

WILMINGTON TRAIL CLUB
P. O. BOX 1184
WILMINGTON, DELAWARE

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Mr. Trimble
Property Agent
Phila. Electric Co.
Conowingo Hydroelectric Station
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Dear Mr. Trimble,

The Wilmington Trail Club, with support from the Keystone Trails Association, is presently investigating the possibility of creating a hiking trail from Newark, Del. to Havrede Grace, Maryland and thence along the west bank of the Susquehanna River to Wrightsville, Pa. We hope that ultimately, thru member clubs in the K.T.A., we will be able to link this trail with the Appalachian Trail near Carlisle, Pa.

This trail would be open to foot traffic only (i.e., vehicles of any type would be prohibited). Trail construction would take advantage of the terrain in your area so as to insure "only foot traffic" wherever this is possible. Trail construction would consist only of blazing, brushing and the moving aside of blowdowns, unless otherwise specifically requested and allowed by the land owner prior to construction.

The Wilmington Trail Club is primarily an adult group whose purpose is to promote and enjoy usage of the outdoors; to aid in the conservation of wild lands and wild life; and to protect places of natural beauty and interest. In our thirty year history we have never provoked a property abuse complaint, and we can guarantee that no damage or littering to your property will occur by our members or those of the K.T.A. and neighboring clubs in Maryland.

Since much of the land, over which the trail is projected, belongs to your company; I respectfully request permission to use your properties for said trail, after submission to you and approved by you of the proposed route. I might add that we have no intention to claim or otherwise acquire lands for trail use.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely yours

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