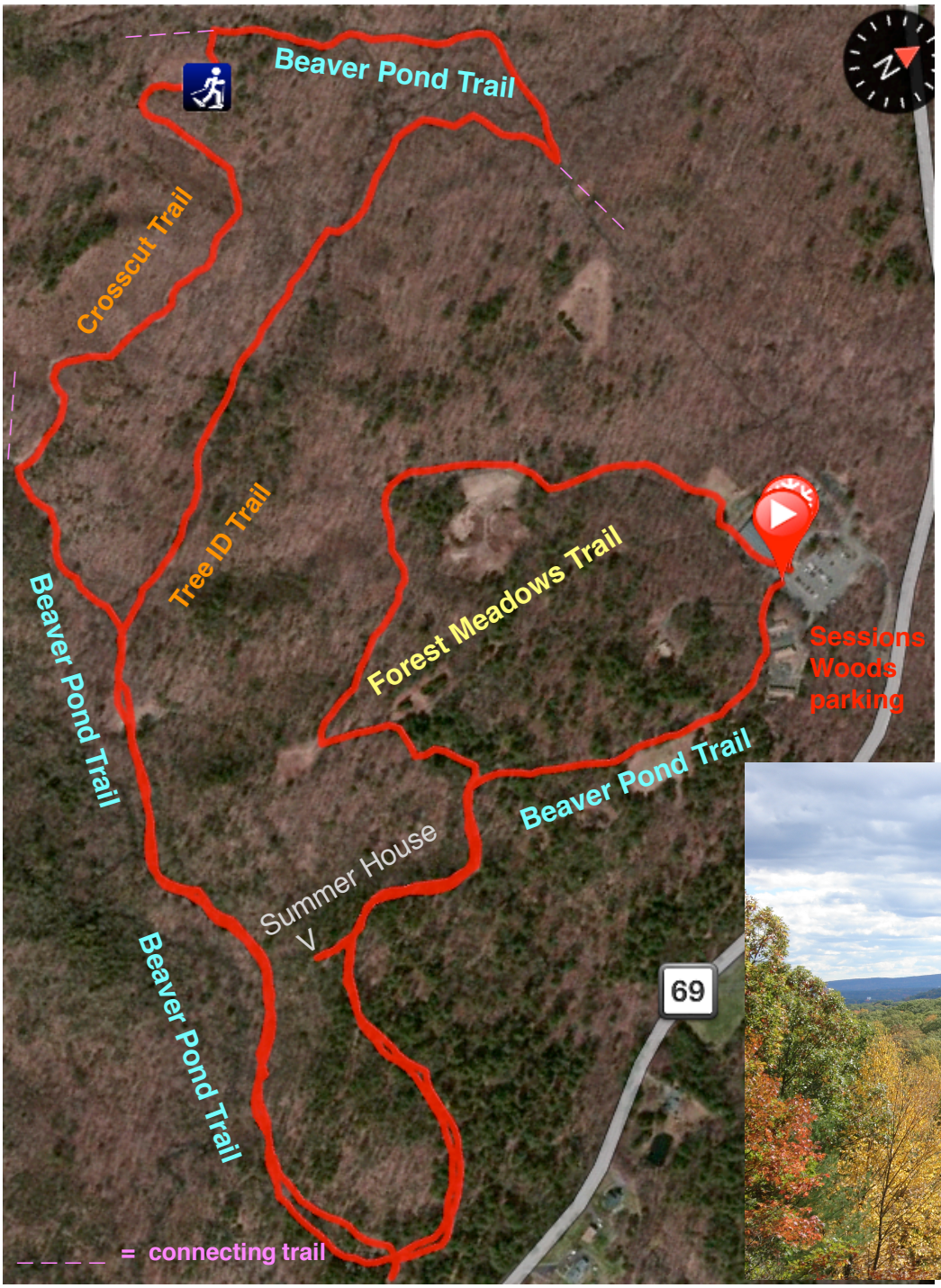

Sessions Double Loop:
Class 1
3.9 miles
810‘ vertical
2.0 hours

Summer House:
a view in the Fall

The hike begins at the information kiosk (41°43'57.8"N 72°57'19.4"W) in the southwest corner of the Sessions Woods parking lot. Walk southeast, past the Beaver Pond Trail (BPT) sign. The trail is a gravel road, starting after the gate. At 0.2 miles, notice the trail entering on the right, as the Beaver Pond Trail (BPT) turns sharp left (you will use this trail on the return). At 0.4 miles turn right onto the short path to Summer House, and one of the best views in Burlington. Continue on the Beaver Pond Trail (BPT) to 1.2 miles and the right turn onto the Tree ID Trail. Note the many displays on this trail. At 1.6 turn left onto the Beaver Pond Trail (BPT) for a short distance. At 1.9 turn left onto the Crosscut Trail to discover a “new forest” which began in 2001. At 2.3 miles, turn left and return to the Beaver Pond Trail (BPT). At 3.3 miles, after just passing the sign for the Outdoor Classroom, turn left onto the wide connecting trail. At 3.4 miles, turn left onto the Forest Meadows Trail which present wildlife management practices. At 3.9 miles you return to your car.

Hike summary

Pass BPT sign at SE gate and turn right at 1.2 onto Tree ID Trail > turn left onto BPT at 1.6 and turn left onto Crosscut Trail at 1.9 > at 2.3 turn left onto BPT and at 3.3 turn left onto trail connector > turn left on Forest Meadows Trail and return to car at 3.9.

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