Together with the Ice Age Trail Alliance, Ice Age Trail Communities enhance appreciation and awareness of the natural and scenic beauty of the thousand-mile Ice Age National Scenic Trail. Visit our Trail Communities to enjoy small-town hospitality, local supper clubs, hometown bakeries, farm-to-table eateries, and sites highlighting Wisconsin’s cultural heritage.

For current trail conditions, to connect with local volunteers, or to plan your Ice Age Trail hike, visit iceagetrail.org.

Nestled among the glacial hills of the Middle Kettle Moraine and on the shores of Lake Country, the Ice Age Trail Community of Delafield is a great spot for enjoying the Ice Age National Scenic Trail and amenities the city has to offer. The area is rich with the vast prairies and oak savannahs of Lapham Peak, award-winning restaurants, historical sites, local artisans, and enjoyable strolls along the Trail as it courses through one of the City’s three shopping districts. Rest assured there is something in Delafield for everyone. Stop by the Visitor Center at 421 Main Street in downtown Delafield for more information about the area.

**WHERE TO HIKE**

*Unless otherwise noted, dogs are allowed on the Ice Age Trail and should be under control and leashed at all times.*

**DELAFIELD SEGMENT**

(3.5 miles)

The segment winds through Delafield and includes a trek downtown and along part of the Lake Country Recreation Trail.

**LAPHAM PEAK SEGMENT**

(7.8 miles)

This hilly segment offers eager hikers more of a challenge. The Trail winds through beautiful woods and prairie restoration sites and includes outstanding views at the top of Lapham Peak.

**HARTLAND SEGMENT**

(6.8 miles)

This segment connects Delafield to the Trail Community of Hartland. A highlight of the route is the chance to stop by three Conservationists’ Hall of Fame commemorative sites.
EATS & TREATS

Delafied offers a wide array of eclectic restaurants, brew pubs, and coffee houses in both indoor and outdoor settings!

Start your day with a stop at Great Harvest Bread for a homemade breakfast panini or wake up with hot coffee at Blue Collar Coffee. Sally’s Sweet Shoppe is sure to satisfy your cravings. Enjoy a farm-to-table lunch at Belfire, Italian at Zin, Mexican at Maztalan, or comfort food at Lumber Inn.

Friday night in Delafield? You can’t leave without trying a traditional Wisconsin fish fry at Revere’s Wells Street Tavern! Finally, indulge in an ice-cold Ice Age Ale IPA brewed at Delafield BrewHaus specially for the Ice Age Trail Alliance.

SHOPS & STOPS

The vibrant downtown area offers a fun variety of local shops, delicatessens, and retail experiences. Find gifts and treasures at Wheel and Sprocket, the Delafield Main St. Boutique, and Element Style Boutique. Clear Water Outdoors can help with outdoor outfitting for your hiking adventures.

HISTORY & RECREATION

The City of Delafield prides itself in outdoor recreational opportunities, and it is also home to a rich history. Hawks Inn & Delafield History Center is a fully restored 1800s stagecoach stop. Take in the period artifacts, and listen to insights and stories from the original diary of Mr. and Mrs. Hawks as shared by your tour guide. Visitors may also learn about those that served our country at Veteran’s Memorial Riverwalk. While honoring the past, visitors may get a glimpse into the future by taking a campus tour of St. John’s Northwestern Military Academy, a private preparatory and leadership development school.

While in Delafield, take advantage of the lake and numerous biking trails.

For more ideas, visit: visitdelafield.org

STAY & PLAY

After a day of hiking and exploration, put your feet up at one of these lodging options:

• The Delafield Hotel
• Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites Delafield
• La Quinta Inn & Suites
• AmericInn

Camping options are available if you would rather sleep under the stars:

• Naga-Waukee County Park

GET INVOLVED

Contact the Waukesha/Milwaukee County Chapter of the Ice Age Trail Alliance, a dedicated group of volunteers build, maintain, and promote the beautiful segments of the Ice Age Trail throughout Waukesha County. Email: iatawaukmilwchapter@gmail.com.

The chapter’s "Walk the Wauk" hiking program recognizes hikers who have walked all 45 miles of the chapter’s Ice Age Trail segments and connecting routes.