

Mt Robson Visitors Centre ▼

Information

Date of Audit: 2016-10-25

Park Name: UNBC Connector last half

Key Features: Trails

Location: Fraser Fort George, Prince George, Northern BC - Municipal : Trail (Great Northern Circle Route)

Description: Parking on 18th and on 22nd, this trail is part of the Centennial Trails
Parking

2. Are an adequate number of accessible spaces provided? : N_A (Rating: 0)

3. Of the accessible spaces, is at least one a van accessible space?* : N_A (Rating: 0)

4. Are accessible spaces at least 2.4m wide with an access aisle at least 1.5m wide? Note: Two spaces may share an access aisle. : N_A (Rating: 0)

5. Are the access aisles marked to discourage parking in them? : N_A (Rating: 0)

6. Is the slope of the accessible parking spaces and access aisles no steeper than 1Â° in all directions? : N_A (Rating: 0)

7. Does the access aisle adjoin an accessible route? : N_A (Rating: 0)

8. Are accessible spaces identified with a sign that includes the International Symbol of Accessibility? Note: The International Symbol of Accessibility is not required on the ground. : N_A (Rating: 0)

9. Of the total parking spaces, are the accessible spaces located on the closest accessible route to the accessible entrance(s)? Note: If parking serves multiple entrances, accessible parking should be dispersed. : N_A (Rating: 0)

Access Routes

Trails

Date of Audit : 2016-08-24

Name of Trail : Tyner Boulevard Trail

Section of trail audited : Ospika to UNBC

Weather condition during audit : Sunny





Clear Width

5. What is the typical trail width (mm)? : More_than_1525 (Rating: 0)
6. What is the narrowest trail width (mm)? : between_1220_-915 (Rating: 1)

Obstacles

7. If the trail is concrete, asphalt or boardwalk, are there any obstacles that exceed 13mm from the surface? : No (Rating: 0)

Comments/Description : Asphalt was installed about 5 years ago, minimal cracking at this point

8. If yes, are the obstacles at least 1220mm apart? : N_A (Rating: 0)
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Openings

11. Are there any gaps or grates present that have an opening greater than 13mm? : No (Rating: 0)
12. If gaps/grates are present, do they run perpendicular to the path of travel? : N_A (Rating: 0)

Running Slope

13. What is the typical running slope on the trail? : Moderate_2_-_3 (Rating: 1)

Comments/Description : flat for the first km, then steep to very steep for a km

14. What is the maximum running slope on the trail? : Very_steep_above_5 (Rating: 0)

Comments/Description : three sections, each about 20 meters, one at 5, one at 6, one at 7.5

Resting Intervals

17. Are there resting intervals at the top and bottom of a trail where the grade exceeds 3°? : No (Rating: 0)

Comments/Description : the trail varies between flat and moderate for long sections

18. If the running slope is greater than 3°, are there resting intervals in the middle of the trail when the length exceeds 9.1m? : No (Rating: 0)

22. If yes, are the benches located approximately every 61m? : No_-_below_standard (Rating: 0)

Comments/Description : one bench only near the start of the trail

23. Is the bench seat height between 485mm - 510mm? : No_-_below_standard (Rating: 0)

Measurement

(mm) : 410

Ramps

24. Is there is a ramp? : No (Rating: 0)

25. Is the ramp at least 915mm wide?

Note: If there are handrails, measure between the handrails. : N_A (Rating: 0)

26. Is the surface stable, firm and slip resistant? : N_A (Rating: 0)

27. For each section of the ramp, is the running slope no greater than 5°?

Note: Rises no greater than 76mm with a slope no steeper than 7° and rises no greater than 150mm with a slope no steeper than 6° are permitted when due to space limitations. : N_A (Rating: 0)

28. Is there a level landing that is at least 1525mm long and at least as wide as the ramp: At the top of the ramp? : N_A (Rating: 0)

29. At the bottom of the ramp? : N_A (Rating: 0)

30. Is there a level landing where the ramp changes direction that is at least 1525mm x 1525mm? : N_A (Rating: 0)

31. If the ramp has a rise higher than 150mm are there handrails on both sides? : N_A (Rating: 0)

32. Is the top of the handrail gripping surface no less than 865mm and no greater than 965mm above the ramp surface? : N_A (Rating: 0)

33. Is the handrail gripping surface continuous and not obstructed along the top or sides? : N_A (Rating: 0)

34. If there are obstructions, is the bottom of the gripping surface obstructed no more than 20%? : N_A (Rating: 0)

Stairs

35. Are there floors or surfaces connected only by stairs, not an elevator or ramp? : No (Rating: 0)

36. How many flights of stairs are there? : N_A

37. If there are less than a flight, how many stairs are there? : N_A

38. Do all stair treads have a horizontal strip at the edge that is: 40mm-60mm deep, colour contrasted & extends the full width of the step? : N_A (Rating: 0)

