

### 1 Pioneer Burying Ground

In 1794, the two founders of Pittsford, Simon and Israel Stone, gave three acres of land for a cemetery to be established and for a log schoolhouse to be built on a hill one mile south of the present village. Many of the community's early settlers are buried here.

### 2 Mile Post School

One mile south of the village, District #1 was the first school in Monroe County. This was not a free school; it was built by subscription with settlers taking as many shares as they had children in school. Tuition was \$1.00 per child per semester, a hefty sum in those days. The original log building was razed in 1806 and replaced by a frame building, which was razed in 1826 when the present brick building was constructed.

### 3 Lusk Farm

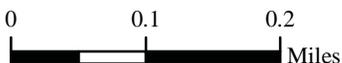
Stephen and John Lusk are credited with being the community's first settlers. Stephen established a farm at 1 Mendon Center Road, and the area around Stone and Knickerbocker Roads was farmed by the Lusk Family for over 150 years.

### 4 Knickerbocker Farm

Established in 1842 by George Knickerbocker, who coveted the land he first saw as a driver on the Erie Canal. It is still farmed by his descendants.

#### Trail Rules:

- Please Stay on Path
- Clean Up After Your Dog
- Closed During Hours of Darkness
- No Motorized Vehicles
- No Horses
- Alcoholic Beverages Prohibited
- Hunting Prohibited



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# Mile Post Trails

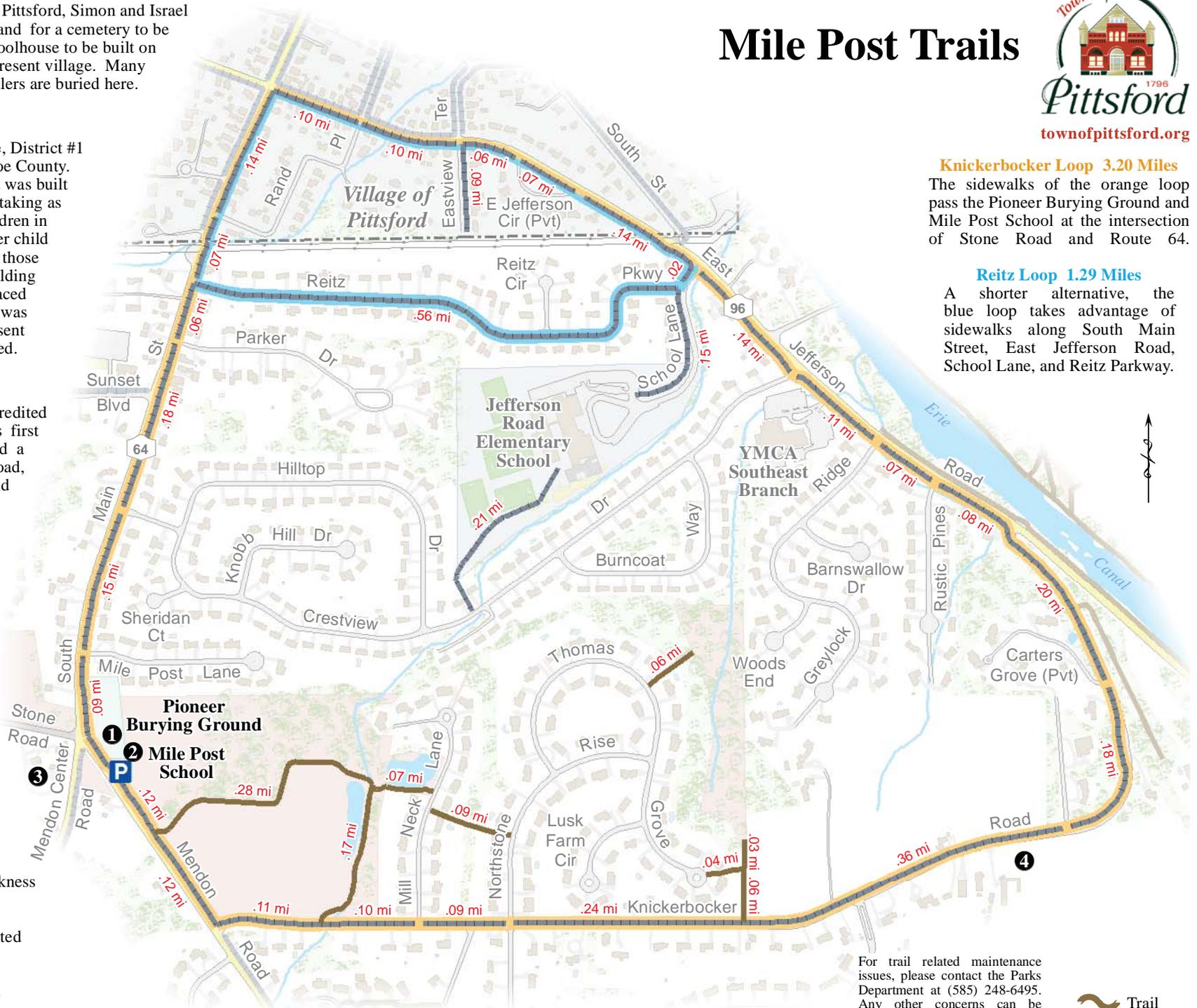


### Knickerbocker Loop 3.20 Miles

The sidewalks of the orange loop pass the Pioneer Burying Ground and Mile Post School at the intersection of Stone Road and Route 64.

### Reitz Loop 1.29 Miles

A shorter alternative, the blue loop takes advantage of sidewalks along South Main Street, East Jefferson Road, School Lane, and Reitz Parkway.



For trail related maintenance issues, please contact the Parks Department at (585) 248-6495. Any other concerns can be directed to the Department of Public Works at (585) 248-6250.

