

Serenity...

Find it on the Trail

One & Multi-day Day Trip Itineraries



Allegheny River Trail,
Venango County, PA

Trails of the EPT

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| Bayfront Parkway Trail | Allegheny River Trail |
| Great Lakes Seaway Trail | Armstrong Trail |
| Chautauqua Rails to Trails | Tredway Trail |
| East Branch Trail | Three Rivers Heritage Trail |
| Queen City Trail | |
| Oil Creek State Park Trail | Connecting Trails |
| McClintock Trail | Presque Isle State Park |
| Oil City Trail | Sandy Creek Trail |
| Samuel Justus Trail | Redbank Valley Trail |
| | Butler Freeport Community Trail |



Erie, PA in front of the Flagship Niagara

*To become one
with nature is the
most serene
feeling you will
experience.*



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YOUR GREAT ESCAPE

Explore the Erie to Pittsburgh Trail

EXPERIENCE THE TRAIL

Vibrant urban cities to small town charm
And so much more!

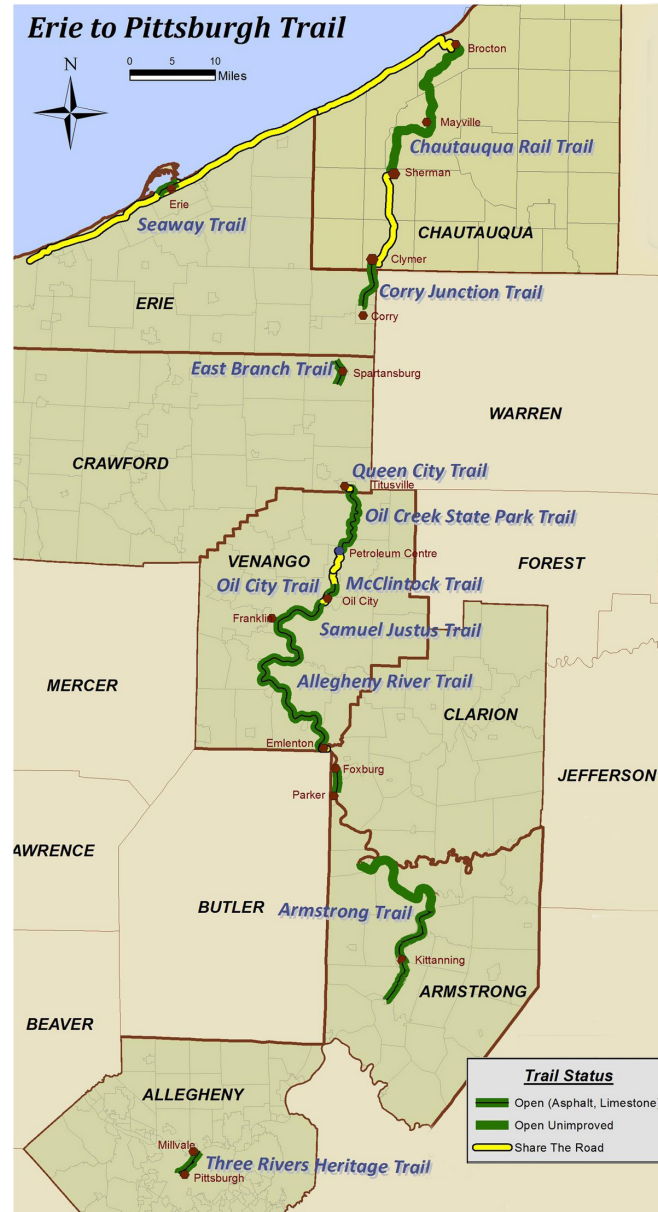
A trail corridor is emerging linking Erie and Pittsburgh, connecting through the experience of small towns, rural landscapes, historic sites, and cultural areas, tied to regional trails and beyond.

The Erie to Pittsburgh Trail in general traverses a landscape of woodlands, meadows and crop lands following old railroad corridors that often were built along waterways. Trail users will experience the remnants of the industrial revolution of the region, and the beauty of our rejuvenated environment.

Every 5 to 15 miles the trail passes through smaller towns that can offer services that trail users may need.

The trail leaves Erie along the lake shore on US Route 5, a mostly low traffic road that offers the trail traveler frequent spectacular views of Lake Erie and vineyards as this is Lake Erie Wine Country.

At Brocton, NY the trail heads south and uses abandoned railroad corridors and connections using on-the-road routes to



Titusville, PA, with the exception of a three mile section of designated trail just north of Spartansburg, PA and runs to just south of the community. This three mile section offers the experience of cycling next to the local Amish travelers by horse and buggy.