39. If the stairs are not enclosed, is there a tactile warning system present at the landing of entrance to stairs system? : N_A (Rating: 0)

40. Are there handrails on both sides of the stairs at a uniform height of 860mm-920mm above the front step? : N_A (Rating: 0)

41. Do the handrails extend horizontally at the top and bottom of each flight of stairs? : N_A (Rating: 0)

42. Are the handrails continuous around landings? : N_A (Rating: 0)

43. Are the handrails continuously graspable, without interruption by vertical supports, newel posts, or other construction elements which require repositioning the hands while ascending or descending? : N_A (Rating: 0)

44. Do the handrails have a graspable cross-section that is either circular with an outside diameter of 30mm-40mm or elliptical with an outside perimeter of 100mm-125mm? : N_A (Rating: 0)

Viewing Area

1. Is there a viewing area on the trail? : No (Rating: 0)

2. Is there sufficient clear ground space, a minimum of 915mm x 1220mm for the user to view the key features? : N_A (Rating: 0)

Comments/Description : The trail is consistently 3.5 to 4 meters wide allowing lots of viewing room where needed

3. Is the viewing area surface firm and stable? : N_A (Rating: 0)

4. What type of surface is the viewing area? : N_A

5. Is there a clear space between 815mm - 1320mm above the ground, free of obstructions and extending the full width of clear space? : N_A (Rating: 0)

Picnic Area

1. Are picnic tables provided? : No (Rating: 0)

2. How many accessible picnic tables are there? : N_A

3. If the picnic table is up to 2.7m long, is there one wheelchair seating space? : N_A (Rating: 0)

4. If the picnic table is longer than 2.7m, are there at least two wheelchair spaces provided? : N_A (Rating: 0)

5. Is there clear and level ground space, 915mm measured from back edge of seats/benches? : N_A (Rating: 0)

6. Do the accessible spaces have adequate knee clearance, 685mm high x 760mm wide x 430mm deep? : N_A (Rating: 0)

7. Is the ground surface surrounding the accessible picnic table firm and stable? : N_A (Rating: 0)

8. Is there a clear, level accessible route to the picnic table? : N_A (Rating: 0)

Shelters

1. Are there any camp shelters? : No (Rating: 0)

2. **What is the slope at the entrance to the camp shelter?** : N_A (Rating: 0)
3. **What type of surface is in the camp shelter?** : N_A
4. **Is the shelter surface firm and stable?** : N_A (Rating: 0)
5. **Is there a clear, level accessible route to the camp shelter?** : N_A (Rating: 0)

Benches

1. **Are any benches provided?** : No (Rating: 0)
2. **If yes, how many benches are there?** : N_A
3. **Is the bench seat height between 485mm - 510mm?** : N_A (Rating: 0)
4. **Is there a minimum of 915mm x 1220mm clear ground space beside the bench?** : N_A (Rating: 0)
5. **Is there a clear, level accessible route to the bench?** : N_A (Rating: 0)

Comments/Description : at the start only

**Measurement
(mm)** : 950

4. **If there are operable parts, can they be operated using one hand, without tightly grasping, pinching, or twisting the wrist and with no more than 2.3kg of force?** : No (Rating: 0)

Comments/Description : bearproof

Campfires & Grills

1. **Is there an area for campfires?** : No (Rating: 0)
2. **Is there a minimum of 1220mm clear ground space on all sides?** : N_A (Rating: 0)
3. **Is the slope 3° or less in all directions?** : N_A (Rating: 0)
4. **Is the grill height between 380mm - 865mm above the ground?** : N_A (Rating: 0)
5. **Is the fire building surface height at least 230mm above the ground?** : N_A (Rating: 0)
6. **If there is a raised edge or wall around the fire building area, is the thickness less than 255mm?** : N_A (Rating: 0)
7. **Is there a clear, level accessible route to the campfire area?** : N_A (Rating: 0)

1. **Are any public washrooms located at the trail head or on the trail?** : Yes_-
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Additional comments regarding assessment : This is a nice easy hike with just enough slope to challenge the not quite so fit. At just under 3 kms it is long enough to push but not too hard. At 4 meters wide it allows plenty of passing room which is an asset as many different people use this path. Cyclists, horses, dog walkers, students, moose, wheelchair users, bears and foxes. Be aware of the possibility of seeing wildlife, especially at dawn and

dusk. A sidewalk all the way from the crosswalk at the UNBC entrance to the bus loop would be nice but I believe that is up to the university.



Description of Photo 1 : The view along Tyner



Description of Photo 2 : The lone bench



Description of Photo 3 : Obstacles were surprisingly minimal

Description of Photo 4 : The steepest part of the trail at 7.5 degrees

Washrooms

Camping

Water Access

Goods and Services