

Newt's Landing

Coordinates:

Location: West Bethel, Maine. From Bethel, ME, take Route 2 west to West Bethel. Take a right onto Ferry Road and bear right following it to the end. Take a left down a gravel road to the launch.

Owner: Mahoosuc Land Trust

Manager: Mahoosuc Land Trust

Launch facilities:

Wooden ramp with stairs leading down the bank to the water. Suitable for drift boats and hand-carry boats.

Miles to downstream access: 4.5 miles

Parking:

Parking in gravel lot, limited to 8 vehicles.

Amenities:

None

Water Conditions:

Moderate current. Good drift boat access. Short sections of Class I whitewater depending on volume of water and path chosen. Numerous islands split the river. Recommend novice paddlers choose wider channel around islands.

General Comments:

This scenic section of river leads into historic Bethel Village.

