

EXPLORE LOCAL WILDLIFE AT EXPEDITION ISLAND & ALONG THE GREENBELT PATHWAY

Spend the morning taking a peaceful walk through Expedition Island and along the Greenbelt Pathway enjoying the wildlife that call the Green River home. While you're there keep an eye out for Mule Deer, Canada Goose, Moose, Beavers, Muskrats, Ducks, Trout, Salmon, Cottontail Rabbits, Songbirds, Owls, Osprey, Bald Eagles, Hawks, Pelicans, Garter snakes, Nighthawks, and more!

Directions:

The Greenbelt Pathway is located in the heart of Green River, WY. There are many access points to the 3 ½ mile path. To access the trail by Jaycee Park, from Rock Springs, head west on I-80 and take exit 99 into Green River. Turn right before the traffic light and go over the overpass onto Uinta Drive. Turn left at the second traffic light onto Astle Ave, and the park is located in three blocks ahead on your left. You can park right before the baseball field. This is an easy, flat, paved walking path. Leashed dogs are also allowed. There are also many benches and swings along the pathway to see and enjoy the views.

7:00a.m.

Grab a hot beverage from <u>Get Real Coffee</u> (50 Monroe Ave.) in Green River! They have a variety of delicious specialty coffees and teas.

7:15a.m.

Arrive at Expedition Island. Walk the trail around the park and see what wildlife you can find, then head over the Trona Bridge to begin your walk along the Greenbelt Pathway. In late September and early October keep an eye out for the Kokanee salmon spawning in the river. You can't miss them; they are bright red this time of year!

9:00a.m.

After your walk, refuel with a delicious breakfast from the <u>Hitching Post</u> (580 E Flaming Gorge Way Green River, WY)! Try the Cockadoodle Moo – Chicken fried steak sandwich on grilled sourdough, fried Eggs and Swiss cheese. Served with a side of gravy, hash browns or cubed potatoes, or if you have a sweet tooth, try the cinnamon roll French toast, yum!



This path is paved and flat, making it great for people of all ages to enjoy! Walk, run, or ride your bike along this beautiful path. The park and path are also dog-friendly, so you can bring your 4-legged friend along for your walk.

What to Bring:

- Comfortable Walking Shoes
- Binoculars
- Camera
- Jacket
- Water
- Bug-Spray
- Sunscreen
- Leash (if you bring your 4-legged friend)