

Connecticut Coastal Access Guide

Saint Mary's by the Sea

Eames Boulevard (via Gilman Street) Bridgeport, CT 06605



Legend

- Selected Coastal Access Site
- Other Coastal Access Site

Site Description: There are numerous activities for outdoor enthusiasts to enjoy at Saint Mary's by the Sea. A developed walkway (approximately 1/2 mile in length) provides visitors with spectacular views of Long Island Sound and Black Rock Harbor. The site holds historic and cultural interest for visitors to explore. Please contact the Bridgeport Parks & Recreation Department for obtaining a parking permit to visit this site.



Activities

Bird & Wildlife	YES	Supervised Swimming	NO
Crabbing	NO	Unsupervised Swimming	NO
Fishing	YES	SCUBA Diving	NO
Shellfishing	NO	Historic/Cultural Interest	YES
Trails	NO	Waterfowl Hunting	NO
Walkways	YES		

Facilities

Access Pier	NO	Handicapped Access	YES
Boat Launch Ramp	NO	Nature Center/Museum	NO
Car-top Boat Access	NO	Picnic Area	NO
Camping	NO	RV Camping	NO
Food Concession	NO	Sanitary Facilities (Seasonal)	NO

Environmental Setting

Bluff, Escarpment	NO	On Long Island Sound	YES
Harbor Setting	NO	Rocky Shore	YES
Intertidal Flat	YES	Sandy Beach	YES
Island	NO	Tidal River	YES
Tidal Wetland	YES	Lighthouse	NO

Parking: On street

Fee: NO



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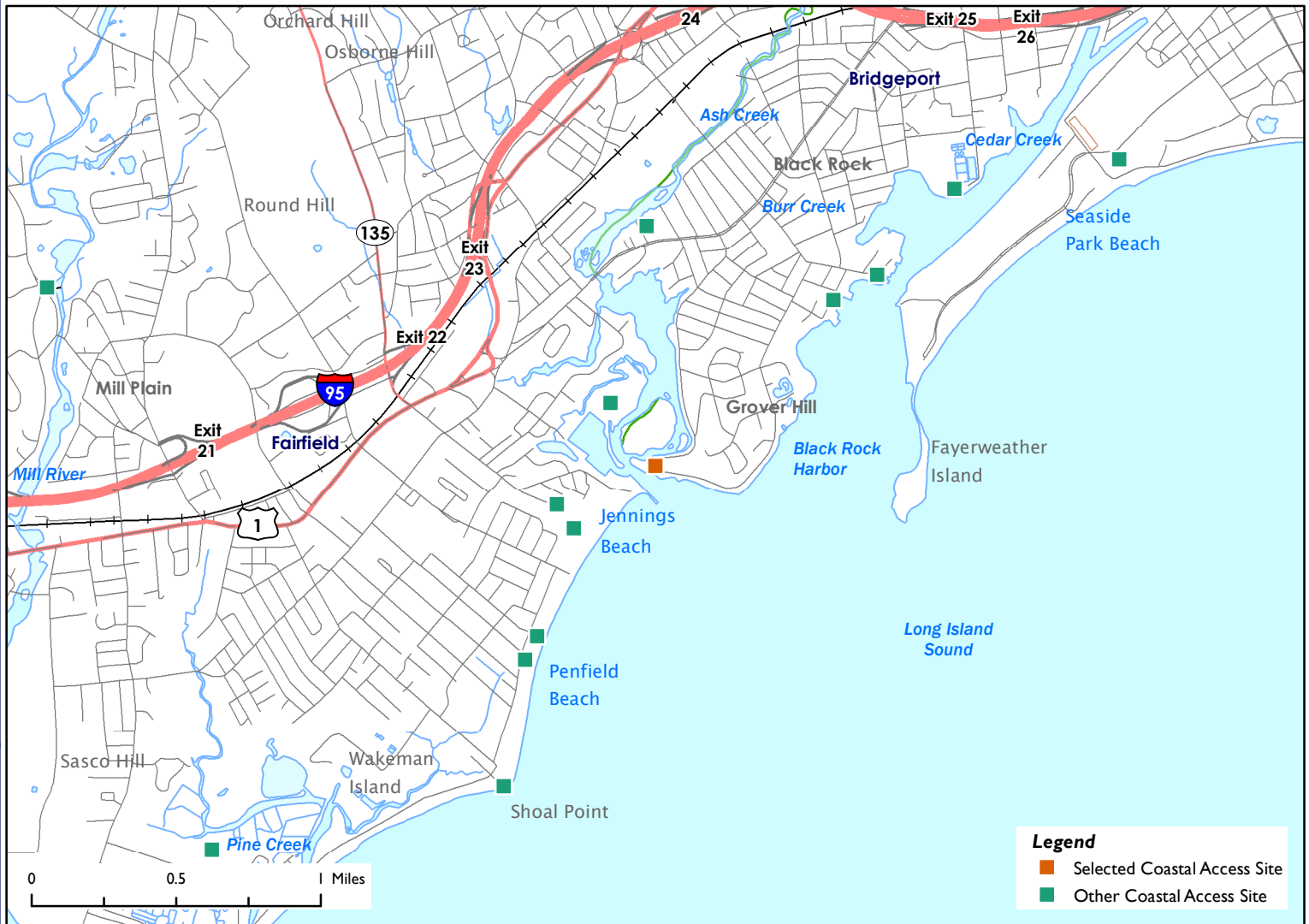
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Latitude: 41.144188 **Longitude:** -73.233125

Directions:

From the East: Take I-95 South to Exit 24. At the end of the exit ramp, turn left and proceed approximately .2 miles on Chambers Street. Next, turn right onto Commerce Drive and continue .1 mile. Turn left onto Black Rock Turnpike (which becomes Brewster Street) and follow .6 miles. Take a right onto Fairfield Avenue and continue .2 miles. Turn left onto Gilman Street and follow 1 mile. The entrance is to the right on-street.

From the West: Take I-95 North to Exit 24. At the end of the exit ramp, continue straight and travel an extremely short distance, then turn right onto Black Rock Turnpike (which becomes Brewster Street) and follow .7 miles. Next, turn right onto Fairfield Avenue, and proceed .2 miles. Turn left onto Gilman Street and follow 1 mile. The entrance is to the right on-street.



Additional Site Information:

City of Bridgeport
7 Trumbull Road
Bridgeport, CT 06611

General Questions or Comments:

Land and Water Resources Division
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