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Walt and I are away and unable to make comments at the Town Board meeting this evening.

As advocates of places to walk in Yorktown, we would encourage AMS to include at least one hiking trail into the Indian Hill section of Trump State Park, just north of their proposed development. They have included plans for sidewalks, but not nothing that goes into the woods.

I have corresponded with Linda Cooper, Regional Director of the Taconic Region of NY State Parks. She approves the idea in hopes that illegal ATV use of the area will be curtailed.

If AMS approves the concept, volunteers from the NY-NJ Trail Conference can work with them to design and build the trails. Both FDR and French Hill section of Trump State Park have neighborhood entrances.

Having an amenity such as trails makes that development a desirable place to live.

Jane and Walt Daniels