

Walking Guide of The Cliff Walk ~ A Scenic 3.2 mile Public Walkway

The first designated National Recreation Trail in New England



The Northern Section

The first section, from the start at the Memorial Boulevard entrance overlooking Easton's Beach (a.k.a. First Beach) to Ruggles Avenue, is about 1½ miles. Narrow in places and for the most part level and unprotected by guardrails, this part has a gradual incline and some short stairways. There are several places to rest along the way.

The Middle Section

The second section, from Ruggles Avenue to the Chinese Tea House located behind the Marblehouse Mansion, is about one mile in length.

The Southern Section

The last section, from the Chinese Tea House on the grounds of the Marble House to the finish at Reject's Beach, is about one mile in length. The short tunnel at Sheep's Point marks what is in many ways, the most beautiful part of the Cliff Walk.

For the real hearty walker, nothing compares to walking the entire Cliff Walk viewing the private estates and mansions from the oceanside and then to walk back along Bellevue Avenue to marvel at the homes from the street view. Remember to bring some water and your camera.