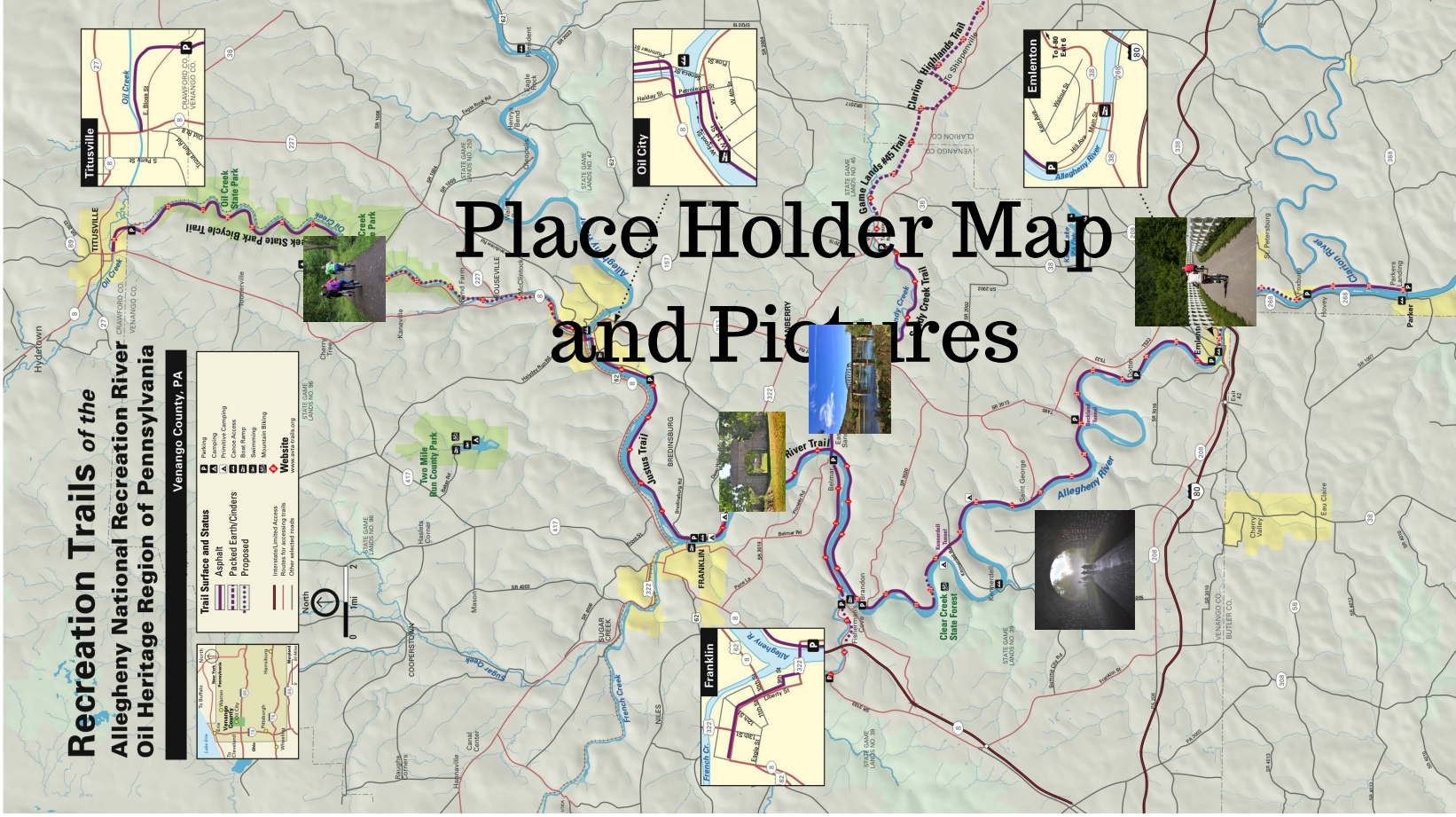
From Titusville the trail follows Oil Creek through the historic Oil Creek State Park to the community of Oil City. In Oil City the trail is adjacent the Allegheny River.

Although there are some major gaps, there are two segments that have sections connected that offer multi-day rides that takes one through historical lands from the oil era in the oil region to the wonderful railroad history in the PA Wilds in Armstrong and Clarion Counties. Those segments are featured in this brochure.



Multi-Day Rides Are Awaiting You

Ride in the Oil Region National Heritage Area



Recreation Trails of the Allegheny National Recreation River Oil Heritage Region of Pennsylvania

Venango County, PA

Trail Surface and Status	
	Asphalt
	Packed Earth/Clinders
	Proposed
	Historical/Abandoned Access
	Other railroad tracks

Venango County, PA	
	Packing
	Primitive Camping
	Camps/Access
	Swimming
	Mountain Biking
	Website

www.avn.org

TITUSVILLE TO EMLENTON

54-Mile Journey

This route of approximately 54-miles covering several of the trails in the EPT corridor - Queen City Trail, Oil Creek State Park Trail, McClintock Trail, Oil City Trail, Samuel Justus Trail, and the Allegheny River Trail.

Along this part of the corridor you will find remnants of the oil industry, and interpretation of sites along the trail. Each community along the way offers lodging along with options for meals.

83-Mile Journey

An 83-mile trip can be experienced by adding the scenic 24-mile trip on the Sandy Creek Trail that connects to the Allegheny River Trail approximately 5-miles south of Franklin. To access the Sandy Creek Trail you will need to climb the steps at the Belmar Bridge and traveling 8 east miles out and back and travel the 4 miles west of the bridge and back.

