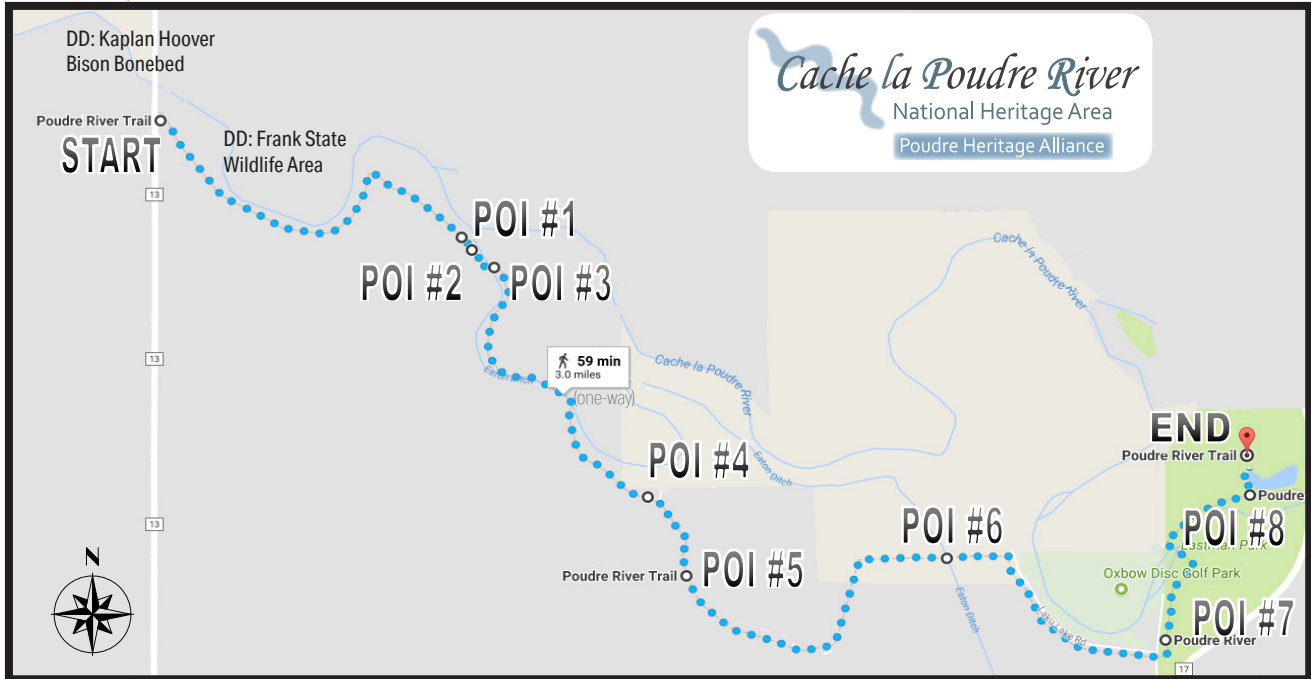
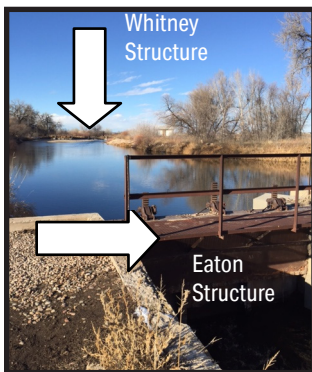


# East to the B.H. Eaton



## START

Trailhead parking lot at 32564 County Hwy 13, Windsor.



## Delightful Diversion - Kaplan Hoover Bone Bed

The Kaplan-Hoover bone Bed site is 0.6 miles west of trailhead, and features an extensive archaeological site that is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The creek or 'arroyo' was used by Archaic-era people of the region to direct bison into the arroyo where they were trapped and killed.

## Delightful Diversion - Frank State Wildlife Area

This area has several ponds and is an excellent place for birdwatching. Access to the wildlife area is to the North of the trailhead along County Rd 13.

## POI #1

B.H. Eaton and Whitney ditch diversion structures – .7 miles

- Seasonal Selfie: The Whitney Ditch diversion structure routes the river north and the B.H. Eaton Ditch diversion structure routes the river south. Standing near the B.H. Eaton head gate, take a selfie that shows both diversion structures in the background.

## POI #2

Parshall Flume and Chart House on the Eaton Ditch – .71 miles. A chart house accompanies a flume and contains measuring and recording devices to monitor the amount of water flowing through a ditch.

## POI #3

B.H. Eaton wayside interpretive sign – .8 miles



- Heritage Hunt Question: Which canal that Benjamin Eaton led the construction of, was the most ambitious 19th Century water development project associated with the Cache la Poudre River?
- Heritage Hunt Question: Scan the QR code on the interpretive sign (or visit the website listed by the QR code: <http://poudreheritage.org/video/western-water-law/>) and listen to the Evolution of an Economy audio clip and answer this question:
  - What practice undermined water rights, and put a strain on water supplies ?

## POI #4

"Leaning Shack" – 1.3 miles



- Seasonal Selfie: Take a picture in front of this old structure (but for safety, please don't go in it). Feel free to lean in your picture!



## POI #5

HALFWAY POINT – 1.5 mile marker.



## POI #6

Poudre River Trail crosses the B.H. Eaton Ditch – 2.1 miles

- Seasonal Selfie: Pause where the trail crosses the Eaton Ditch and take a selfie with the Eaton Ditch in the background. Choose your backdrop—view the ditch to the northwest to have oilfield operations, or view to the southeast to show houses and hills in the distance.



## POI #7

Treasure Island Demonstration Garden - 2.6 miles. Enjoyable in all seasons, take a moment to view the many different kinds of plants.

- Seasonal Selfie: Take a picture with your favorite plant or garden ornament.



## POI #8

Wayside interpretive sign at Eastman Park – 3 miles

- Heritage Hunt Question: With what river does the Cache la Poudre River converge with on its eastern end?
- Heritage Hunt Question: Scan the QR code on the interpretive sign (or visit the website listed by the QR code: [poudreheritage.org/video/poudre-heritage-alliance/](http://poudreheritage.org/video/poudre-heritage-alliance/)), watch the Recreation Along the Poudre video and answer this question:
  - What is one of the continent's fastest growing outdoor pastimes, for which the Poudre River is an excellent venue?

## END

Parking lot at Eastman Park, 7025 Eastman Park Dr, Windsor.

