

Dog River Trail #675



Northwest
Forest Pass
Required
May 15-Oct 1



Recreation Opportunity Guide

Distance..... 5.3 miles (one way)
Elevation..... 2120-4000 feet
Snow Free May to October



Trail Highlights: This trail is on the east side of Mount Hood. Spectacular views are found on the upper portion of the trail.

Trail Description: This trail starts at Oregon Hwy 35 (2,120') and travels south to its junction with Zigzag Trail #678 and Surveyor's Ridge Trail #688 (4,000). From OR Hwy 35, the trail heads south 0.1 mile to a wooden bridge crossing Puppy Creek. Cross the bridge and continue south along the hillside above Dog River 1.7 miles to a wooden bridge crossing Dog River (2,640'). Cross Dog River and from here the trail climbs to a saddle above East Fork Hood River and OR Hwy 35. After approximately 1.1 miles of climbing, visitors are rewarded with a spectacular view of Mount Hood (3,360'). Continue climbing 0.9 mile, passing Forest Road 4400-620, to another view of Mount Hood (3,840'). The trail levels slightly and continues south 0.8 mile to a wooden bridge crossing a small stream (3,880'). The trail crosses four more wooden bridges in the next 0.4 miles. From the last bridge, the trail continues southwest 0.3 mile to its end at the junction with Zigzag Trail #678 and Surveyor's Ridge Trail #688 (4,000). From this junction, visitors can turn left and travel 0.9 mile on Surveyor's Ridge Trail #688 to Dufur Mill Road (Forest Road 44), or turn right on Zigzag Trail #678 and travel downhill 0.8 mile to OR Hwy 35.

Regulations & Leave No Trace Information:

Leave No Trace

- Plan Ahead and Prepare: Prepare for extreme weather, hazards and emergencies.
- Travel and Camp on Durable Surfaces: Use established trails and campsites.
- Dispose of Waste Properly: Pack out all trash, leftover food and litter.
- Leave What You Find: Avoid introducing or transporting non-native species.
- Minimize Campfire Impacts: Use established fire rings & keep fires small.
- Respect Wildlife: Control pets at all times.
- Be Considerate of Other Visitors: Avoid loud voices and noises.

For information on **Leave No Trace**, go to www.LNT.org or call 1-800-332-4100

For current trail conditions and more recreation information go to:

<http://www.fs.usda.gov/mthood>

Map and driving directions on next page

Mt. Hood National Forest
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Sandy, OR 97055
503-668-1700

Hood River Ranger District
6780 Hwy 35
Parkdale, Oregon 97041
541-352-6002

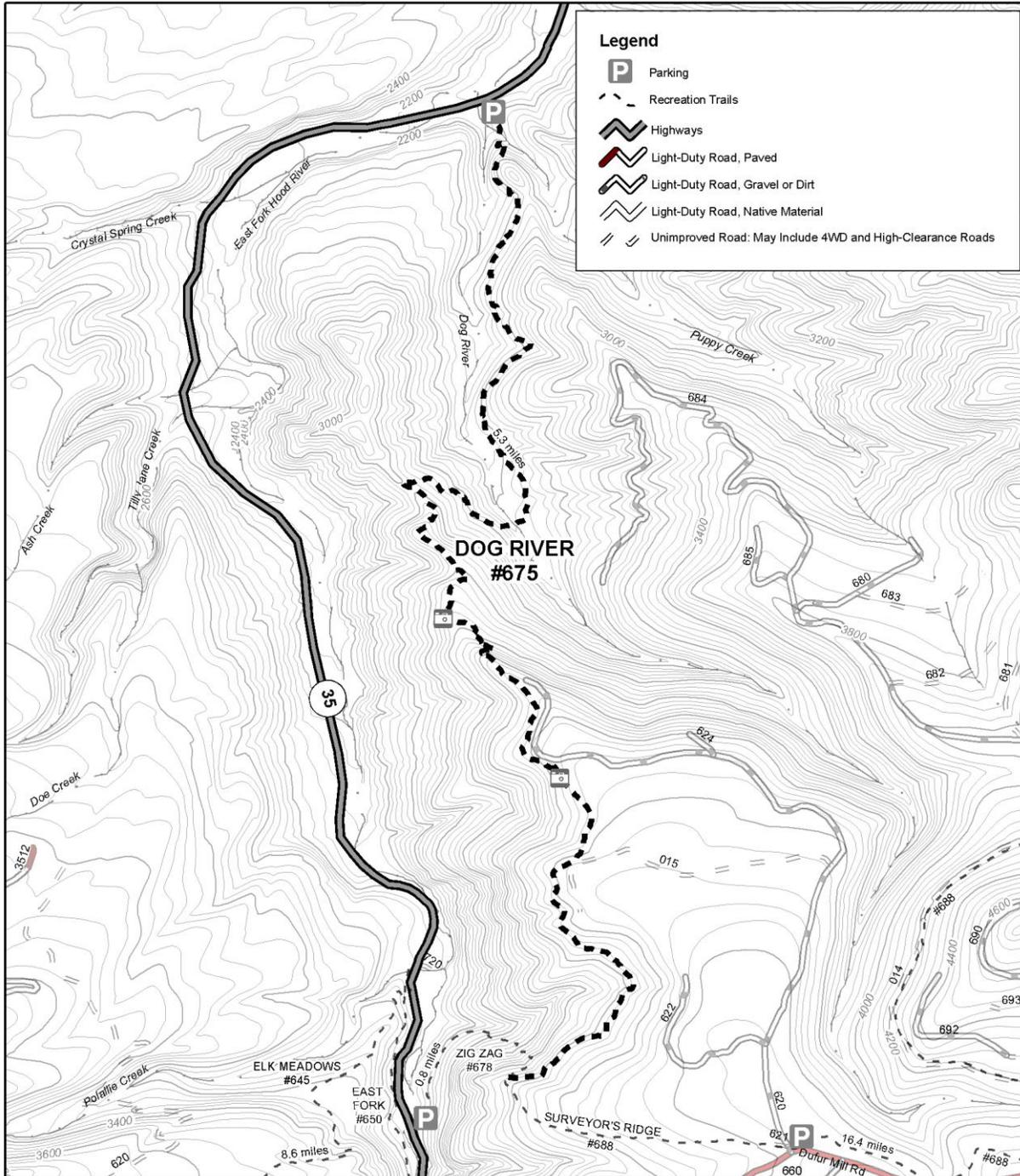
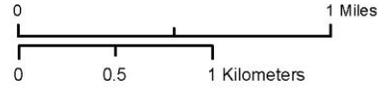
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Directions to Trailhead: From Hood River, travel approximately 18.5 miles south on Oregon Hwy 35, approximately 0.1 mile southwest of milepost 78, to the parking area on the south side of the road.

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8.6 km



Recommended maps: Hood River Ranger District