4-Day Journey Exploring

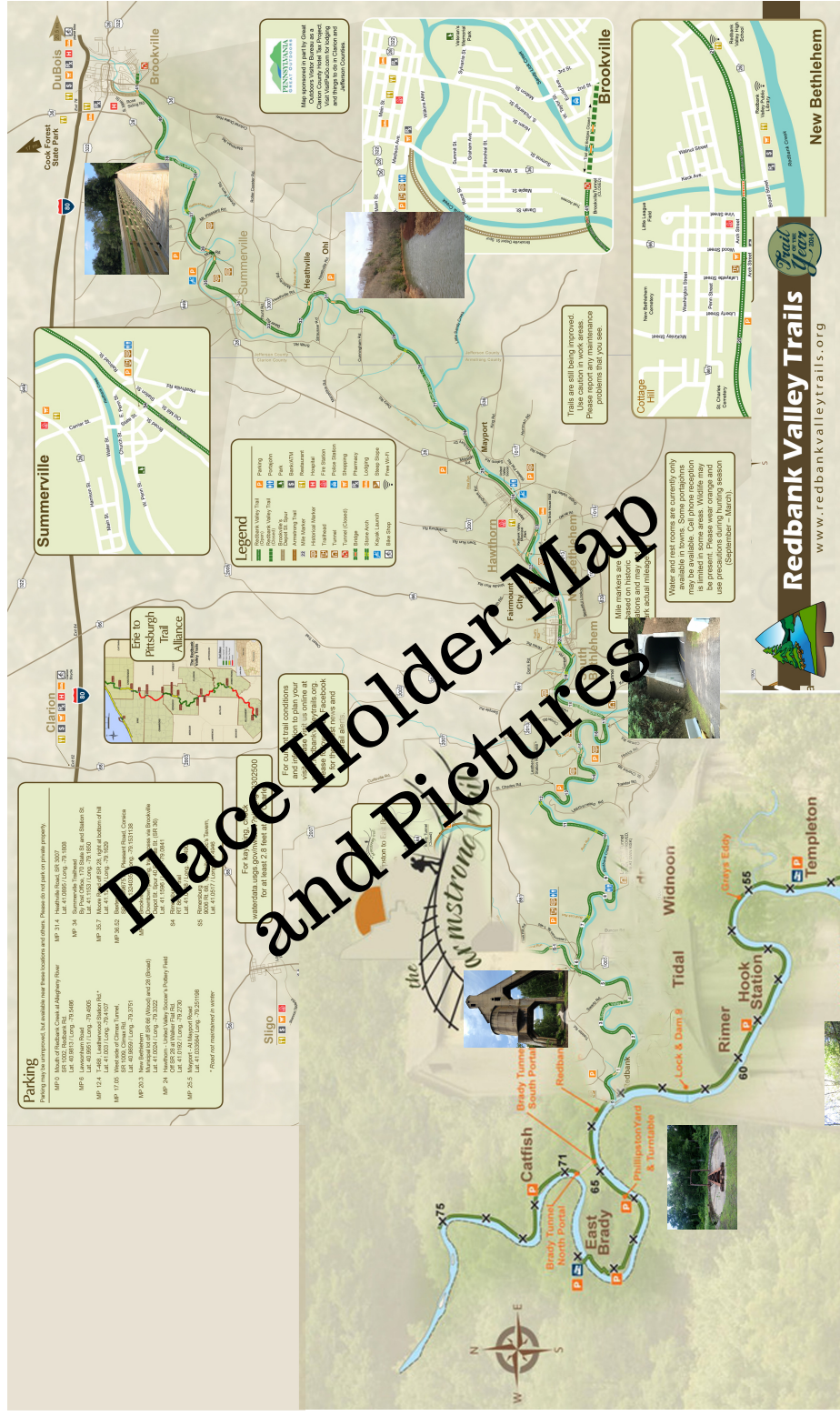
An easy 4 day itinerary can be experienced on these routes providing the option of spending a few hours at the Drake Well Museum adjacent to Oil Creek State Park, and many other museums and historic sites along the way. You may even catch one of the communities' concerts in the park or the wonderful festivals.

Additional information can be found at the these websites:

www.avta-trails.org www.oilregion.org

Multi-Day Rides Are Awaiting You

Ride in the River of Steel National Heritage Area and the PA Wilds



BROOKVILLE TO ROSSTON 66-Mile Journey

This route of nearly 66 - miles travels most of the Armstrong and Redbank Valley Trails, Rosston /Crooked Creek to Brookville.

The Armstrong Trail follows the Allegheny River, while Redbank Valley follows the Redbank Creek. Along the corridor are small town, summer parks, historical remnants of the railroad activity, and beautiful views of the river, and locks and dams. Or enjoy one of the many festivals and events you may find along your way. There is a short spur trail that leads riders to the river town of East Brady.

A multi-day trip can be planned for those who wish to explore the quaint communities along the trails and their offerings.

Additional information can be found at the trail websites

www.armstrongrailstotrails.org
www.redbankvalleytrails.org

2-Day Journey Exploring